

**Residential Registered Vendor
Monthly Newsletter
October 19, 2022**



- 1) **Reminder: We Have More Low-Income Funds Than Ever** – Funding is strong for low- and moderate-income rebates. Mainers can qualify for rebates of up to \$2,400 for heat pumps and 90% off the insulation project cost up to \$9,000.
- 2) **Record September** – Good news. We processed more than 4,000 heat pump and weatherization rebates in September, more than any other month since the programs began. Thank you for helping us reach this milestone.
- 3) **100,000+ Rebated Heat Pumps** – Good news. In a state that the U.S. Census says has fewer than 600,000 households, Efficiency Maine has now rebated over 100,000 heat pumps. Congratulations to everyone who has helped make this possible.
- 4) **Typewritten Signatures** – To avoid rebate processing delays, please make sure typewritten signatures are supported by a clear email thread indicating the party sent it via email. "Wet" signatures are not needed if the homeowner emails a form to the Residential Registered Vendor who then forwards it to Efficiency Maine.
- 5) **Fact of the Month** – Since 2009, we've invested over \$100 million in residential weatherization and heat pump rebates, helping over 100,000 program participants save over \$700 million over the life of their upgrades. (Source: Efficiency Maine Annual Reports)
- 6) **Tool of the Month** – If you're looking for a way to include brochures with your emails, our [Residential Forms](#) page has links to PDFs of all our brochures.
- 7) **Heat Pump Installation Training Opportunities** – The following courses are being offered by Efficiency Maine Registered Trainers.

Dates	Course Title	Location	Registration Information
10/20/2022 – 10/21/2022	Heat Pump Training*	F.W. Webb	Click for course information
12/5/2022 – 12/9/2022	Heat Pump Installer*	Kennebec Valley Community College	Click for course information
12/19/2022 – 12/23/2022	Heat Pump Installer*	Maine Energy Marketers Association	Click for course information

* Eligible for [Efficiency Maine scholarship](#) (50% up to \$500)

8) **Weatherization Training Opportunities** – Build Green Maine is offering BPI Training & Testing classes. If interested, please follow this link to the [BPI course registration](#). You can request a scholarship by filling out this [form](#) from Kennebec Valley Community College (KVCC) or by filling out Efficiency Maine’s scholarship [form](#).

Dates	Course Title	Location	Registration Information
11/7/2022 – 11/11/2022	Building Analyst & Envelope Professional	Build Green Maine	Click for course information
12/5/2022 – 12/9/2022	Building Analyst & Envelope Professional	Build Green Maine	Click for course information

9) **Top Insulation Performers (past four months)**

1. Horizon Residential Energy Services
2. Evergreen Home Performance
3. New England Spray Foam Insulation
3. Free Energy Maine

10) **Top Heat Pump Performers (past four months)**

1. Dave’s World
2. Valley Home Services
3. Royal River Heat Pumps

11) **Top Low-Income Insulation Performers (past four months)**

1. New England Spray Foam Insulation
2. Installations Unlimited
3. CJ Insulation & Subcontractors

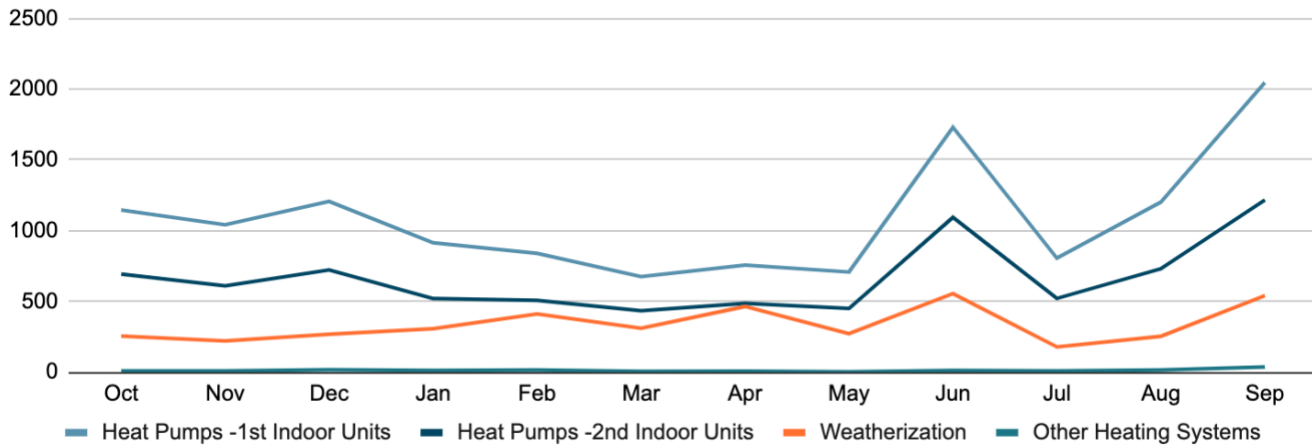
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PROGRAM RESULTS

