

FOR RESIDENTIAL ENERGY EFFICIENT HEATING SYSTEM UPGRADES











UIL HOLDINGS COMPANIES

Unsecured, *True Fixed Rate™*On-Bill Financing for
ENERGY STAR Heating Upgrades



0.00% APR, Low Monthly Payment On-Bill Financing to Help Connecticut Contractors Drive Sales of Energy Efficiency Home Heating Systems

- Boilers Natural Gas, Propane, Steam or Oil
- Furnaces Natural Gas, Propane or Oil
- Split System Heat Pumps
- Single Packaged Unit Heat Pumps
- Ductless Heat Pumps
- Geothermal Heat Pumps









A Great Financing Plan for Connecticut

- Supported by participating utilities in their service areas
- Administered by AFC First, a national energy efficiency lender and a leader in Connecticut energy lending
- Only for work performed by Approved Contractors









Current and Prospective Contractors

- All Contractors currently approved by AFC First are already eligible to offer the Energize CT Heating Loan
- Approved Contractors can also offer AFC's National EnergyLoan for other non-qualifying improvements
- Simple sign up for new contractors









AFC First – A National Leader in Home Energy Efficiency Lending and Programs

- Contractor-driven, energy related home improvement lending is our primary business. Founded in 1947, our complete focus since 1999 has been assisting high-quality contractors and motivated consumers to affordably install energy related home improvements
- AFC First was an early leader in the Fannie Mae Energy Loan program and one of its top three lenders in the U.S.
- National footprint with over 5,000 Approved Contractors, Manufacturer, Utility and State and Municipal Partners and Sponsors
- Administrators of CT Solar Lease, CT Cozy Home Loan and the original CT Energy Loan
- Creating new Green Energy Federal Credit Union for program expansion
- Nation's first non-utility private Home Performance with ENERGY STAR sponsor by US
 DOE
- Exclusive Originator/Servicer for national WHEEL program
- Selected as one of 18 national Power Saver pilot lenders by HUD and DOE















What is the Energize CT Heating Loan Program?

 Residential customers of Eversource Energy formerly known as Connecticut Light & Power (CL&P) or The United Illuminating Company (UI) may be eligible for a low-interest loan to purchase and install an energy efficient heating system.











What is the Energize CT Heating Loan Program?

- 0.00% APR financing For Residential Heating Equipment
 Upgrades or Conversions for applications received from
 October 1, 2014 through May 31, 2015
- Loans up to \$15,000
- Installments on the loan will be billed conveniently on the customer's monthly electric bill
- Low monthly payments on loan terms from 3 to 10 years which will result in a monthly payment equal to or less than the projected monthly energy savings
- Up to 90% of the heating system equipment and installation may be financed depending on projected energy savings – the greater the savings, the lower the down payment. (Required down payment may also be financed using off-bill financing including AFC First programs – credit standards apply)









Who is Eligible?

- Residential rate customers of participating utilities
- Must own the property
- Applicants must be current on their electric utility bill and have had either
 - no late payment charges over the most recent six (6) consecutive months or
 - no more than two (2) late payment charges over the last twelve (12) consecutive months
 - There are no other credit qualifications
 - Primary loan applicant must be primary on the utility bill
- The loan is repaid through the customer's electric bill. If the property is sold, the unpaid loan may be paid off in full or transferred to the new owner









What Improvements Qualify?

ENERGY STAR®-Rated and Other Qualifying Products:

Meets or exceeds specifications listed below as verified by 1)energystar.gov 2) AHRI certificate 3)Manufacturer product specification documentation

- Oil Boilers AFUE ≥ 85%
- Oil Furnaces AFUE ≥ 85%
- **Natural Gas or Propane Boiler** AFUE ≥ 85%
- **Natural Gas or Propane Furnace** AFUE ≥ 95%
- Natural Gas Steam Boiler AFUF > 82%
- Air Source Heat Pumps
 - SEER \geq 14.5, EER \geq 12, HSPF \geq 8.2 for Split Systems
 - SEER \geq 14, EER \geq 11, HSPF \geq 8.0 for Packaged Systems
- **Geothermal Heat Pumps**
 - Closed Loop Water to Air EER \geq 17.1, COP \geq 3.6
 - Closed Loop Water to Water EER \geq 16.1, COP \geq 3.1
 - Direct Expansion Refrigerant EER \geq 16, COP \geq 3.6
- AHRI Rated Ductless Heating and Cooling System of Matched Assembly*
 - SEER \geq 14.5, EER \geq 12, HSPF \geq 8.2
 - *Multi-zone indoor unit ductless systems with only 1 outdoor condenser unit are not subject to the 12 EER requirement
- AHRI Rated Ductless Cooling System of Matched Assembly
 - SEER \geq 14.5, HSPF \geq 8.2











Who Can Perform the Work?



