

**Tahoe Region  
Green Building Toolkit Resources**

| CATEGORY        | AREA                                | NAME                                                                                                         | CONTACT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | TYPE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | STATUS                                       | DESCRIPTION                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | MAIN QUALIFICATIONS                                                  |
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| Residential     | City of South Lake Tahoe (CSLT), CA | Green Building Program, CSLT                                                                                 | Contact the CSLT Dev. Services Department:<br>1052 Tata Lane<br>South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150<br>530-542-6020, madams@cityofslt.us<br>Building Certification Info: LEED:<br><a href="http://www.gbci.org/homepage.aspx">http://www.gbci.org/homepage.aspx</a><br>GreenPoint Rated: <a href="http://www.builditgreen.org/greenpoint-rated">http://www.builditgreen.org/greenpoint-rated</a><br>Energy Star: <a href="http://www.energystar.gov/index.cfm">http://www.energystar.gov/index.cfm</a> | Green<br>Priority plan check (Level 1) is granted to eligible projects implementing green measures; (Level 2) projects must obtain LEED, Energy Star, or GreenPoint Rated certification to receive <b>priority plan check; priority residential allocations;</b> and <b>project recognition.</b> | Current                                      | Basically, Level 1 - Priority Plan check review is offered to residential projects including new construction, additions, and remodels when they implement cost-effective green measures identified by CSLT. Examples of these measures include: installation of Energy Star rated appliances in kitchens and installation of low flow rate sink faucets (<1.5 gallons per minute). Level 2 - Priority Plan Check, Allocation, and Recognition was set up for residential development that obtains LEED, Energy Star, or GreenPoint Rated certification. These Level 2 Projects would receive priority plan check over all other projects; would have priority on the residential allocation waiting list (10% of residential allocations would be offered to these green developments before other projects on the waiting list); and would receive recognition at a televised City Council meeting and on the City Website. Please contact the CSLT Dev. Services Department for all inquiries regarding these incentives. | Various contact the CSLT Dev. Services Department for all inquiries. |
| Non-Residential | CSLT, CA                            | Green Building Program, South Lake Tahoe                                                                     | Contact the CSLT Dev. Services Department:<br><a href="http://www.cityofslt.us/Directory.aspx?did=21">http://www.cityofslt.us/Directory.aspx?did=21</a> ;<br>1052 Tata Lane<br>South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150<br>530-542-6020, madams@cityofslt.us                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Eligible commercial projects that obtain LEED or an Energy Star Label are eligible for <b>priority plan check; CFA allocation</b> from the CSLT's unallocated CFA Pool, and <b>project recognition.</b>                                                                                          | Current                                      | Basically, commercial projects meeting eligibility requirements including LEED, Energy Star, or GreenPoint Rated certification. These projects would receive priority plan check over all other projects; would be eligible for CFA allocation from the CSLT's unallocated CFA pool; and would receive recognition at a televised City Council meeting and on the City Website. Please contact the CSLT Dev. Services Department for all inquiries regarding these incentives.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Various contact the CSLT Dev. Services Department for all inquiries. |
| Residential     | CSLT and El Dorado County, CA       | Chimney Smoke RIP (Reduction and Incentive Program), El Dorado County Air Quality Management District (AQMD) | <a href="https://www.edcgov.us/Government/AirQualityManagement/Grants_and_Incentive_Refunds.aspx?terms=wood%20stove">https://www.edcgov.us/Government/AirQualityManagement/Grants_and_Incentive_Refunds.aspx?terms=wood%20stove</a><br>Adam Baughman, adam.baughman@edcgov.us, (530) 621-7501                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Rebate</b> for installation of a new qualified EPA certified heating appliance.                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Available until funding is depleted          | Rebates are offered for the removal of old wood burning device and replacement with a new EPA certified wood stove, fireplace insert, pellet stove, or new electric, natural gas or propane furnace or appliance. The home must be your primary residence in El Dorado County (includes City of South Lake Tahoe) and it must be at least one year old (newly constructed homes are ineligible). You must FIRST obtain Pre-Approval from AQMD for project eligibility. Please contact El Dorado AQMD for all inquiries.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Residential (primary residence, not newly constructed)               |