Home Energy Savings Program (HESP)

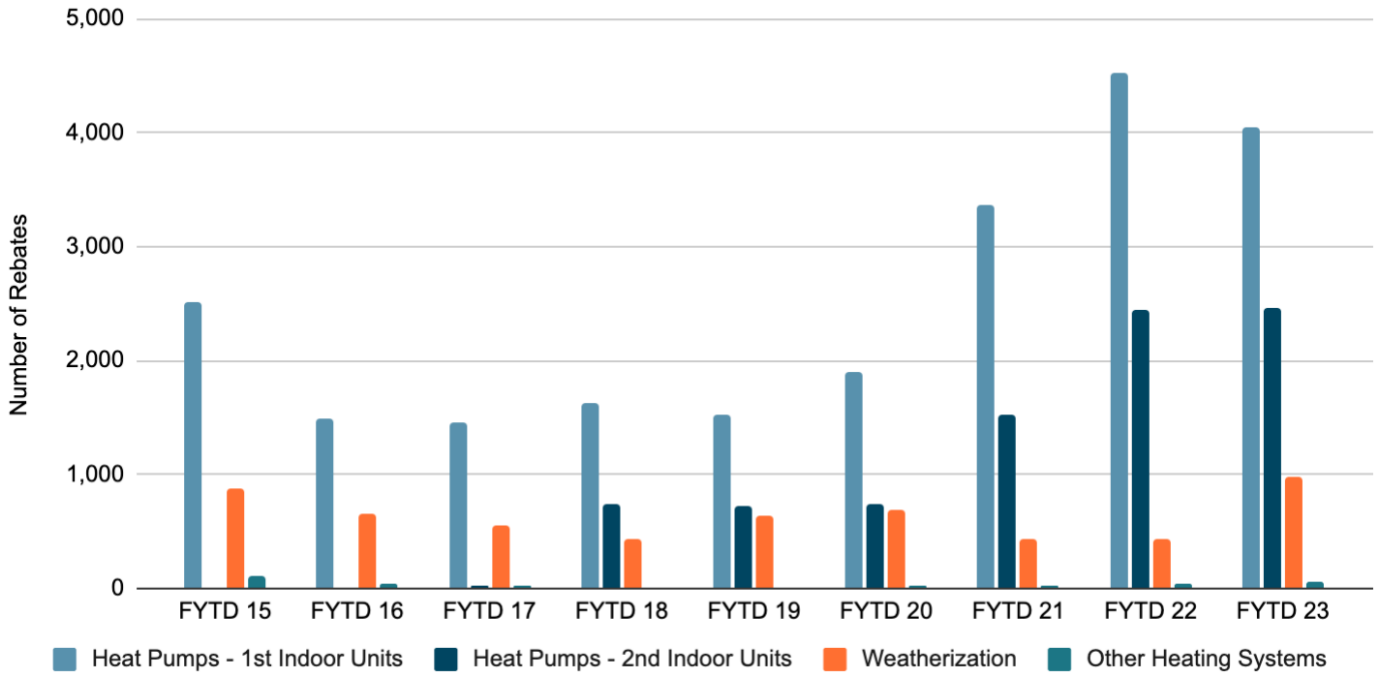
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HESP Number of Rebates – Last 12 Months (DETAILS)

