

## 2023 Electronically Commutated Motor (ECM) Program Overview with Participation Requirements

## **Contractors:**

- System must be installed by participating contractor.
- System must be installed by a bonded and/or licensed contractor as applicable under state and local requirements.

## Qualifying ECM Types, Applications and Related Rebates:

- ECM Replacement Motor: replacing an existing permanent split capacitor (PSC) motor with a qualifying multi-speed ECM in existing forced air furnace; electric (air handlers in heat pumps, electric thermal storage and/or electric furnaces), gas, oil, or propane. Limit one ECM per furnace/air handler. **\$100 rebate\***
- ECM Circulator Pump: less than 1 horsepower with integrated 'smart' controls that will modulate flow based on demand. Must be EC, DC brushless, or permanent magnet style. **\$200 rebate\***

\*Rebate varies if commercial

## Requirements to Qualify for the Rebate and Maintain Participating Contractor Status:

- Must be a customer of Minnesota Power or a participating utility. Please visit www.mnpower.com/participatingutilities for an updated list.
- The contractor must submit the required paperwork for the customer to qualify for the rebate. Before a rebate is issued to the customer, a third party contractor will review the paperwork for quality assurance, track the results and prepare and submit the rebate check. **Note**: A product trained installer must be noted on the rebate form to verify proper installation.
- Must include a copy of the invoice with a completed rebate form.
- Rebates must be submitted within 30 days after project is completed.
- Minnesota Power rebates and required paperwork may not be withheld in the event of a customer/contractor dispute.
- Provide product warranty information and maintenance agreement.
- Participating contractors will be required to explain operational and maintenance items specific to the rebated equipment as part of the installation process. This includes reviewing and providing a manufacturer specific checklist and operating manuals.
- Every customer will be surveyed to determine their satisfaction with the product (met their expectations) and the installation process. Any performance issues will be addressed immediately with the applicable contractor. Performance issues will be noted and may affect participating contractor status.
- Minnesota Power reserves the right to verify invoices and/or installations of equipment and services before issuing rebates. A random inspection may be required to verify installations and services.\*