

**Congratulations** on your decision to buy an ENERGY STAR® qualified dehumidifier. It's good for you, your family, and the environment. Thank you!

## Did You Know?

The typical U.S. household spends nearly \$2,000 a year on energy bills and contributes twice the amount of greenhouse gases to the environment as an average car. By purchasing ENERGY STAR qualified products for your home, you can help save energy, save money, and help protect the environment.

For every product that is purchased there are two price tags: the price you pay at the time of purchase and the price you pay on energy bills to operate the product over time. An ENERGY STAR qualified product may cost more up front, but in the long run, it's a great investment!

### Features and benefits of ENERGY STAR qualified appliances include:

**Clothes washers** - Can save LIPA customers more than \$1,600 in energy and water costs over its lifetime compared to a conventional model. ENERGY STAR qualified clothes washers are better for the environment, because reduced energy and water use means less air pollution from power plants and less water going to waste.

**Dishwashers** - Can save LIPA customers an estimated \$300 in utility bills over its lifetime compared to a conventional model. ENERGY STAR qualified dishwashers use at least 41% less energy and use much less water than conventional models. Saving water helps protect our nation's water supplies.

**Refrigerators** - Standard size models use 40% less energy than conventional models sold in 2001 and at least 20% less energy than new conventional models. ENERGY STAR qualified refrigerators have high efficiency compressors, improved insulation, and more precise temperature and defrost mechanisms than conventional models.

**Freezers** - Use at least 10% less energy than conventional models and are available in both upright and chest freezer styles.

**Compact refrigerators and freezers** - (less than 7.75 cubic feet) Use at least 20% less energy than conventional models.

**Room air conditioners** – Are 10-36% more efficient than conventional models. LIPA customers can save nearly \$180 in energy costs over the life of the unit.

# Mail-in Rebate

## ENERGY STAR® Qualified Dehumidifiers



An energy efficiency program brought to you by:



[www.lipower.org/efficiency](http://www.lipower.org/efficiency)

**ENERGY STAR**® qualified dehumidifiers save energy, save money, and help protect the environment.

Dehumidifiers remove excess moisture from the air, helping to reduce allergy symptoms, musty odors, and condensation. ENERGY STAR qualified dehumidifiers have more efficient refrigeration coils, compressors, and fans than conventional models, and they meet or exceed requirements for energy efficiency.

For a limited time only, LIPA is offering residential customers \$10 back on the purchase of an ENERGY STAR qualified dehumidifier.

ENERGY STAR qualified dehumidifiers remove the same amount of moisture from the air as a conventional model but use 10-20% less energy. For a 40 pint unit, this can add up to savings of \$40 per year, or \$480 over the life of the unit!

### How to Choose a Properly Sized Dehumidifier

Room Condition Without Dehumidifier	Size of Room (Square Feet)				
	500	1,000	1,500	2,000	2,500
	Dehumidification Required (pints per 24 hrs)				
Moderately Damp	10	14	18	22	26
Very Damp	12	17	22	27	32
Wet	14	20	26	32	38
Extremely Wet	16	23	30	37	44

Source: Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM)

If the space being dehumidified has temperatures that typically fall below 65 degrees, you may want to consider buying a product that is specified for use at lower temperatures. Some ENERGY STAR qualified models are rated for use at temperatures as low as 42 degrees.

Join the national effort to help use energy wisely. Buy appliances that have earned the ENERGY STAR. Only products delivering the highest level of energy efficiency are awarded the ENERGY STAR from the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Department of Energy.



### Just Look for the ENERGY STAR

For a complete list of dealers call 1-877-654-5472 or visit [www.lipower.org/efficiency](http://www.lipower.org/efficiency)

## The ENERGY STAR \$10 Mail-in Rebate

Get \$10 back from LIPA on your purchase of an eligible ENERGY STAR qualified dehumidifier. This rebate is good for purchases made January 1, 2009 through December 31, 2009. Limit 2 rebates per LIPA residential electric customer. To receive your rebate, please fill out this form completely and mail it to the address below. **Please include a copy of your dated sales receipt and/or invoice showing the manufacturer, model number, and price of the ENERGY STAR qualified dehumidifier purchased, and a copy of your recent electric bill.** Incomplete information will delay or disqualify your rebate. All rebate requests must be postmarked no later than January 31, 2010.

### Mail to: EFI - LIPA Dehumidifier Rebate

40 Washington Street, Suite 2000  
Westborough, MA 01581-1013

**Please fill out completely. All information below is required.**

Your LIPA Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Account/Installation Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, I wish to receive email about energy-related products and services.

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I have the following appliance(s) in my home:

APPLIANCE:

APPLIANCE TYPE:

- |   |                                   |                                      |                                |                                |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Heater   | <input type="checkbox"/> Electric | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas | <input type="checkbox"/> Oil   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clothes Washer | <input type="checkbox"/> Electric | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |                                |

House type (check all that apply):

- |  |  |                                       |
|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single Family     | <input type="checkbox"/> Condo/Townhouse | <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-family |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Own               | <input type="checkbox"/> Rent            | # of units _____                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Primary Residence | <input type="checkbox"/> Vacation Home   |                                       |

Mfr. and Model #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of store: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Purchase Price: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Purchase Date: \_\_\_\_\_