



Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative

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RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS – SECTION 1

**STANDARD RATE - RDS – Rural Delivery Service – (continued)**

**DSM-13  
Residential Weatherization A La Carte Program**

**Purpose:**

This program promotes increased implementation of weatherization improvements among Rural Customers by paying a Member directly an incentive for the benefit of an eligible Rural Customer who undertakes and completes residential weatherization improvements in accordance with this program. [T]

**Availability:**

This DSM program's rates, terms and conditions are available to a Member for its Rural Customers, subject to the limitations and eligibility requirements of this program, and to the rules and regulations of this tariff and the Member's corresponding tariff. [T]

**Eligibility:**

An eligible Rural Customer is a Member's Rural Customer who undertakes and completes weatherization improvements in accordance with this program at the Rural Customer's home located in the Member's service area. Program eligibility is based on the home and not the number of HVAC systems per home.

**Member Incentives:**

Big Rivers' or the Member's total reimbursement shall not exceed the amounts outlined below in Terms and Conditions. Big Rivers will also reimburse a Member's reasonable costs of promoting this program. [T]

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**STANDARD RATE - RDS – Rural Delivery Service – (continued)**

**DSM-13 (continued)**

**Residential Weatherization A La Carte Program**

**Terms & Conditions:**

1. The eligible Rural Customer will contract with a qualified third party Contractor that performs weatherization projects, including duct sealing. Once the Contractor has determined that a Retail Customer's home is eligible for duct sealing as outlined in Item 2 below, residential weatherization may proceed. Any Retail Customer-selected Contractor's work and documentation must meet the standards of the Commonwealth of Kentucky's Department of Housing, Building, and Construction ("KDHBC"). Failure to meet KDHBC work and documentation standards may void any Big Rivers or Member reimbursements outlined below. [T]
2. The Contractor will determine if the Rural Customers' home is eligible for duct sealing. Homes with a construction completion date within twenty-four months of the date of the site visit are not eligible for duct sealing. Homes eligible for duct sealing are those where 60% of the duct work is located outside conditioned spaces, i.e., duct work located in attic, crawl space, or unfinished basement. Duct sealing reimbursement for homes is based on the following schedule: [T]

Home Heating Source	Paid by Big Rivers or Member
Electric	Up to \$500
Gas	Up to \$250

The Rural Customer is responsible for all payments to the Contractor. Big Rivers' reimbursement to the Member and the Member's reimbursement to the Rural Customer are limited as stated above. [T]

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STANDARD RATE - RDS – Rural Delivery Service – (continued)

DSM-13 (continued)

Residential Weatherization A La Carte Program

Terms & Conditions (continued):

- 3. Additional weatherization incentives are available under this program. Big Rivers will reimburse the Member for these measures based on the following schedule:

Table with 3 columns: Additional Weatherization Measure, Electric-Heated Homes, Gas-Heated Homes. Rows include Attic Insulation, Floor/Crawl Space Insulation, and Smart/Programmable Thermostat.

The Rural Customer will be responsible for contracting the service and submitting documentation to the Member Cooperative. The Rural Customer is responsible for all payments to the Contractor. Big Rivers' reimbursement to the Member and the Member's reimbursement to the Rural Customer are limited as stated above.

- 4. To qualify for the additional weatherization incentives under this program, the Rural Member must submit to the Member Cooperative or Big Rivers documentation supporting the purchase and installation of additional weatherization measures. (a) Attic insulation must achieve an additional insulating value of R19 and achieve a total insulation value of R38. (b) Floor insulation must achieve an additional insulating value of R11. 5. Big Rivers and the Member will complete all reimbursements upon completion of any of the above weatherization measures and submission of an application and required documentation. 6. The Member will promote this program.

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**STANDARD RATE - RDS – Rural Delivery Service – (continued)**

**DSM-13 (continued)**

**Residential Weatherization A La Carte Program**

**Evaluation, Measurement and Verification:**

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Big Rivers will initiate a process of evaluation, measurement and verification for the program. The process will ensure the quality and effectiveness of the program and optimal use of resources.



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