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March 2, 2019

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INTER-COUNTY ENERGY KENTUCKY PUBLIC
(Name of Utility) **SERVICE COMMISSION**

CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE

Demand Side Management (DSM)

TOUCHSTONE ENERGY HOME PROGRAM

Purpose

In an effort to improve new residential home energy performance, Inter-County Energy Cooperative has designed the Touchstone Energy Home Program. This program provides guidance during the building process to guarantee a home that is \geq 25-30% more efficient than the Kentucky standard built home. The standard built new home in rural Kentucky typically receives a 105 on the Home Energy Rating System (“HERS”) Index.

Availability

This program is available to home owners or members served by Inter-County Energy Cooperative.

Eligibility

To qualify as a Touchstone Energy Home under Inter-County Energy Cooperative’s program, the participating single-family home must be located in the service territory of Inter-County Energy Cooperative and must meet the program guidelines following one of the two available paths of approval. Multi-family dwellings pre-approved by East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. may be eligible.

Prescriptive Path:

- Home must meet each efficiency value as prescribed by Inter-County Energy Cooperative.
- Home must receive pre-drywall inspection and complete Inter-County Energy Cooperative’s pre-drywall checklist (contact the Energy Advisor at Inter-County Energy Cooperative for a copy of the checklist).
- Home must receive a final inspection, pass a whole house air leakage test and duct leakage test.
- Primary source of heat must be an Air Source Heat Pump \geq current ENERGY STAR® specification for Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ration “SEER” and Heating Season Performance Factor “HSPF” or Geothermal.

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- Water heater must be an electric storage tank water heater that is \geq current Energy and Water conservation standards established by the Federal Department of Energy "DOE".

Performance Path:

- Home must receive a HERS Index score of ≤ 75 (At least 30% more efficient than the KY standard built home).
- Home must receive pre-drywall inspection and complete Inter-County Energy Cooperative's pre-drywall checklist. (Contact the Energy Advisor at Inter-County Energy Cooperative for a copy of the checklist).
- Home must receive a final inspection, pass a whole house air leakage test, and duct leakage test.
- Primary source of heat must be an Air Source Heat Pump $>$ current Energy and Water conservation standard established by the Federal DOE or Geothermal.
- Home must pass current energy code requirements established in the KY Residential Code.
- Water Heater must be an electric storage tank water heater that is \geq current Energy and Water conservation standard established by the Federal DOE.

Incentive - Inter-County Energy Cooperative will provide an incentive of \$750 to home owner or member that build their new home to meet the requirements of either the Prescriptive or Performance Paths as listed above.

Term

The program is an ongoing program.

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