



ABOUT THE AIR DISTRICT

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District is the regional agency responsible for protecting air quality in the nine-county Bay Area, including Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, southwestern Solano and southern Sonoma counties.



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APPLY FOR FUNDS TO
CONVERT YOUR FIREPLACE
OR WOODSTOVE TO A
CLEANER OPTION.



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For detailed maps of Solano or Sonoma County Air District borders, visit <http://www.sparetheair.org/stay-informed/jurisdiction-information>



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WOOD SMOKE REDUCTION INCENTIVE PROGRAM

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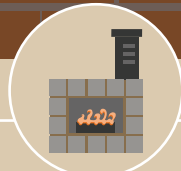
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The Air District's Wood Smoke Reduction Incentive Program was developed to help reduce wintertime air pollution from residential wood burning. The program provides funding to help Bay Area homeowners and landlords to replace their wood-burning device with a qualifying electric, natural gas, or propane fueled device, or to decommission their fireplace.

To be eligible, homeowners and landlords must own a residential property that is located within the Air District's jurisdiction, and must apply for approval of their project and receive a Notice to Proceed from the Air District. Approved applicants may then request reimbursement **after** successful completion of the project. **Applicants who have had any work related to their project performed before the Air District issues a Notice to Proceed will not be eligible for funding.**



WOOD SMOKE REDUCTION INCENTIVE PROGRAM:

Funding will be prioritized for low-income residents, residents located in areas highly affected by wood smoke, and households exempt from burn bans due to a wood-burning device being the sole source of heat.*

WOOD SMOKE RULE CHANGE:

*Starting November 1, 2016, anyone whose sole source of heat is a wood-burning device must use an EPA-certified or pellet-fueled device which must be registered with the Air District to qualify for an exemption. For details:

www.baaqmd.gov/woodsmoke

Funding may not exceed the cost of the project or \$12,000, which ever is lower.

APPLICANTS MAY APPLY FOR FUNDING FOR ONE OF THE PROJECT OPTIONS LISTED BELOW:

Project Option	Base Rebate
Replace a woodstove or fireplace with an electric heat pump	\$3,500
Replace a woodstove or fireplace with a natural gas or propane fueled device	\$1,000
Decommission (render inoperable) a fireplace	\$750

In addition to the base rebate funding, projects may be eligible to receive additional funding if the applicant or property meets one or more of the following eligibility conditions for highly impacted residents:

Highly Impacted Resident Conditions	Funding
Applicant qualifies for income assistance (i.e. enrolled in PG&E's CARE program, or equivalent program)	+ \$8,500
The property is currently exempt from No Burn days (i.e. its sole source of heat is a compliant wood-burning device)	+ \$1,500
The property is located in an area that is highly impacted by wood smoke	+ \$1,500

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