#	HESP Rebate Type	2021			2022									Total
		Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	
1	Heat Pumps - 1st Indoor Units	1,146	1,041	1,207	914	840	676	757	708	1,730	806	1,202	2,045	13,072
2	Heat Pumps - 2nd Indoor Units	693	610	722	520	507	435	487	450	1,094	521	731	1,216	7,986
3	Air Sealing	70	53	76	97	120	98	128	72	161	51	76	139	1,141
4	Attic Insulation	85	80	95	107	138	105	161	91	192	62	86	182	1,384
5	Basement Insulation	72	60	74	78	100	82	120	77	146	46	63	138	1,056
6	Wall Insulation	28	28	23	25	54	26	55	32	56	20	29	82	458
7	Geothermal HP	2	1	4	3	2	1	3	0	2	0	1	3	22
8	Pellet Boiler	7	9	13	9	13	5	4	3	11	9	15	34	132
Total		2,103	1,882	2,214	1,753	1,774	1,428	1,715	1,433	3,392	1,515	2,203	3,839	25,251

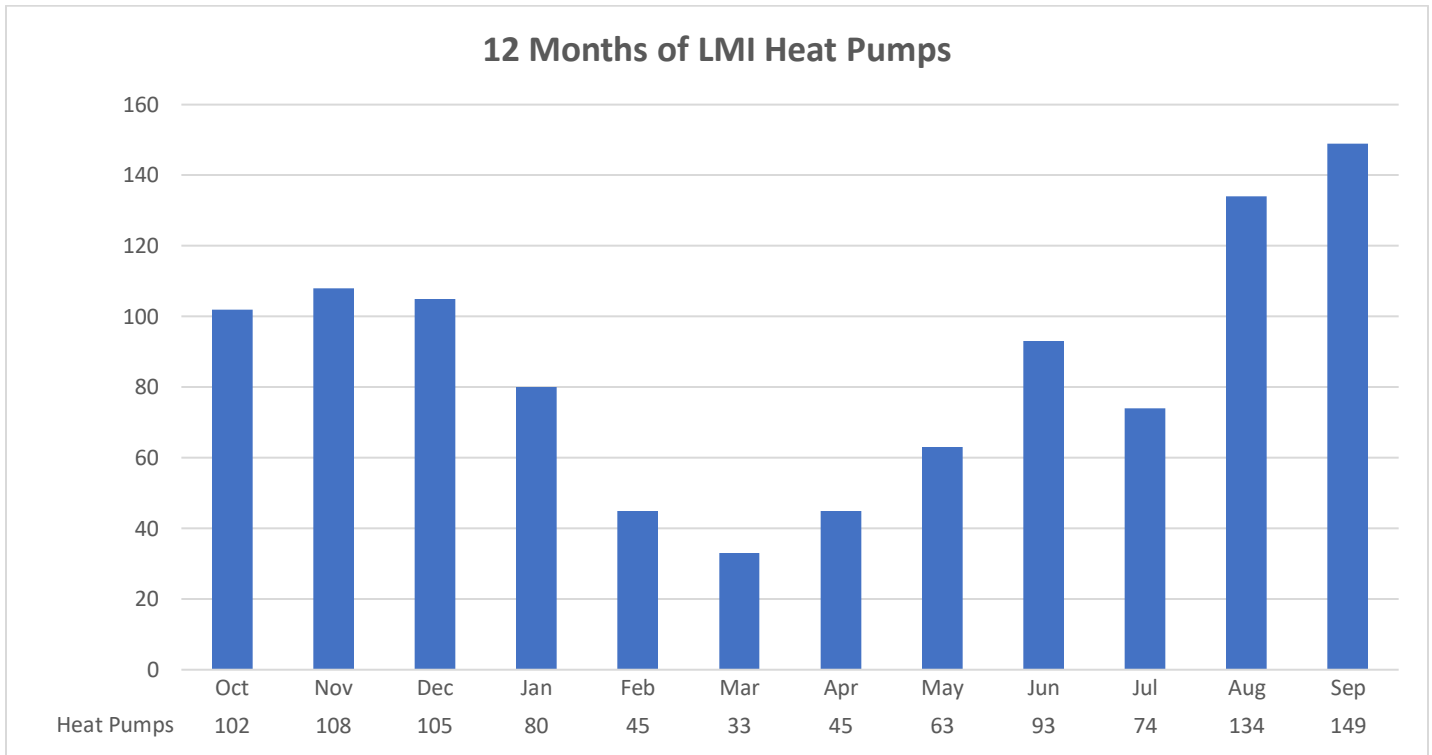
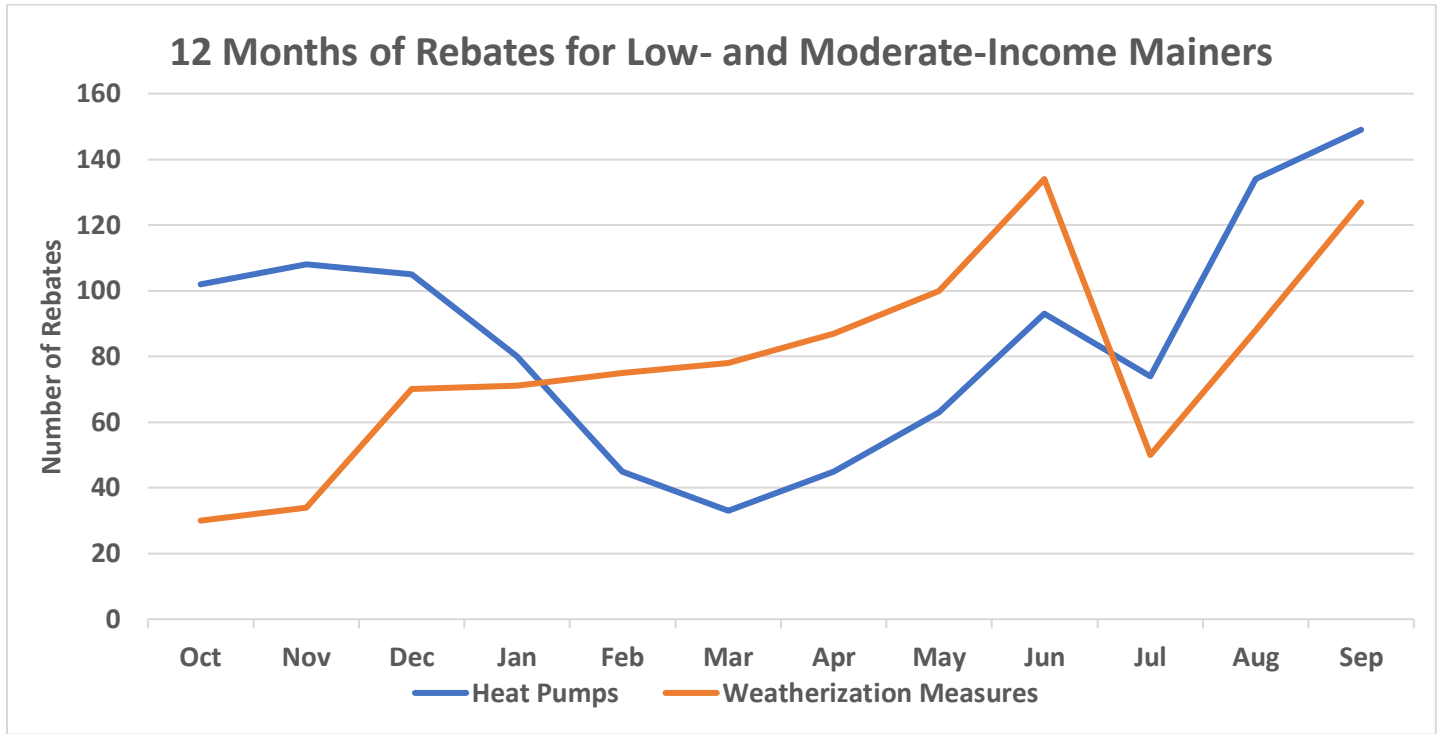
