

Switch 'n' Shrink rebate application



Terasen Gas Fuel Switching Program

Yes – I've switched to natural gas!

Please send me a rebate cheque for \$1,000. I have replaced my oil or propane furnace with an ENERGY STAR® natural gas furnace or boiler or condensing combination system used for both space and hot water heating, between January 1, 2010 and February 29, 2012. A copy of my invoice and other supporting documents are attached.

To avoid delay, please complete all fields. All of this information is required to process your rebate cheque.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal code: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Terasen Gas account number: _____

Service line project number (new customer): _____

Contractor's name: _____

Contractor's registration number: _____

New furnace/boiler brand name: _____

Model number: _____ AFUE rating %: _____

Furnace/boiler size in input BTUs: _____

Furnace/boiler size in output BTUs: _____

Does the new furnace have a variable speed or electronically commuted motor (ECM) and therefore, qualify for an additional \$50 rebate?

Yes No

Note: Terasen will be validating eligibility based on model number

Installation information

Furnace/boiler installation date: _____

Installation permit number: _____

Total installation cost: _____

Was central air conditioning present:

Before the new furnace/boiler was installed?

Yes No

After the new furnace/boiler was installed?

Yes No

Old equipment information

Furnace Boiler

Type of fuel: Propane Oil

Brand name: _____

Age (approx): _____ years

AFUE rating %: _____

Furnace/boiler size in input BTUs: _____

Furnace/boiler size in output BTUs: _____

Was your old furnace/boiler working and able to produce heat before you upgraded?

Yes No

Optional information

Yes, I'd like to receive information about special offers from Terasen Gas by e-mail.

Yes, I'd like to participate in Terasen Gas' future market research studies.

How did you hear about the Terasen Gas ENERGY STAR Fuel Switching offer?

Bill insert Radio Manufacturer/Gas Contractor
 Terasen Gas website Word of mouth

I agree that I have read and understood the Terms and conditions:

Applicant name (please print)

Applicant signature

Date (Yr/Mth/Day)

Send this completed application, and a copy of your new furnace/boiler invoice by March 30, 2012* to:

Switch 'n' Shrink
Terasen Gas Inc.
PO Box 9090
Surrey, B.C., V3T 5W4

* Date is subject to change upon 30 days prior notice and total number of credits available may be limited in Terasen Gas' discretion.

Switch 'n' Shrink terms and conditions



Terasen Gas Fuel Switching Program

Overview

If you convert your home from a residential oil or propane furnace/boiler to an ENERGY STAR® natural gas central heating system, you may qualify for a rebate of \$1,000 (the “Terasen Gas Rebate”), as part of our Fuel Switching Program (the “Program”).

In addition, we’ve teamed up with FortisBC and BC Hydro, and if your new high efficiency furnace contains an electronically commutated motor (“ECM”), you may qualify for an additional \$50 rebate (the “ECM Rebate”) as part of the Program.

Eligible homes

- The home where the natural gas central heating system is installed must be in the Terasen Gas Inc. or Terasen Gas (Vancouver Island) Inc. (collectively, “Terasen Gas”) service territories of the Lower Mainland, Fraser Valley, Squamish, Interior of BC, Vancouver Island and Sunshine Coast.
- Program is limited to existing and new residential customers of Terasen Gas, and is not available in Whistler.
- Program is not available for new construction.
- Only one Terasen Gas Rebate and one ECM Rebate per household per customer.

New customers

- New customers must apply for or receive a natural gas service line connection between January 1, 2010 and December 31, 2011 to be eligible for this program. Natural gas service must be activated before February 29, 2012.

Eligible natural gas central heating systems

To qualify, natural gas central heating systems must be:

- Installed between January 1, 2010 and February 29, 2012;
- ENERGY STAR rated natural gas central heating system, including forced-air furnaces rated 90% AFUE or higher, a boiler rated 85% AFUE or higher, or a condensing combination system used for both space and hot water heating;
- The primary heating source for the home;
- Installed by a BC Safety Authority registered gas contractor or a homeowner under the requirements of the Gas Safety Regulations; and
- Installed in accordance with the manufacturer’s specification and in compliance with all applicable laws, codes, standards and ordinances.

Program process

- To be eligible for the rebate(s), the participant must return a copy of the completed application form and a copy of the invoice and/or work order that contains the date of the Energy Star heating system installation and details of all work performed, including the make and model number of the qualifying natural gas central heating system, the gas contractor’s registration number and if applicable, a copy of the approval certificate and Certificate of Inspection from the BC Safety Authority.
- Applications must be signed by the applicant.

- Processing of applications may take a minimum of 90 days.
- Terasen Gas is not responsible for lost, delayed, misdirected, damaged, illegible or incomplete applications.
- Terasen Gas reserves the right to refuse applications which it determines, in its sole discretion, are incomplete, inaccurate or otherwise do not meet program requirements.
- Applications must be postmarked no later than March 31, 2012.
- Terasen Gas reserves the right to audit and evaluate any newly installed natural gas central heating systems at any reasonable time for verification of the purchase and installation prior to issuing a rebate. A rebate may not be paid if an inspection or evaluation is refused or upon discovery of any failure to comply with any requirement of the Program.

Rebates

Rebates will be issued by cheque in the amount of \$1000 for the Terasen Gas Rebate and \$50 for the ECM Rebate.

Representations and warranties

- Applicant acknowledges the Program eligibility criteria and warrants that it fully qualifies.
- Applicant warrants that all the information contained in the application and the information attached thereto is true and correct.

Additional terms and conditions

- Terasen Gas may amend, modify or terminate this program at any time based on funding limitations or for any other reason, without notice. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Terasen Gas may terminate the Terasen Gas Rebate and continue the ECM Rebate or vice versa, or terminate both the Terasen Gas Rebate and the ECM Rebate at any time.
- Applicant acknowledges that by taking part in this Program, his or her natural gas central heating system may use less natural gas and produce fewer emissions. Applicant agrees that Terasen Gas may record any resulting reductions in emissions along with those of participating customers and credit them to the Terasen Gas Greenhouse Gas Management Program.
- Terasen Gas makes no representation or warranty, whether express or implied, in respect of any natural gas central heating system, or the services or measures that a person has chosen and applied for a rebate for. Applicant agrees that Terasen Gas has no liability concerning any estimated energy savings of any natural gas central heating system, services or measures, and/or the installation, performance, use or fitness of the same for a person's purpose.
- Terasen Gas assumes no liability or responsibility for work completed under this the Program.
- The applicant is solely responsible for meeting all Program requirements and complying with any laws, regulations or by-laws regarding permits, codes, restrictions or inspections in relation to appliances, products or equipment installed.
- The Terasen Gas Rebate and ECM Rebate cannot be combined with any other Terasen Gas offer, unless otherwise specified.
- By applying to this Program, applicant agrees that Terasen Gas or one of its agents may contact applicant in the future to participate in a survey about this Program.
- The applicant is solely responsible for any tax liability imposed as a result of payment of a rebate(s) under the Program.
- Rebates cannot be assigned or transferred to another recipient.

