

APPLICATION FOR REBATE



STOP! READ THIS FIRST!

To be eligible to receive a California Cash for Appliances rebate, you must submit a COMPLETE application within 120 days of purchase of a qualified appliance. Each complete rebate application must **INCLUDE ALL THE FOLLOWING:**

- 1 A Complete Application for Rebate form
- 2 A Certificate of Recycling/Demanufacturing form for the old appliance model of the same type
(This form must be provided by the retailer, utility, local government, or certified appliance recycler when your appliance is recycled)
- 3 A copy of the purchase receipt OR an original rebate receipt for the new appliance model
- 4 A copy of your most recent utility (service) bill or ID document dated 90 days or less from the appliance purchase date, which must show your residential street address (for proof of residency). The name and address on the utility bill or ID document must match the information provided below under, "Buyer Information."
- 5 One of the following:
 1. The original, bright yellow ENERGY GUIDE tag or label from the new appliance model
 2. The UPC label from the appliance packaging
 3. Confirmation of appliance delivery from the seller

INCOMPLETE AND INCORRECT applications cannot be processed and **WILL BE REJECTED.**

SEND FORMS TO

California Cash for Appliances
P.O. Box 12150
La Crescenta, CA 91224

Please call **1-888-390-4034** with questions or inquiries.

1. BUYER INFORMATION (BUYER ADDRESS ON THIS FORM MUST MATCH UTILITY [SERVICE] BILL ADDRESS)

The appliance must be installed at the address below before submitting your application.

_____ First Name	_____ Last Name	_____ Home Phone
_____ Address (PO box addresses do not qualify as a valid residential address for this program)		_____ Mobile Phone (optional)
_____ City	_____ State	_____ ZIP
_____ CA		_____ E-mail (if available)

Please check the appropriate box for each statement (optional):

Your residence is a: Single family home Condo/Townhouse Apartment Mobile Home

You are a: Renter Homeowner

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2. STORE (PLACE OF PURCHASE) INFORMATION (MAILING ADDRESS)

_____ Company Name		_____ Sales Associate Name (optional)
_____ Address		_____ Phone (optional)
_____ City	CA State	_____ ZIP
		_____ Website (optional)

3. APPLIANCE INFORMATION

Please **CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX** indicating the appliance you have purchased and are requesting a rebate for:

Clothes Washer Refrigerator Room Air Conditioner Freezer Dishwasher

If you have purchased more than one of these types of appliances, you must **FILL OUT A SEPARATE REBATE APPLICATION FORM FOR EACH APPLIANCE.**

For the appliance you have purchased, you must completely fill out the following information:

_____ Purchased Unit Brand/Make		_____ Model #
_____ Serial Number	_____ Purchase Price (without sales tax)	_____ Purchase Date

4. BUYER'S SIGNATURE

By filling out this form and signing below, you certify that the information provided on this form and in supporting documents is accurate, that you meet the eligibility requirements of the California Cash for Appliances Program, and that you have read, understood, and agree to comply with the program terms and conditions listed on page 3 of this form. This form may not be modified, except to provide the requested information. This appliance is installed at the address specified under "Buyer's Contract Information" of this form (*note: appliance **MUST BE INSTALLED** to qualify*).

_____ Buyer's Signature	_____ Date
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Retain a copy of the completed application form and the supporting documents for your records.

CALIFORNIA CASH FOR APPLIANCES PROGRAM TERMS AND CONDITIONS

(Retain a copy of the completed application form and the supporting documents for your records)

1. Program Eligibility

To qualify for a rebate, the purchaser must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a California residential consumer with a valid California residential address. "Residential consumers" include persons who purchase the appliance for personal use in their home, and excludes landlords and other consumers who may use or place such appliances in rental, business, or commercial property. "Residential addresses" include detached single family homes, condominiums, townhouse and apartment units, and mobile homes. Post office boxes do not qualify as residential addresses.
- Must purchase a new eligible clothes washer, refrigerator, room air conditioner, freezer, dishwasher, eligible water heater, or Heating Ventilating and Air Conditioning unit and replace an existing appliance of the same type. A list of eligible appliances is available at: www.cash4appliances.org/products/index.html
- For eligible clothes washers, refrigerators, and room air conditions, must make the purchase from a California retailer during the rebate offer period, which is from April 22, 2010, and ends on the date the program funds are exhausted or the Energy Commission issues a public notice closing the rebate offer period, whichever comes first.
- For all other eligible appliances, must make the purchase from a California retailer, dealer or licensed California contractor during the rebate offer period, which starts on July 29, 2010, and ends on the date the program funds are exhausted or the Energy Commission issues a public notice closing the rebate offer period, whichever comes first.
- Rebate applications must be postmarked within 120 days of the appliance purchase date.
- For appliances installed by licensed contractors and requiring an installation permit, such as Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning units, the purchase date of the appliance for purposes of program eligibility is the final installation date of the appliance as verified by the sign-off date on the building permit.
- Must recycle the replaced appliance with an eligible recycler. A list of eligible recyclers is available at: www.cash4appliances.org/consumers/recycle.html
- Must mail a completed rebate application to the address specified on the rebate application form within 120 days of the appliance purchase date. Applications must include all information requested on the rebate application form, including supporting documents. The purchaser must sign and date the application form.

