# CONSERVE & $AVE™

## GREEN EFFICIENCY MEASURES REBATE APPLICATION

### SECTION A. CUSTOMER INFORMATION (please print)

**Step 1:**

Customer Name (as it appears on your utility bill) | Account Number

Installation Address | City | State (MN) | Zip Code

Mailing Address (if different from installation address) | City | State (MN) | Zip Code

Contact Phone Number (with area code) ☐ Home ☐ Cell ☐ Other: | E-mail Address

**Step 2:**

☐ Please apply rebate to my account. ☐ Please send me a rebate check.

**Rebates $75 and under will be applied to your account. If a box is not checked a bill credit will automatically be issued.**

**Step 3:**

**How did you hear about CONSERVE & SAVE™? (pick one)** ☐ Billboard ☐ Chamber of Commerce ☐ Contractor ☐ Newspaper ☐ Radio ☐ Retailer/Vendor ☐ Social Media ☐ TV ☐ Utility Newsletter ☐ Utility Representative ☐ Utility Web Site ☐ Other _____

**Step 4:**

| I am a: | My building type is: | I am a: | My home/business is heated by: | My water heating is: |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ☐ Residential Customer | ☐ Single Family | ☐ Owner/Occupant | ☐ Electric | ☐ Electric |
| ☐ Commercial Customer | ☐ Multi- Family *buildings with 2 or more units* | ☐ Owner/Non-Occupant | ☐ Gas | ☐ Gas |
| | ☐ Commercial | ☐ Renter | ☐ Don't Know | ☐ Don't Know |

**SIGNATURE: By typing my first and last names in the CUSTOMER SIGNATURE box below, I am signing this document and certify:**

- ☐ **I have completely filled out Sections A**
- ☐ **I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions – Section B, #1**
- ☐ **I have attached all support materials – Section B, #3**
- ☐ **All equipment has been purchased by myself, the customer listed in Section A**

**CUSTOMER SIGNATURE**_____ **Date**_____

*Allow 6-8 weeks for processing.* ***Missing or incorrect information will increase the processing time.***

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**OFFICE USE ONLY** ❑ Gas ❑ Electric ❑ Water

**Total Rebate Amount:** $

Date Received_____ Date Processed_____

Appliance/Equipment _____

ID_____ Verified By_____ FILE NAME:_____

## SECTION B. REBATE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

**Use this checklist to complete the steps to receive your rebates:**

☐ **1.** Read the following terms and conditions to determine if you are eligible for a rebate:

- Only one service address per application.
- Rebates are intended for customers, not contractors or builders.
- The Utility reserves the right to apply rebates to past due accounts. Rebates $75 and under will be applied to your account. Rebates will not exceed the purchase price.
- Battery-powered lawn equipment must be charged where the electric service is supplied by Austin Utilities or Owatonna Public Utilities and is subject to inspection.
- Purchase **NEW** products that meet the eligibility requirements stated in this application. Reconditioned, refurbished, or second-hand equipment is not eligible for a rebate. Products replaced under warranty or provided through a repair/replacement service agreement are not eligible for a rebate.
- Equipment must meet our Minimum Efficiency/Eligibility Requirements to qualify for a rebate.
- Due to limited funding, this rebate offer can be withdrawn at any time without notice. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. All applications from the current year's purchases must be received by March 31 of the following year.
- Rebates can only be offered on equipment that is purchased while funding is in effect. In the event our program is discontinued due to depleted funds, we will not provide a rebate for items purchased between the discontinued date and the end of that year.
- In no case will the rebate paid by the Utility exceed 50% of the purchase price of the equipment. The maximum rebate amount may be limited.

☐ **2.** Complete the application, making sure to fill out all required sections in detail. Allow 6-8 weeks for processing. Missing or incorrect information will increase the processing time.

☐ **3.** Customer must submit original receipts/invoices showing the make, model, quantity, and price of all equipment purchased, and the date purchased.

☐ **4.** Sign the application.

☐ **5.** Information contained in this rebate application may be shared with the Minnesota Department of Commerce and Utility partners.

