

2018 Wood Stove Exchange Program
 Brought to you by: The BVLD Airshed Management Society



Depending where you live there's up to **\$1900.00** as incentive to recycle non-certified wood burning appliances and replace them with certified EPA appliances in the Bulkley Valley and Lakes District. At a minimum there's \$250 waiting for you!

Current Wood Stove Rebates

Base Amount	Regional Top Up	Total Amount	Rebate Description	Place
\$250	0	\$250	BVLD AMS wood Stove Exchange Program wood to wood	Bulkley Valley Lakes District Airshed
\$400	0	\$400	BVLD AMS wood Stove Exchange Program wood to other	Bulkley Valley Lakes District Airshed
\$250	\$750	\$1,000	ToS, old appliance was Secondary Heat Source and new appliance uses stack wood	Town of Smithers only
\$400	\$750	\$1,150	ToS, old appliance was Secondary Heat Source and new appliance uses pellets or some other form of energy	Town of Smithers only
\$250	\$1,500	\$1,750	ToS, old appliance was Primary Heat Source and new appliance uses stacked wood	Town of Smithers only
\$400	\$1,500	\$1,900	ToS, old appliance was Primary Heat Source and new appliance uses pellets or some other form of energy	Town of Smithers only
\$400	\$250	\$650	DoH, wood to other	District of Houston only
\$250	\$250	\$500	DoH, wood to wood	District of Houston only

Appliances (residences or shops) that can be changed out:

- a free-standing non-EPA certified “stove”, or a “homemade” or ‘barrel’ stove.
- a so-called “airtight” non-EPA certified fireplace insert, or tube type heat exchanger with a face plate and door (like the ‘Free Heat Machine’ or Welenco) that is currently installed in an open-hearth fireplace.
- a non-EPA certified “wood furnace” (ducted, forced air, home heating appliance) - may only be replaced by an EPA certified wood furnace or Pellet furnace.

Appliances that qualify as replacement:

- A. Wood to wood...The replacement of an uncertified wood burning stove or insert with a qualifying EPA or CSA certified replacement or EPA or CSA certified wood furnace or an Enerchoice designated fireplace or insert. An EPA or CSA B415 certified wood or pellet furnace ONLY if it is replacing an existing uncertified wood-burning furnace.
- B. Wood to other...The change-out is to an appliance such as an EPA wood pellet stove, an Enerchoice designated electric heat pump (which meets BChydro’s Rebate requirements)

Conditions:

- 1) residents live within Town or District boundaries for the additional rebates
- 2) there is still money available for the program, first come first serve
- 3) old appliances are recycled or decommissioned and proof is provided
- 4) cleaner burning appliances such a pellet stove, an electric heat pump, or a gas or propane stove or EPA certified wood appliances are installed and proof provided

Process:

1. Resident pays retail price for stove and installation. Ask about manufacturer or retailer discount at the point of sale.
2. Resident arranges disposal of old stove to dealer or recycler for decommissioning. Dealer may be able to arrange this for you. These stoves are not to be resold!
3. Resident then gets signatures on form to confirm old is out and new is in.
4. Email coordinator@cleanairplan.ca or mail form to the attention of Ben Weinstein, Meteorologist, Ministry of the Environment, BAG 5000, 3726 Alfred Avenue, Smithers, BC, V0J 2N0
5. Hold ON!
6. The coordinator will determine your rebate qualifications, email or notify you of receipt of the rebate request and contact your regional district or Town for fulfillment.
7. The coordinator and your Town or District office will mail you rebate checks when they are ready.

For more info. contact the Woodstove exchange Coordinator

Sue Brookes by email: coordinator@cleanairplan.ca, or for a program near you:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/air-land-water/air/air-pollution/smoke-burning/exchange/programs>

Did You Know:

The BVL DAMS is a non profit society, responsible for implementing the Clean Air Plan of 2012 signed by Bulkley Valley and Lakes District stakeholders in clean air. Membership is free! To find out more: www.cleanairplan.ca

The Town of Smithers and Village of Hazelton Works Yards have kindly been serving as recyclers for years now! They are open business hours, 5 days a week. If you live in the Town of Smithers, and want to show us this is your primary heat source, call us to arrange a visit and/or pics.



2018 Wood Stove Exchange Rebate

Email: coordinator@cleanairplan.ca Society Mail: BAG 5000, 3726 Alfred Avenue, Smithers, BC, V0J 2N0, mark to the attention of Ben Weinstein, Meteorologist, Ministry of the Environment

Name of Resident: _____

Street Address, Town, location of appliance: _____

Mailing Address (where do you want rebate sent?)

Street: _____ City: _____ Prov: B.C.

PC: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Old Appliance Model Name: _____

Serial #: _____

Circle One: Primary Source of Heat or Secondary Heat Source

Please answer:

- Is your appliance designated as an Enerchoice or EPA certified?
- Have you had the new appliance WETT inspected?
- Did you attend the Burn It Smart workshop this year?
- Did you get operational and efficiency tips for your new appliance?
- Would you like to become a member of the BVLD AMS, a non profit society?

If you live in the Town of Smithers, please answer:

- 1. Did you provide proof your appliance was a primary source of heat?
- 2. Did you provide a copy of your building permit for the new installation?
- 3. Did you get a Building Inspection?

New Appliance Fuel (choose 1): Gas /Pellet /Propane /Electric /Wood

Appliance Model _____ Serial #: _____

Value of new unit \$ _____

Store Name: _____ Dealer's Invoice#: _____

Dealer signature verifies the new stove meets the 2018/19 Woodstove Exchange Requirements and is EPA certified. Date _____

DealerShip _____ Signature _____

Installer signature verifies that the new stove is installed in accordance with WETT certification requirements or best practices. Installing it yourself? A photo of the newly installed stove will suffice.

Installer/Inspector Company and Name: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Recycler signature verifies that the old appliance has been destroyed and left with recyclers and cannot be used again for solid fuel. A dealer signature is acceptable! Doing it yourself? Call us first! Decommissioned/Drop Date: _____

Recycler/Dealership _____ Signature _____

Refer Your Neighbour:

If you know someone who could use some tips on seasoning wood, operating their woodstove or you want them informed about the wood stove exchange program, contact us - we'll do it!

Program partners:



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