| Residential     | Placer County, CA                   | mPower Placer, located at the Placer County Tax Assessor                                                     | For more information: 530-889-4174,<br><a href="http://www.mpowerplacer.org/">http://www.mpowerplacer.org/</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Energy/water efficiency <b>financing support</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Current                                      | The program is referred to as MPOWER Placer (Money for Property Owner Water and Energy efficiency Retrofitting). MPOWER Placer finances energy efficiency improvements and energy generation systems such as solar photovoltaic to qualified, highly efficient HVAC systems, windows, etc. See <a href="http://www.mpowerplacer.org/">http://www.mpowerplacer.org/</a> for more information.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Placer County property owners.                                       |
| Residential     | Placer County, CA                   | Burn Bright Burn Right Wood Stove Replacement Program                                                        | Go to <a href="http://www.placer.ca.gov">www.placer.ca.gov</a> and click on the link for "Wood Burning Appliances & Info" for updates, notifications, and information on the Air District's Burn Bright Burn Right Wood Stove Replacement Program.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>Rebate</b> for installation of a new qualified EPA certified heating appliance.                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Future, expected to be launched in Fall 2014 | Placer's change-out program is not scheduled to open until fall of 2014. At that time applications will become available. Stoves purchased prior to receiving a voucher are ineligible for funding.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Residential (not newly constructed)                                  |
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| Residential     | All CA Jurisdictions                | Energy Upgrade California                                                                                    | <a href="https://energyupgradeca.org/overview">https://energyupgradeca.org/overview</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Energy efficiency <b>information</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Current                                      | Offers query tools for identifying resources such as green building contractors.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                      |
| Non-Residential | All CA Jurisdictions                | Commercial Rebate Program, Liberty Utilities                                                                 | Contact info: Lori Williams at 775-336-1300 ext 107 or email <a href="mailto:lwilliams@trisage.com">lwilliams@trisage.com</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Energy efficiency appliance <b>rebates</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Current                                      | Commercial customers large or small are eligible for rebates for almost any lasting electric energy saving upgrade that they make to their equipment or operation. Liberty offers prescriptive (fixed per unit rebates) rebates on a variety of upgrades including some lighting types, refrigeration equipment, pool pump controls, air handling units, kitchen equipment, etc. For all other upgrades saving electric energy, Liberty offers a rebate based on the calculated energy savings between the prior equipment/lighting and the upgraded equipment/lighting. Liberty does offer some limited technical assistance upon request. This program requires the customer pre-apply and provide project details in order to reserve a rebate; completed projects are verified.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                      |
| Residential     | All CA Jurisdictions                | Refrigerator Recycle Program, Liberty Utilities                                                              | Customers call the contractor to schedule at : 1-877-289-8260.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Energy efficiency refrigerator <b>rebates</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Current                                      | Liberty Utilities offers a \$35 rebate to customers who will recycle a working refrigerator and remove it from the grid. Liberty's contractor will schedule a pick-up of the unit and recycle all materials at a recycle center and mail the customer a \$35 check.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                      |

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| Residential     | All CA Jurisdictions | Lighting Program, Liberty Utilities                     | Interested customers can contact the customer service number for Liberty at 1-800-782-2506 and will be referred to Lori Williams if appropriate.           | Lighting installation                                                                                                                                                         | Current | Liberty distributes energy efficient lighting (mostly CFLs) through this program in a variety of ways. Bulbs are offered to customers at events, distribution days, at the office counters and to customers identified through audits. Larger distributions are done with customers in need of upgrading; for example, if a large apartment complex still has incandescent lamps installed, Liberty Utilities will supply the complex with CFLs and then return to verify their installation. Additionally, Liberty Utilities has distributed bulbs through employers and service organizations.                                                                                                                  |                                                             |
