



# Elevate Energy Efficiency Programs

Elevate Energy is a non-profit organization with a mission to design and implement efficiency programs that lower costs, protect the environment, and ensure the benefits of energy efficiency reach those who need them most.

## Overview of Elevate Energy's Efficient Building Services

Services for:

- Multifamily buildings
- 2-4 unit buildings
- Nonprofit buildings and childcare centers

The program helps building owners to do the following:

- Save 30% on utility and maintenance costs
- Work with trusted, carefully vetted, local contractors
- Improve the comfort, health, and safety of buildings
- Receive expert guidance

Elevate provides a full-service approach, which includes an energy assessment, guidance for cost-effective solutions, access to financing options, construction oversight for quality assurance, and follow-up through annual savings reports.

For more information visit [www.elevateenergy.org/for-building-owners-managers/energy-efficient-building-services/](http://www.elevateenergy.org/for-building-owners-managers/energy-efficient-building-services/). You can also call 855.372.8377 or e-mail [buildings@ElevateEnergy.org](mailto:buildings@ElevateEnergy.org).

## Additional details for Multifamily Buildings:

Free building services are available to any multifamily building with five or more units throughout Illinois.

Multifamily buildings located within the seven-county Chicago metropolitan region and the city of Rockford are also eligible for an Energy Savers Loan offered in partnership by Community Investment Corporation (CIC) and Elevate Energy.

For more information on the loans visit <http://www.elevateenergy.org/prod/httpdocs/wp/wp-content/uploads/Energy-Savers-Loan-Info-Sheet-2014.pdf>

For more information or to apply: <http://www.elevateenergy.org/for-building-owners-managers/multifamily-buildings/>

## Electric Heat Residential & Condo Buildings:

The City of Chicago and Elevate Energy have a joint partnership to implement energy efficiency upgrades in 2,500 electrically heated units and distribute free, high-efficiency products. This program is provided on a first-come, first-serve basis.

For more information or to apply: <http://www.elevateenergy.org/for-building-owners-managers/multifamily-buildings/>

## Additional details for 2-4 Unit Buildings:

Owners of buildings with 2-4 units located in the City of Chicago and adjoining suburbs are eligible.

Investor-owned buildings with 1-4 units located within the six-county Chicago metropolitan region are eligible for an Energy Efficiency Loan Option offered in partnership by Chicago Community



Loan Fund (CCLF) and Elevate Energy.

For more information on this loan option: <http://www.elevateenergy.org/prod/httpdocs/wp/wp-content/uploads/Neighborhood-Investor-Lending-Program-w-logo-EE-Version-FINAL.pdf>.

For more information or to apply: <http://www.elevateenergy.org/for-building-owners-managers/2-4-unit-buildings/>.

### **Additional details for Nonprofit Buildings & Childcare Centers:**

This program is available for nonprofit organizations, childcare centers, and religious institutions located in the seven-county Chicago metropolitan region and the City of Rockford.

For more information or to apply: <http://www.elevateenergy.org/for-building-owners-managers/nonprofit-buildings-childcare-centers/>.

### **Energy Impact Illinois (EI2) – \$99 or Free Residential Energy Audits**

Through this program an advisor will help identify how a home uses energy – and wastes it – and identify the most cost-effective improvements someone can make for a more efficient and comfortable home. Elevate Energy provide serves as an advocate for this program, and provides oversight throughout the entire process.

The program also helps homeowners find rebates and loans to reduce the cost of the energy efficiency improvements.

More than 4,000 homes in Illinois have already participated in Energy Impact Illinois, saving an average of \$400 annually on utility bills. Participants also qualify for the Illinois Home Performance with ENERGY STAR (Energy Start certification for you home), if your home becomes 15% more efficient.

The program provides a comprehensive energy assessment of your home for just \$99. Or there is even a free option if you host an energy impact “house party”. The free option just requires a homeowner to invite 5-10 friends over to learn about how to make their homes more efficient too.

Learn more at: <http://energyimpactillinois.org/residential/> and <http://www.elevateenergy.org/home-savings/energy-impact-illinois/>

Or call **1-855-9-IMPACT** to schedule an assessment.

*Learn more about all the great work our friends at Elevate Energy are doing at [www.elevateenergy.org](http://www.elevateenergy.org).*



*During an audit, a professional technician visits your house to determine where you might be losing energy and money.*



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