Only AFC First Energize CT Heating Loan Approved Contractors may perform the work.

- Minimum 3 years in business, history of financial stability and evidence of \$50,000 net worth or compensating factors
- Satisfactory company and personal credit histories
- Satisfactory Better Business rating
- Satisfactory customer and trade references
- Overall reputation for a high level of service and workmanship









Marketing Tools for Contractors

- Simple Mobile and Web-Based tool to allow contractors to instantly quote customers monthly payment and down payment based on projected energy savings of proposed heating system
- Integrated custom loan on-line application with instant conditional approval (based on program guidelines and verification of utility bill payment history)
- Co-branded contractors marketing material
- No loan fees, charges or discounts to contractor!



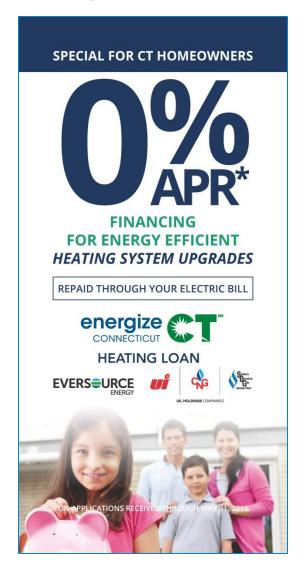








Marketing Tools for Contractors















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GETTING A LOAN APPLY ONLINE FIND A CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR TOOLS EVENTS

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0.00% APR Financing for Energy-Efficient Heating Systems

If you are a residential customer of Eversource or The United Illuminating Company (UI), you may be eligible for a low-interest loan to purchase and install an energy efficient heating system.

- 0.00% APR financing For Residential Heating Equipment Upgrades or Conversions for life of loan*
- Loans up to \$15,000
- Installments on your loan will be billed conveniently on your monthly electric bill





Financing By

AFC First Financial Corporation is a national leader in residential energy-efficiency and renewable lending programs through its EnergyLoan® program, in partnership with states, utilities, manufacturers and municipalities. A licensed Connecticut lender, AEC Eirot has appointed in providing approx











Consumer "Find a Contractor"



specific services they provide.

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Please note that many Contractors specialize in only a limited number of services. Please contact them directly to learn more about the





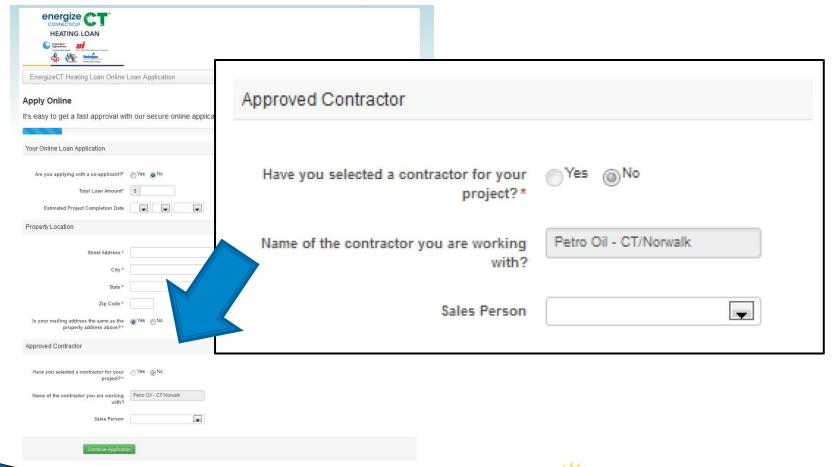








Custom Loan Application Link for Each Contractor from Your Website













Mobile and Web-based Contractor Tool to Instantly Calculate Monthly Payment and Required Down-Payment

- http://secure2.afcfirst.com/ctobf
- Monthly payment and down payment required (minimum 10%) will be based on the projected energy savings of the proposed heating system. Annual energy savings will be calculated in accordance with the Connecticut Program Savings Document (CPSD) 9th Edition for 2014 Program Year dated 11/08/2013 for the list of qualified measures.

