



Consider Heat Pumps

Why Electrify or Consider a Heat Pump?

Switching from a gas furnace to a heat pump in Illinois can save ~6–8 tons* of carbon emissions annually, thus it's one of the most impactful things you can do to prevent carbon emissions. (**estimated range of savings over 15-year life of heat pump across various future grid scenarios*)

Every new gas furnace installed today will likely be emitting carbon for the next 16–20 years; have a plan to replace your gas furnace before it fails!

Marian Honel-Wilson's son conducted a presentation for UCH in 2023 about how he electrified his entire home, with costs and impacts. Contact Marian at UCHracialequityteam@gmail.com and she will send you the slide show. Following are the links mentioned in that presentation.

Learn More

- Electrify Everything course on YouTube (free): <https://youtu.be/w4WfbqE5elk>
- Nate the House Whisperer:
<https://www.natethehousewhisperer.com/electrify-everything-course.html>
- Pocket Guide to All Electric Retrofits of Single-Family Homes:
<https://heyzine.com/flip-book/e9652f85b0.html>
- “Electrify,” by Saul Griffith (book) <https://www.rewiringamerica.org/electrify-the-book>

Rewiring America

- Electrification Planning Chart for homeowners and renters
<https://www.rewiringamerica.org/electrify-home-guide>
- IRA incentive guide and calculator
Guide: <https://www.rewiringamerica.org/IRAGuide>
Calculator: <https://www.rewiringamerica.org/app/ira-calculator>

ComEd Rebates

Heating/Cooling Rebates:

<https://www.comed.com/WaysToSave/ForYourHome/Pages/HeatingCoolingRebates.aspx>

Appliance Rebates:

<https://www.comed.com/WaysToSave/ForYourHome/Pages/ApplianceRebates.aspx>

