



Rebuilding Incentives for Fire Victims

For more than 140 years, The Gas CompanySM has been partnering with the communities where we live and work. We are committed to helping customers who lost their homes in the recent Southern California fires. Effective immediately, we have increased our residential new construction incentives by 100% to those customers who rebuild their homes to qualifying “higher than building code” levels of energy efficiency.

Energy-Efficiency Incentives

Description For qualifying customers and projects	Previous Incentive Level	New Incentive for 2007 Firestorm Victims
<p>Advanced Home Program (AHP): Tier 1 AHP Incentive</p> <p>exceed Title 24 Compliance by 15%</p>	<p>\$400-\$500/home</p> <p>\$400 Coastal Climate Zones \$500 Inland Climate Zones</p>	<p>\$800-\$1,000/home</p> <p>\$800 Coastal Climate Zones \$1,000 Inland Climate Zones</p>
<p>Advanced Home Program (AHP): Tier 2 AHP Incentive</p> <p>exceed Title 24 Compliance by 35%/40% Cooling Budget Reduction /ENERGY STAR® Appliances / Compliance w/ Energy Standards for lighting</p>	<p>\$2,000/home</p> <p>All Climate Zones</p>	<p>\$4,000/home</p> <p>All Climate Zones</p>

When you are ready to rebuild, please check with us to learn about available assistance and money-saving offers.

For a Advanced Home Program details, please visit www.socalgas.com/constuction. To find out how you can take advantage of rebuilding incentives for 2007 fire victims call us today at 866-563-2637.

This program is funded by California utility customers and administrated by Southern California Gas Company under the auspices of the California Public Utilities Commission. This program may be modified or terminated without prior notice and is provided to qualified customers on a first-come, first-served basis until program funds are no longer available. Eligibility requirements apply. Southern California Gas Company is not responsible for any goods or services selected by the customer.

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Program Update Advanced Home Program

Program Modification Notice - Effective April 1, 2009

As part of its ongoing commitment to 2007 California firestorm victims relief efforts, Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) will reimburse **up to \$350** for HERS rater inspections on qualifying residential new construction projects. HERS rater inspection reimbursement is limited to qualifying fire rebuild residential new construction projects. To qualify, you must be a current SoCalGas customer and project must participate in the SoCalGas Advanced Home Program.

What You Need To Know About HERS Verification & Testing: To achieve compliance with the standards or qualify for utility incentive programs some buildings require third-party diagnostic testing or field verification of energy efficient systems or devices.

Field verification and diagnostic testing is performed by special third-party inspectors called Home Energy Rating Systems (HERS) raters. The Energy Commission has given this responsibility to the HERS raters, who must be specifically trained and certified to perform these services. HERS raters cannot be employees of the builder or contractor whose work they are verifying. Also HERS raters cannot have financial interest in the builder's or contractor's business, or advocate or recommend the use of any product or service that they are verifying.

Measures Requiring HERS Field Verification and Diagnostic Testing

- Duct Sealing
- Supply Duct Location, Surface Area & R-Value
- Low Leakage Ducts in Conditioned Space
- Low Leakage Air Handlers
- Refrigerant Charge in Split System Air Conditioners & Heat Pumps
- Refrigerant Charge Indicator Display (CID)
- Verified Cooling Coil Airflow
- Air Handler Fan Watt Draw
- High Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER)
- Maximum Rated Total Cooling Capacity
- Evaporatively Cooled Condensers
- Ice Storage Air Conditioners
- Building Envelope Sealing
- High Quality Insulation Installation (QII)
- Quality Insulation Installation for Spray Polyurethane Foam

To find a rater, contact the Energy Commission hotline at (800) 772-3300 or visit the Energy Commission website at www.energy.ca.gov.

For more information about the SoCalGas Advanced Home Program & 2007 Fire Victims Incentives and assistance for customers affected by the fires, visit us at www.socalgas.com/construction or call 866-563-2637.

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