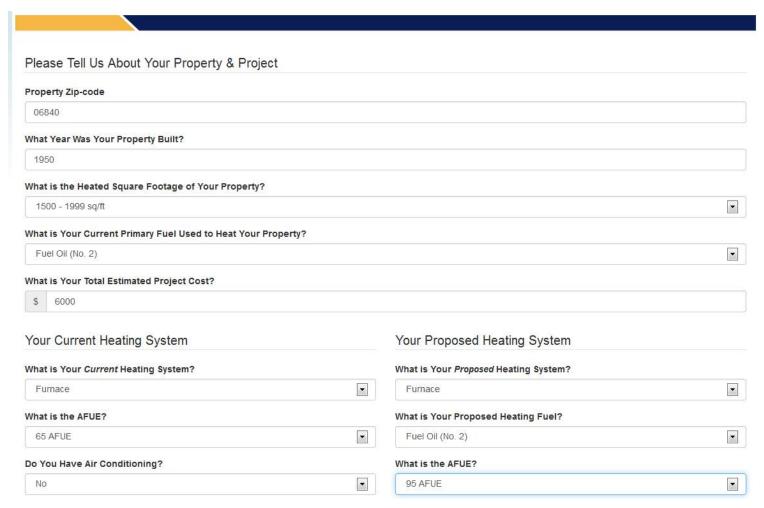








Simple Drop Down Inputs on Current and Proposed System





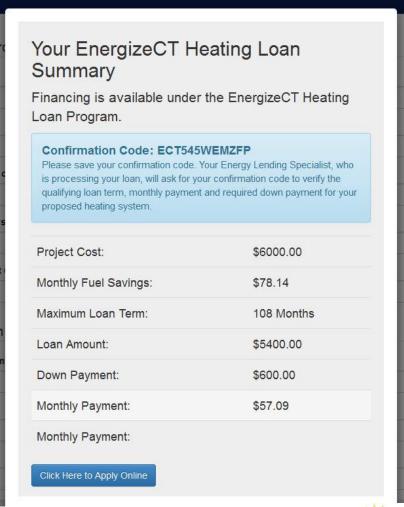








Instant Results to Validate Improvement, Show Monthly Payment and Required Down Payment













Sample Results

- A Great Option for Many But Not For Everyone or Every Case
- Some Projects May Not Qualify or Require a Very Large Down Payment (which may potentially be financed under other AFC programs subject to credit qualification)

	Good	Good	Marginal
House Age	1950	1950	1970
Square Footage	1750	2250	4000
Current System	65% Oil Furnace	65% Oil Furnace	70% Gas Boiler
Proposed System	95% Gas Furnace	95% Oil Furnace	95% Gas Boiler
Project Cost	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$8,000
Projected Monthly Fuel Savings	\$247	\$100	\$49
Calculated Loan Term	60	84	120
Monthly Payment	\$90	\$64	\$49
Required Down Payment	\$600	\$600	\$2083

Simple Consumer & **Contractor-Friendly Loan Process**

Customer contacts an AFC First Approved Energize CT Heating Loan Contractor to get an estimate for qualifying improvements.

Customer Gets Estimate

Mobile and Web-Based tool allows contractors to instantly quote customers monthly payment and down payment based on projected energy savings of proposed heating system or applications accepted by phone

Easy Customer Application

Instant conditional approval (based on program guidelines and verification of utility bill payment history) - Online or by phone

Fast Approval

Contractor sends us a copy of their estimate/proposal and Contractor Submission Sheet identifying final price and qualifying improvements.

Contractor Provides Job Info

Customer signs the simple one page loan note we will provide to them (or to the contractor for delivery to the customer).

Customer Signs Note

We pay the Contractor same day upon receipt of **Completion Certificate and verbal customer** confirmation that the work has been done to their satisfaction.

We Pay the Contractor















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