| Residential     | All CA Jurisdictions | Energy Savings Assistance Program, Liberty Utilities    | Customers call the installation contractor Project Go directly at 1-800-655-7705 to schedule a review of income and eligible home upgrades.                | Installation of weatherization measures, replaces qualified refrigerators, repairs furnaces, and provides a slate of other measures free of charge to the qualified customers | Current | This is a program for Income Qualified Residential Customers and is free of charge. The incentive is the installation of weatherization measures, replacement of qualified refrigerators, repair of furnaces, along with a slate of other measures. This program is open to home owners and renters and single family homes and apartments. This program is operated under strict policies adopted by the California Public Utilities Commission that differ by climate zone for measures available. Liberty partners with Southwest Gas to deliver this program in a cost effective manner.                                                                                                                      | Residential (Low-Income)                                    |
| Residential     | All CA Jurisdictions | Residential Energy Efficiency Audits, Liberty Utilities | Customers may request an audit by calling the customer service number for Liberty at 1-800-782-2506 or customers can sign up at a variety of local events. | Energy efficiency audits, installation of energy efficiency improvements such as water heater wraps, weather stripping, low flow shower heads, hot water pipe insulation      | Current | Liberty's auditor will schedule with the customer and visit the residence or business free of charge; the program is open to owners and renters. The auditor will review a multitude of factors including evaluating insulation, windows, weather stripping, lighting, appliances, and other uses of energy at the home or business. The auditor will discuss with the customer areas where the customer can make improvements that will save energy and ultimately save money on electric bills. The auditor will install/offer free energy saving measures including lights of various types, water heater wraps, weather stripping, low flow shower heads, hot water pipe insulation and other minor measures. |                                                             |
| Non-Residential | All CA Jurisdictions | Refrigerator Recycle Program, Liberty Utilities         | Customers call the contractor to schedule at : 1-877-289-8260.                                                                                             | Energy efficiency refrigerator rebates                                                                                                                                        | Current | Liberty Utilities offers a \$35 rebate to customers who will recycle a working refrigerator and remove it from the grid. Liberty's contractor will schedule a pick-up of the unit and recycle all materials at a recycle center and mail the customer a \$35 check.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Only available for standard sized refrigerators or freezers |
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| Public          | All CA Jurisdictions | Public Schools Program, Liberty Utilities               | Contact info: Lori Williams at 775-336-1300 ext 107 or email lwilliams@trisage.com.                                                                        | Energy efficiency appliance rebates                                                                                                                                           | Current | This program offers the same rebates as the Commercial Rebate Program; however, Liberty has a contractor focused on assisting schools with project development and technical expertise. Liberty offers prescriptive (fixed per unit rebates) rebates on a variety of upgrades including some lighting types, refrigeration equipment, pool pump controls, air handling units, kitchen equipment, etc. For all other upgrades saving electric energy, Liberty offers a rebate based on the calculated energy savings between the prior equipment/lighting and the upgraded equipment/lighting.                                                                                                                     |                                                             |
| Residential     | Douglas County, NV   | Renewable Energy Incentives, Douglas County             | For more information contact Lani Collins, 775-782-6224, lcollins@co.douglas.nv.us                                                                         | Permitting rebates for renewable energy systems                                                                                                                               | Current | Douglas County offers a 50% discount on all building related fees for the inclusion of renewable energy systems (such as wind, solar, geothermal, and photovoltaic systems) in development projects.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                             |
