

Residential Energy Efficiency Potential

Cost-effective package savings potential in Arkansas single-family homes



534.3 million

dollars per year utility bill savings



11.1 trillion

Btu per year gas, propane, and fuel oil



3.8 billion

kWh per year electricity savings



716,959

cars of pollution reduction

Average Annual Savings



Energy used by Arkansas singlefamily homes that can be saved through costeffective improvements



Arkansas jobs in energy efficiency (2016)¹

Arkansas Top 10 Improvements

Arkansas Utility Bill Savings (electricity, gas, propane, and fuel oil)

Statewide Annual Consumer Savings per Household Millions * Pays back in less than 5 years for most households \$50 \$100 \$150 \$200 High-efficiency heat pump (replace electric furnace at \$855 **HVAC** wear out) Drill-and-fill wall cavity \$288 **Enclosure** insulation High-efficiency heat pump (replace propane furnace at \$1,157 **HVAC** wear out) Smart thermostat \$90 **HVAC** Insulate attic to R-38/49/60 \$143 **Enclosure** Duct sealing & insulating \$90 **HVAC** LED lighting (replace \$88 Lighting incandescents) R-10 crawlspace walls \$166 **Enclosure** Air sealing \$66 **Enclosure** Low-E storm windows (DIY \$110 **Enclosure** install)

¹U.S. Department of Energy. January 2017. U.S. Energy and Employment Report

Economic potential savings estimates were produced using **ResStock**, a highly granular model of the U.S. single-family housing stock. Visit http://www.nrel.gov/buildings/resstock.html for more information. Economic potential is based on improvements with positive net present value for building owners, assuming full turnover of the stock of equipment and appliances over a 30 year period.

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