Energy Saving Tips

HEATING

- Turn your thermostat down 5 degrees to save 25% on your heating bills.
- Have your furnace professionally cleaned and tuned every year.
- Clean or replace furnace filter every month during heating season.
- Don't block radiators with furniture, drapes, or other objects.
- Open shades during the day to let in sun. Close at night to keep heat inside.
- Lock windows. It tightens the seal to stop heat leaks.

COOLING

- Close shades during day, or plant trees for heat reducing shade.

APPLIANCES

- Water heater temperatures set at 120°- 130° are adequate for most households.
- Install a water-saving showerhead to save around $40 a year.
- A dripping hot water faucet can cost over $35 a year. Fix it as soon as possible.
- Turn off or unplug any inactive appliances that you're not using.
- Keep dryer filters and vents clean. Dirty vents and filters slow air flow and uses more energy.
- Don't vent dryers indoors. You add lint and pollutants, along with extra moisture in the air.
- Wash full loads of laundry, using cold water wash and rinse.

To Inquire on Weatherization
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Should I have my home insulated?

The answer is "yes" if you:

☑ Have a home that has not been previously weatherized by AEOA, or has not been weatherized in the last 15 years

☑ Are uncomfortably cold in the winter or hot in the summer; adding insulation creates a more uniform temperature and increases comfort

☑ Built a new addition or installed new siding or roofing

☑ Paid excessive energy bills



Who is Eligible?

- Homeowners and renters who are at or below 200% of federal poverty income (see income guidelines below), residing in Lake, Cook, or St. Louis Counties.
- All homeowners and renters who have an "Approved" application from Energy Assistance are eligible for Weatherization services if they are within the income guidelines listed below.
- Priority is given to households with at least one elderly person, or disabled person, or young children, and to customers with the highest heating costs.

Income Guidelines

Household Size	Annual Income	1 Month Income
1	$ 37,439	$ 3,119
2	$ 48,959	$ 4,079
3	$ 60,479	$ 5,039
4	$ 71,999	$ 5,999
5	$ 83,518	$ 6,959
6	$ 95,038	$ 7,919
7	$ 100,080	$ 8,340
8	$ 111,440	$ 9,287
9	$ 122,800	$ 10,233
10	$ 134,160	$ 11,180

Weatherization Services

Our Weatherization Department performs many services to eligible households including:

- Client Education
- Energy Audits to evaluate energy use
- Exterior wall and attic insulation
- Air sealing
- Test, repair, and/or replace home heating systems to ensure efficiency and safety.

Don't Qualify?

Contact our Agency to inquire about private contracting with Arrowhead Weatherization on a fee basis.

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