



DIRECT EXPANSION[®] AIR CONDITIONING REBATE APPLICATION

QUALIFICATIONS/GUIDELINES

1. Qualifying businesses must operate a minimum of 4 consecutive hours daily between 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. weekdays, May 1 through October 31.
2. All installations require permits as required by the City of Austin's Development, Review & Inspection Department at 974-2875. All work must be performed in accordance with all applicable national, state, local, and manufacturers' codes and standards.
3. All installations must comply with the City of Austin Ozone Depleting Chemicals Ordinance.
4. For split system installations, both the condensing unit and evaporator coil must be replaced.
5. Backup or redundant systems are not eligible for rebate.
6. New equipment must carry a minimum warranty of one year.
7. The removed a/c must not be re-used within the City of Austin's utility system. The method of disposal must be stated on the rebate application card.
8. Rebates will be based on the nominal tonnage of the new or replacement air conditioning system. To establish the nominal tonnage, the rated capacity will be rounded to the nearest 1/2 ton (6,000 BTUH).
9. A separate application will need to be submitted for each unique a/c unit. Multiple a/c units with the same model number and performance specification can be included on a single application accompanied with an itemized sheet showing the individual unit's serial numbers.
10. After the installation is completed, the rebate application must be submitted and received by Austin Energy within **2 weeks**. It must be accompanied with an invoice and manufacturer's rating information based upon ARI Standards.
11. After receiving and reviewing your application, an Austin Energy Representative will schedule an inspection to verify the installation and determine the rebate amount. The customer will then complete and sign a Rebate Check Request form which will be provided by the AE Representative.
12. The rebate payment for each energy project cannot exceed 50% of the total job cost, which includes equipment, installation, and tax less any salvage value.
13. Your rebate check will arrive 4 to 6 weeks from the date the installation passes the inspection.

The Austin Energy guidelines and rebate levels are subject to change at any time, without notice.


**Austin Energy
Commercial Rebate Program
721 Barton Springs Rd.,
Austin, TX 78704-1194
(512) 974-STAR
(512) 482-5455 (FAX)**

Table I
DX Units Rebate Schedule

Air Cooled Splits, Package Units and Heat Pumps
Single Phase, 3 Phase

	\$350/kW	\$350/kW	\$350/kW
EER (SEER*0.89) Code Minimum	Rebate 1 -11 tons Min: 8.9 EER	Rebate 11-60 tons Min: 8.5 EER	Rebate over 60 tons Min: 8.2 EER
8.5-9.0	None	None	\$29/ton
9.1 -9.5	None	\$36/ton	\$52/ton
9.6-10	\$37/ton	\$57/ton	\$73/ton
10.1 - 10.5	\$56/ton	\$76/ton	\$92/ton
10.6 - 11	\$73/ton	\$93/ton	\$109/ton
11.1-11.5	\$89/ton	\$109/ton	\$125/ton
11.6-12	\$103/ton	\$123/ton	\$139/ton
12.1-12.5	\$116/ton	\$136/ton	\$152/ton
12.5 - 13	\$128/ton	\$148/ton	\$165/ton
13+	\$145/ton	\$165/ton	\$181/ton

Rebates are based on \$350/kw

Electric Acct # of Installation Address			File #			Office Use Only			
Installation Address (Street, etc.)		Zip Code	Permit Number		Installation Date				
Social Security # or Tax ID #		Tax Type	Vendor's Name						
Customer/Business Name		Day Phone #	Vendor's Address			Zip Code			
Customer's Mailing Address (if different from above)			Vendor's Representative			Day Phone #			
City, State		Zip Code		 DX A/C Rebate Application The City of Austin Commercial Rebate Program Call 974-STAR If you have any questions or want information about other Commercial Rebate Programs.					
Check Box if unit is on roof <input type="checkbox"/>		Conditioned Space Square Footage							
Structure New <input type="checkbox"/> Existing <input type="checkbox"/>		Number of A/C units installed							
Type of HVAC		Brand	Condenser Model #		EER	Condenser Serial #			
<input type="checkbox"/> Package DX <input type="checkbox"/> Split System <input type="checkbox"/> Heat Pump									
Total HVAC Cost		Brand	Evaporator Coil Model #		BTUH	Incentive	AE Approval		
Type of Heating Electric <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/>									
Method of Disposal (if a replacement):									

Include invoice and a minimum one-year manufacturer's product warranty statement with this application.

I certify that the above listed a/c equipment was installed in accordance with the guidelines and requirements of the Commercial Rebate Program and that all documentation and enclosed invoice(s) are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Vendor/Contractor Signature

Date

ADDITIONAL CUSTOMER AGREEMENT CLAUSE

As a qualified Austin Energy customer, I understand that the rebate I am applying for will under no circumstances exceed 50% of the installed cost of the work as verified on the enclosed invoice(s). In order to receive the rebate, I also agree to the following conditions: 1. The rebate received by the Customer at the above referenced property is conditioned upon the Customer retaining Austin Energy as its provider of electricity at the above referenced property for a period of five (5) years following final inspection and approval. 2. If Customer ceases using Austin Energy as its provider of electricity within the aforesaid period, then a prorated portion shall become due and payable to Austin Energy. The amount to be refunded, will be decreased by 20% per annum for each of the 5 years of the refund period. 3. The Customer is responsible for keeping all rebated equipment in place and properly maintained in working order for this same time period. The Customer agrees to allow an Austin Energy Representative to inspect the referenced facility for compliance with this requirement for the duration of this agreement.

Customer Signature

Date