☐ **6.** Submit completed forms and required documentation to your utility provider:

**Austin Utilities**
**Apply by Mail:** Attn: Rebate Processing
1908 14th St NE
Austin, MN 55912-4904
507-433-8886
**Apply Online:** www.austinutilities.com
**Apply by Email:** rebates@austinutilities.com

**Owatonna Public Utilities**
**Apply by Mail:** Attn: Rebate Processing
PO Box 800
Owatonna, MN 55060-0800
507-451-2480
**Apply Online:** www.owatonnautilities.com
**Apply by Email:** rebates@owatonnautilities.com

***Thank you for purchasing new, efficient appliances and equipment and for applying for a CONSERVE & SAVE™ rebate!***

When purchasing new items, continue to look for the ENERGY STAR®, ENERGY STAR® Most Efficient, and WaterSense® labels. By doing so, you will save energy, water, and money while ensuring product performance. AustinUtilities and Owatonna Public Utilities may also offer a CONSERVE & SAVE™ rebate on your purchase! For a complete list of available rebates, amounts, and to download rebate applications with minimum efficiency requirements and complete terms and conditions, visit your utility's website:

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## SECTION C. REBATE INFORMATION – BATTERY-POWERED LAWN EQUIPMENT

**Eligibility:**
1. All equipment must be new and battery-powered to qualify.
2. Mowers must have a battery voltage of at least 36 volts to qualify.
3. Corded equipment and robotic mowers do not qualify for a rebate.
4. Rebates are limited to 50% of the equipment cost.
5. Rebate quantities are limited to two (2) riding mowers and five (5) push lawn mowers, blowers, trimmers, and chainsaws annually.
6. Purchase date on invoice/receipt must be between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.

| | Equipment Code (see below) | Mower Battery Voltage[1] | Quantity | Manufacturer | Model | Date Purchased | Cost | Rebate (see Table 1) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS: PLEASE USE OUR COMMERCIAL BATTERY-POWERED LAWN EQUIPMENT REBATE APPLICATION** | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | **TOTAL REBATE:** | |

[1]Lawn mowers must have a battery voltage of at least 36 volts to qualify.

**Table 1 – Rebates + Equipment Codes**

| Equipment Code | Description | Rebate |
|---|---|---|
| A | Battery-powered **chainsaw** | $10 |
| B | Battery-powered **lawn trimmer** | $10 |
| C | Battery-powered **leaf blower** | $10 |
| D | Battery-powered **push/walk-behind lawn mower** | $50 |
| E | Battery-powered **riding lawn mower** | $100 |

## SECTION D. REBATE INFORMATION – E-BIKES

**Eligibility:**
1. Eligible electric-assisted bicycles (e-Bikes) must be new and have a battery, an electric motor, a seat, and functional pedals.
2. Used, resold, rebuilt, received from warranty or insurance claims, or e-Bikes won as a prize are not eligible for a rebate.
3. Electric bicycle conversion kits are not eligible for a rebate.
4. Purchase date on invoice/receipt must be between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.

**REBATE = $150 per e-Bike (not to exceed 50% of cost)**

| | Manufacturer | Model | Date Purchased | e-Bike Cost | Rebate per e-Bike |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | | | | | **$150** |
| 2 | | | | | **$150** |
| 3 | | | | | **$150** |
| | | | | **TOTAL REBATE:** | |

***Include:**
- ☐ **A.** A copy of your receipt/invoice for new e-Bike.
- ☐ **B.** A photo of bicycle serial number.
- ☐ **C.** A copy of the e-Bike manufacturer's published specifications showing the performance and other technical characteristic of the bicycle (used to verify that it meets the rebate qualifications).

# GREEN EFFICIENCY MEASURES

## SECTION E. CONTRACTOR/RETAILER INFORMATION FOR VARIABLE SPEED POOL PUMPS (please print)

Contractor's/Retailer's Name | Contact Person | Phone Number (with area code) | Installer's Name (**write SELF if customer installed**)

## SECTION F. REBATE INFORMATION – VARIABLE SPEED DRIVE POOL PUMPS

| | Project Type (check one) | Pool Type (check one) | Pool Volume (gallons) | Weighted Energy Factor (WEF) | Motor Qty. | Hydraulic Horsepower (HHP) | Manufacturer Name | Model Number | Estimated Annual Days of Operation (use Table 2 if unknown) | Date of Installation | Equipment Cost | Rebate $100 (not to exceed 50% of cost) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | ☐ New Installation ☐ Retrofit | ☐ Indoor ☐ Outdoor | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | **TOTAL REBATE:** | |

**Table 2 – Annual Days of Operation**

| Pool Type | Hours |
|---|---|
| Commercial Indoor | 365 |
| Commercial Outdoor | 122 |
| Residential Indoor | 365 |
| Residential Outdoor | 122 |

**Eligibility:**

1. Pool pump must be ENERGY STAR® certified.
2. Multi-speed pumps or staged pumps do not qualify.



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