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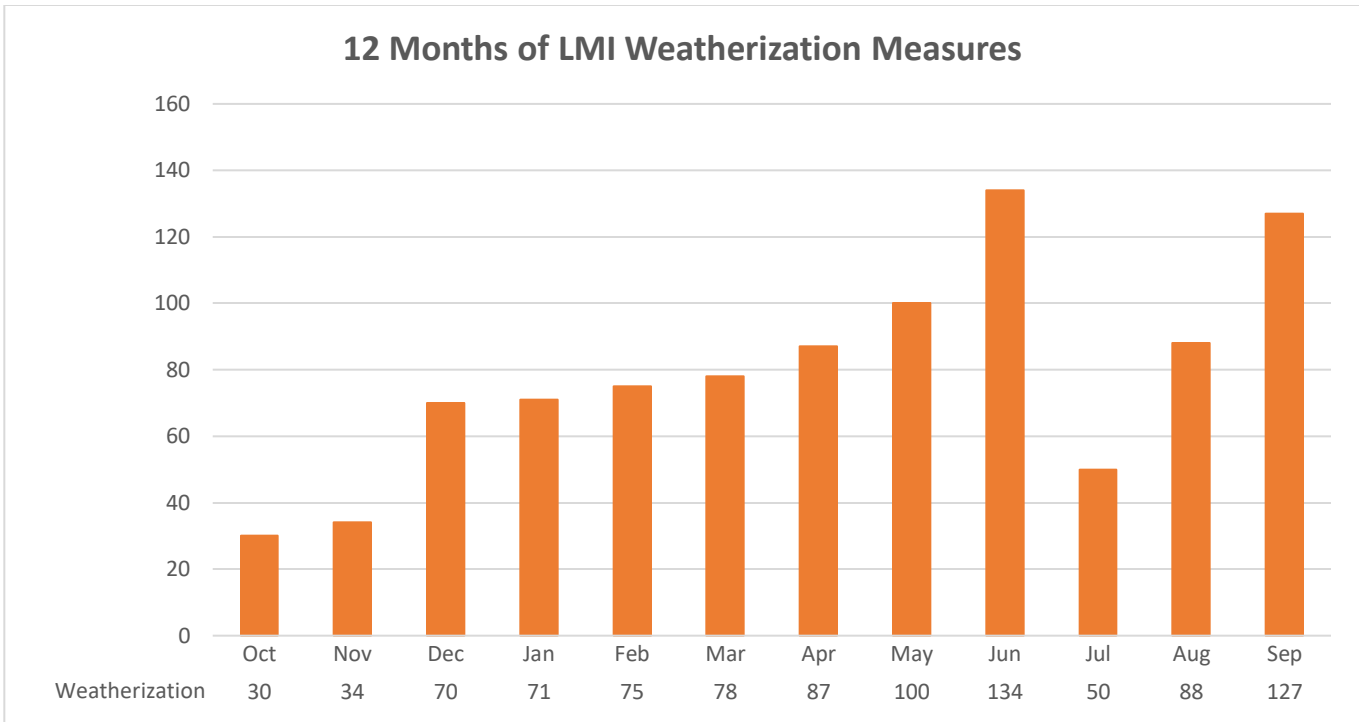
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#	HESP Rebate Type	FYTD 15	FYTD 16	FYTD 17	FYTD 18	FYTD 19	FYTD 20	FYTD 21	FYTD 22	FYTD 23
1	Heat Pumps - 1st Indoor Units	2,509	1,493	1,450	1,622	1,525	1,892	3,360	4,531	4,053
2	Heat Pumps - 2nd Indoor Units	0	0	17	731	730	738	1,531	2,441	2,468
3	Air Sealing	482	332	256	198	256	248	142	135	266
4	Attic Insulation	177	182	166	129	176	210	136	144	330
5	Basement Insulation	173	108	84	67	131	168	98	113	247
6	Wall Insulation	35	36	50	32	72	66	49	47	131
7	Geothermal HP	17	17	11	3	3	5	2	6	4
8	Pellet Boiler	97	23	14	5	6	10	16	26	58
Total Measures Installed		3,490	2,191	2,048	2,787	2,899	3,337	5,334	7,443	7,557

Low Income Program



12 Months of LMI Weatherization Measures



Rebates for Low- and Moderate-Income Mainers - Last 12 Months (DETAILS)

Low- and Moderate-Income Rebate Type	2021			2022									Total
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Last 12 months
Heat Pumps	102	108	105	80	45	33	45	63	93	74	134	149	1,031
LMI Air Sealing w/Assessment (\$600)	16	22	39	30	32	31	40	39	50	18	26	39	382
LMI Attic Insulation (currently 90% up to \$9,000)	7	6	13	16	19	20	22	28	32	11	24	29	227
LMI Basement Insulation (currently 90% up to \$9,000)	6	4	12	19	18	19	21	26	36	13	27	42	243
LMI Wall Insulation (currently 90% up to \$9,000)	1	2	6	6	6	8	4	7	16	8	11	17	92
Weatherization Measures	30	34	70	71	75	78	87	100	134	50	88	127	944
Total LMI Measures	132	142	175	151	120	111	132	163	227	124	222	276	1,975