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| Residential     | Douglas County and Carson City, NV                 | Low Income Weatherization Assistance Program, Nevada Rural Housing Authority, Carson City                         | <a href="http://www.nvrural.org/energy-efficiency/weatherization-services">http://www.nvrural.org/energy-efficiency/weatherization-services</a> and Nevada Rural Housing Authority, 3695 Desatoya Drive<br>Carson City, NV 89701; Phone: (775) 887-1795, ext. 124; <a href="mailto:weatherize@nvrural.org">weatherize@nvrural.org</a>                               | Installation of energy efficiency home improvements                                                                                                        | Current                              | Provides income-eligible residents (below either 150% or 200% of poverty line) with energy conservation measures and assistance free of charge. In Carson and Douglas County, the program is administered by Nevada Rural Housing Authority. Assistance is provided for those living in single-family homes, multi-family units and mobile homes. Following is a list of typical services provided through Nevada Rural Housing Authority Weatherization Assistance: Attic, floor and duct insulation, Duct leakage sealing, Window replacement, Water heater and water pipe insulation, Furnace replacement, Refrigerator replacement, Installation of low flow shower head, and Carbon monoxide alarm installation. Contact Nevada Rural Housing Authority for more information. | Residential (Low-Income)                                             |
| Residential     | Douglas County, Carson City, and Washoe County, NV | Wood Stove Change-Out Program, Bureau of Air Quality Planning, Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) | Program Administered by John Handzo of the Business Environmental Program (BEP) with any questions or concerns: (775) 834-3674, <a href="mailto:jhandzo@unr.edu">jhandzo@unr.edu</a> ; <a href="http://www.unrbep.org/wood-stoves/">http://www.unrbep.org/wood-stoves/</a>                                                                                          | Rebate for installation of a new EPA Phase II certified wood stove, fireplace insert, or pellet stove.                                                     | Available until funding is depleted. | In partnership with the the Business Environmental Program at the University of Nevada Reno (BEP, UNR), NDEP is implementing a program that offers rebates for the replacement of a non-EPA certified wood stove with a EPA certified wood stove, or pellet stove, or gas appliance. Rebate amounts vary. Please contact BEP to find out if you are eligible prior to any removal or installation.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                      |
| Residential     | Washoe County, NV                                  | Low Income Weatherization Assistance Program, Community Services Agency, Reno, NV                                 | <a href="http://www.csareno.org/programs/?Energy%20Efficiency%20Weatherization">http://www.csareno.org/programs/?Energy%20Efficiency%20Weatherization</a> and (775) 786-6023; the main NV page: <a href="http://www.nvhousing.state.nv.us/weatherization/weatherization%20index.htm">http://www.nvhousing.state.nv.us/weatherization/weatherization%20index.htm</a> | Installation of a variety of energy conservation measures designed to reduce energy usage in a household and/or appliance installation                     | Current                              | Provides income-eligible residents (below either 150% or 200% of poverty line) with energy conservation measures and assistance free of charge. In Washoe County, the program is administered by Community Services Agency.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Residential (Low-Income)                                             |
| Residential     | All NV Jurisdictions                               | Green Building (LEED) Tax Abatements, Nevada Governor's Office of Energy                                          | For more information: contact the Energy Program staff, Kevin Hill or Kevin Johnson at 775-687-1850, <a href="http://energy.nv.gov/Programs/Green_Building_(LEED)_Tax_Abatements/">http://energy.nv.gov/Programs/Green_Building_(LEED)_Tax_Abatements/</a>                                                                                                          | Green building tax rebates                                                                                                                                 | Current                              | Grants partial property tax abatement from 25% to 35% for non-residential and multi-family residential new construction or existing building retrofits that are certified USGBC LEED Silver, Gold or Platinum. The level of tax abatement depends on the certification level and number of Energy Conservation points earned in certification. Retrofits can gain up to 5 years of tax abatements and new construction can gain up to 10 years of tax abatements.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Residential (Multi-family, greater than 4 housing units)             |
