

# Your Town's Energy Burden

16%

On average, households spend this much of their income on energy. Includes electricity, fuel for heat, & transportation costs

There are *many* local organizations here to help you reduce this to save money & be more comfortable in your home! But where to start?

Read through some options inside and follow this QR Code when ready!



"Not only were the window inserts easy to install and remove... they blend seamlessly with the classic windows. We've found they improve the comfort of the rooms & have reduced the heating fuel needs by 15%"

**Paula, Greensboro**

## Want to get more involved?

Join us for a Window Dressers building event!

Find a location nearest to you at [WindowDressers.org/Vermont-community-builds/](http://WindowDressers.org/Vermont-community-builds/)



**QUESTIONS? ASK YOUR LOCAL ENERGY COMMITTEE OR CONTACT NVDA.**

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# Attention Home Owners & Renters

Want to save money every season?



*There are local groups to help lower your fuel and electricity bill, all right here in the Kingdom.*

Paid for by the Municipal Energy Resilience Program of Vermont

Many programs are **FREE** for families that meet income guidelines

Persons in Household	Maximum Income
1	\$55,050
2	\$62,900
3	\$70,750
4	\$78,600
5	\$84,900
6	\$91,200
7	\$97,500
8	\$103,800

Installing a smart, programmable thermostat can save \$158 annually & estimated lifetime savings of \$1577!



Comprehensive weatherizing of a home can save \$467 annually & almost \$12,000 over time. That's a **6.6%** reduction in energy burden!



Live in an older home with lots of character and don't know where to start when it comes to energy efficiency?



Is your boiler aging? Need to update your heating system?



Draft windows that move curtains on a blustery day?



Looking at new ebikes or upgrading vehicles?

Find everything you need to know about **greener ways to go:**

- Drive Electric VT
- Go! Vermont

Switching away from fossil fuels to plug-in/hybrid EV can lower your energy burden by 9.8% or \$700 a year

**DriveElectricVt.com**  
**Connecting Commuters.org**

Installing **Window Dressers** are a simple way to **keep heat in & cold air out.**

Custom measured for your home and built by trained volunteers (like you!). They save money by reducing the amount of fuel or electricity used.

**Window Dressers.org**

**HEAT Squad** offers home **energy audits**, helps you find contractors, and offer financial support through loan programs, [heatsquad.org](http://heatsquad.org)

**Efficiency Vermont** offers **guidance & rebates** for heating/cooling, appliances, lighting, and more!

**Efficiency Vermont.org**

Whether you rent or own, **NETO** will visit your home, perform an energy audit, and complete "whole-house" weatherization projects at **ZERO COST** to you. NETO's program makes about **\$10K** worth of improvements and will help improve the energy efficiency, safety, and comfort of your home.

**[vtneto.org](http://vtneto.org)**