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WAYS TO SAVE

NHEC can help you reach your energy goals with financial incentives and expertise that make the most of your energy budget. Browse our programs, then click or call to learn more:

Web: www.nhec.com/save-energy

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ENERGY STAR® Homes New Construction Incentives up to \$4,000

Home Performance with ENERGY STAR® 75% of installed costs up to \$6,000; 0% on-bill financing up to \$4,000

Loans up to \$15,000 @ 2% interest

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INCENTIVES ON ENERGY STAR CERTIFIED MODELS UP TO:

Room Air Purifier.....	\$40
Washers.....	\$50
Dryers.....	\$200
Heat Pump Water Heater.....	\$750
Refrigerator.....	\$50
Heat Pumps.....	\$500-\$1,000 per ton
Pool Pumps.....	\$500
Sense Home Energy Monitor.....	\$150
Room Air Conditioners.....	\$20
Dehumidifiers.....	\$25
Refrigerator & Freezer Recycling.....	\$50

2023 NHEC Annual Meeting Is June 7

Join Us Online or In-person

The 2023 Annual Meeting of Members will be held on **Wednesday, June 7 at 10 a.m.**, at the **Merrill Place Conference Center** on the campus of **Plymouth State University**.

As a member-owner of NHEC, Annual Meeting is your opportunity to communicate directly with the cooperative's board and management. Learn more about NHEC's financial performance in 2022, catch up on the progress of NH Broadband and hear what's in store for 2023 and beyond.

Can't make it to Plymouth on June 7? Just join the meeting live online!

REGISTER HERE TO ATTEND ONLINE OR IN-PERSON:

www.nhec.com/2023-annual-meeting

We look forward to seeing you!

2023 Annual Meeting

WHEN: Wednesday, June 7, 2023 at 10 a.m.
(Registration opens 9:30 a.m.)

**WHERE: Merrill Place Conference Center, Plymouth State University
14 Merrill Street, Plymouth, NH**

REGISTER TO ATTEND:
nhec.com/2023-annual-meeting



Check April Bills for Your Capital Credit Allocation

As a member of New Hampshire Electric Cooperative, you're also a part-owner of the company. Instead of generating profits for investors, NHEC is nonprofit and reinvests any excess revenue after expenses back into the cooperative and its members. Your ownership or "equity" in NHEC is represented by **Capital Credits**.

Capital Credits are **ALLOCATED** annually to each member based on their individual usage. You can see your Capital Credit allocation for 2022 on your April 2023 bill. NHEC keeps track of each member's allocation every year, and when the Co-op's finances allow it, portions of those capital credits will be **RETIRED** and returned to members as a direct payment or bill credit. Last year NHEC returned more than \$4 million in equity to members!

Each year, the NHEC Board of Directors will review the Co-op's finances and vote to continue returning capital credits if it can be done without causing financial harm to the business. Check our website for updates on capital credit payments in 2023 and learn more about capital credits at:

www.nhec.com/capital-credits

Four Seats Up for Election on NHEC Board

NHEC members will vote in May to fill four seats on the NHEC Board of Directors. Members will have the opportunity to vote by mail, or securely online. In a member-owned cooperative, you can make your voice heard. We hope you'll take advantage of your opportunity by casting your ballot. Look for your ballot in early May! Learn more: www.nhec.com/board-of-directors.

PLEASE NOTE...

As of April 1, 2023, NHEC is no longer accepting cash payments in the field. Payments may still be made by:

- Personal Check (for members with good credit)
- Phone: 1-800-698-2007
- Web: www.nhec.com
- SmartHub app for mobile or PC
- Western Union
- Money Order

Fiber-fast Internet Is Coming to Grafton County!

NH Broadband is counting down to the launch of fiber-to-the-home internet service for the first NHEC members in Grafton County! The first connections this spring will bring up to 2-Gig internet to members in parts of Plymouth, Holderness, Hebron, Rumney and Campton. Sign up now and select your service package! There are two ways to sign-up:

1. Visit www.NHBroadband.com and click the "check availability" button.
2. Call 866-431-1928 to place your order with an NH Broadband customer service rep.

Board of Directors Meetings

The NHEC Board of Directors regularly meets on the last Tuesday of each month. Please check the Board of Directors page on the NHEC web site at www.nhec.com, or call Sharon Yeaton at (603) 536-8801 to confirm the current month's time and location.

WORK WITH US

YOU PLAY A ROLE IN WORK ZONE SAFETY

When they're out restoring power on the roads of New Hampshire, the last thing our line crews should be worried about are distracted drivers. April 17-21 is National Work Zone Awareness Week - the perfect time to remind all motorists to SLOW DOWN in utility and road work zones.

We'll be doing our best to stay visible out there with lights, cones, traffic control and hi-vis clothing. You can do your part by using extra caution when you see work ahead.

THANK YOU!



PLANNING TO DIG?



CALL DIG SAFE® AND KNOW WHAT'S BELOW!

If you're planning a spring project that involves digging anywhere near utility lines, call Dig Safe at 811 before you dig!

Dig Safe is a call center that notifies participating member companies, like NHEC, which come to your property and mark buried utility lines.

For over 31 years, the Governors of Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont have proclaimed April as Safe Digging Month to help make Dig Safe a household name, and to remind residents to call 811 before any dig project.

Remember, always call 811 BEFORE you dig. It's FREE and it's the LAW!

CO-OP IN THE COMMUNITY

Check out these upcoming community events sponsored by the NHEC Foundation...



SAVE THE DATE!

Upcoming mobile food pantry

Thursday, April 27th from 12:00-2:00

(While supplies last)

**The Polar Caves parking lot
705 Rumney Rte. 25 in Rumney**

Funded by a NHEC Foundation grant, the NH Food Bank will bring truckloads of food to distribute to families and individuals.

This event is open to all. No proof of residency or income needed. This is a drive thru event. All items will be distributed to you in your vehicles.



FREE Smoke Alarm Installations

SMOKE ALARMS SAVE LIVES!

Working smoke alarms can cut the risk of death from home fires in half. That's why The American Red Cross is partnering with the Plymouth Fire Department and NH Electric Co-op.

Volunteers will install FREE smoke alarms in your community. This event is made possible thanks to a grant from the NHEC Foundation. Request a smoke alarm today!



**Plymouth, New Hampshire
Saturday, May 6, 2023**

**We will also be in the
following communities:
Ashland - Rumney - Campton**

**MAKE YOUR APPOINTMENT
TODAY!**

**For more information:
redcross.org/EndHomeFiresNNE**

For member service, please call **800.698.2007**
(8-5, M-F) or email **solutions@nhec.com**

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