| Non-Residential | All NV Jurisdictions                               | Green Building (LEED) Tax Abatements, Nevada Governor's Office of Energy                                          | For more information: contact the Energy Program staff, Kevin Hill or Kevin Johnson at 775-687-1850, <a href="http://energy.nv.gov/Programs/Green_Building_(LEED)_Tax_Abatements/">http://energy.nv.gov/Programs/Green_Building_(LEED)_Tax_Abatements/</a>                                                                                                          | Green building tax rebates                                                                                                                                 | Current                              | Grants partial property tax abatement from 25% to 35% for non-residential and multi-family residential new construction or existing building retrofits that are certified USGBC LEED Silver, Gold or Platinum. The level of tax abatement depends on the certification level and number of Energy Conservation points earned in certification. Retrofits can gain up to 5 years of tax abatements and new construction can gain up to 10 years of tax abatements.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                      |
| Residential     | All NV Jurisdictions                               | Energy Fit Nevada                                                                                                 | <a href="http://www.energyfitnevada.org/">http://www.energyfitnevada.org/</a> ; Northern Nevada: 775-230-7133, <a href="mailto:info@homefreenv.org">info@homefreenv.org</a>                                                                                                                                                                                         | Provides resource info for homeowners, discounted energy efficiency audit, & rebate for qualified home-owners who achieve at least a 20% energy reduction. | Current                              | Provides rebates, incentives and low interest financing to homeowners and contractors for energy audits and retrofits including a discounted \$199 EnergyFit Assessment. (Energy Audit). A rebate of \$2000 is offered for a 20% energy reduction or greater, which is calculated using the energy modeling software. This is an instant rebate that is listed on the signed invoice with the contractor, so you do not have to wait for reimbursement. EnergyFit Nevada's purpose was to offer homeowner's ways to reduce their energy usage and live in more comfortable homes.                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                      |
| Public          | All NV Jurisdictions                               | Public Facilities Retrofit Grant, Nevada Governor's Office of Energy                                              | <a href="http://energy.nv.gov/Programs/Public_Facilities_Retrofit_Grant/">http://energy.nv.gov/Programs/Public_Facilities_Retrofit_Grant/</a> Sue Stephens, Energy Program Manager, 775-687-1850 ext. 7325 <a href="mailto:sstephens@energy.nv.gov">sstephens@energy.nv.gov</a>                                                                                     | Grant funding for energy efficiency planning/financial assessment                                                                                          | Current                              | Free technical assistance to local governments for help with determining if Energy Saving Performance Contracting (ESPC) is a worthwhile pursuit and help with contracting.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                      |
| Residential     | All of the US                                      | Residential Energy Star Tax Credits, Federal Government                                                           | <a href="http://www.energystar.gov/index.cfm?c=tax_credits.tx_index">http://www.energystar.gov/index.cfm?c=tax_credits.tx_index</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Federal Tax rebates for Geothermal heat pumps, small wind turbines (residential), and solar energy systems                                                 | Current, expires Dec. 31, 2016       | A federal tax rebate for 30% of the cost for geothermal heat pumps, small wind turbines (residential), and solar energy systems is available for existing homes and new construction (not rentals).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Both principal residences and second homes qualify.                  |
| Non-Residential | All of the US                                      | Commercial Energy Efficiency Incentives, Federal Government                                                       | <a href="http://energytaxincentives.org/uploaded_files/commercialflyer.pdf">http://energytaxincentives.org/uploaded_files/commercialflyer.pdf</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Federal Tax rebates                                                                                                                                        | Current, expires Dec. 31, 2016       | Business owners are eligible for a variety of federal tax incentives for improving building energy efficiency, implementing combined heat and power (CHP) systems, purchasing hybrid gasoline-electric vehicles, and installing onsite renewable generation, fuel cells, and microturbines. Owners of CHP systems smaller than 50 MW may take advantage of a 10% investment tax credit for CHP property, applicable to only the first 15 MW of CHP property. For more information on combined heat and power, see <a href="http://www.aceee.org/chp">www.aceee.org/chp</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Various see <a href="http://www.aceee.org/chp">www.aceee.org/chp</a> |