2. Rebate Restrictions

- Rebates will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis, according to the order the completed rebate applications are received. Rebates will be processed until funds are depleted.
- Rebates are limited to one appliance of each category per valid California residential address. For example, an eligible applicant may apply for rebates for the purchase of a qualifying refrigerator, dishwasher and water heater, because each of these appliances are from different appliance categories. For HVAC systems, consumers can apply for both a cooling unit (air conditioning or heat pump systems) and heating unit (furnace or boiler) rebate.
- Out-of-state purchases are not eligible..
- Appliances may be reserved online, but must be purchased at a California retail location or through a licensed California contractor.
- The appliance must be installed at the residence listed on the rebate application form, prior to submittal of the rebate application.
- Rebates will not be awarded for appliances purchased before or after the rebate offer period.
- Rebate applications submitted before or after the rebate offer period will be rejected.

3. Verification of Installation

The purchaser must provide the State of California, the California Energy Commission, and/or their agents with access to the residence listed on the

rebate application form upon reasonable written notice, to verify installation of the appliance. The State may deny or seek the return of payment to a purchaser that refuses to provide the State, the California Energy Commission, and/or their agents with access to the residence to verify installation of the appliance.

4. Multiple Rebates

The purchaser may combine California Cash for Appliances rebates with other manufacturer, retailer, or utility company rebates. For room air conditioners, the actual amount of the rebate may be reduced in service territories where existing utility rebates are offered for the appliance, to ensure that the total amount of available rebates does not exceed the purchase price.

5. Purchaser Compliance Responsibilities

The purchaser is responsible for compliance with all requirements of state, county, or city governments, in addition to requirements of landlords or homeowners associations. Tenants are responsible for obtaining the property owner's permission to install the purchased appliance.

6. Endorsement

Neither the State of California, the California Energy Commission, nor their agents endorse any particular appliance, retailer, manufacturer, installer, contractor, hauler, or recycler that provides products or services related to the California Cash for Appliances Program.

7. Disclaimer of Warranty and Limitation of Liability

- The State of California, the California Energy Commission, and their agents make no warranties or representations of any kind, whether statutory, express, or implied, including warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose, regarding: (1) the appliance offered for sale or purchased; or (2) services provided by a retailer, installer, contractor, hauler, or recycler.
- The State of California and the California Energy Commission shall not be liable for any direct, indirect, special, consequential, or punitive damages arising from or relating to the appliance offered for sale or purchased or to the purchaser's participation in the California Cash for Appliances Program, including but not limited to damages arising from or relating to the manufacturing, advertising, display, sale, installation, hauling, or recycling of the appliance.
- The purchaser has sole responsibility for the selection, purchase, installation, and maintenance of the purchased appliance. Retailers, manufacturers, installers, contractors, haulers, and recyclers of the appliance offered for sale or purchased are not agents or representatives of the State of California or the California Energy Commission.

8. Lost or Destroyed Items

The State of California and the California Energy Commission are not responsible for any items relating to the California Cash for Appliances Program that are lost or destroyed in the mail.

9. ARRA-Funded Project

California Cash for Appliances rebates are funded through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), and are subject to special conditions governing ARRA-funded projects.

10. Purchaser's Certification

By signing the rebate application form, the purchaser certifies that the information provided on the rebate application form and in supporting documents is accurate, that the purchaser meets the eligibility requirements of the California Cash for Appliances Program, and that the purchaser has read, understood, and agrees to comply with these terms and conditions.

11. SEEARP Guidelines

These terms and conditions are based on the California Energy Commission's adopted State Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate Program Guidelines, which are available at:

www.energy.ca.gov/stimulus/documents/