



Small Business Direct Install Summary, a program of National Grid
Call to schedule your no-cost energy assessment: 1-877-784-3711 or visit
www.ripower.org/energy-efficiency/east-providence/sign-up

Every National Grid small business owner (the owner of a business with a monthly electric demand of 200kW or less) is eligible for a no-cost, no obligation energy assessment every five years. The assessment is conducted within 10 days of request and takes approximately 2 hours. During the visit an energy advisor will:

Complete a comprehensive energy assessment: This is an in-depth assessment of the business's energy efficiency. An advisor will evaluate the business's lighting, air leakage, insulation, windows, heating system, hot water system, and appliances.

Give recommendations for energy savings upgrades: The business owner receives a printout of energy savings suggestions. This list may include upgrades like replacing light fixtures, water savings measures, or other site-specific custom projects. The statement gives estimated costs for the upgrades, and the estimated savings. The statement also helps the business owner find additional rebates and incentives to make the recommended work even more affordable. This includes:

- A **70% instant rebate** on recommended upgrades.
- Owners may choose to pay for the remainder of the costs right on their electric bill with their energy savings, providing the owner with a **positive cash flow**. This 24 month on the bill financing option is interest free.
- If owner chooses to pay for their share in one lump sum 15% can be discounted.

Following up on these recommended measures will allow you to substantially reduce your energy consumption and energy spending.

Renters are also eligible for a small business energy assessment. Any energy efficiency upgrades need landlord approval.

Who pays for this program? You do! There is a small charge on every user's monthly electric bill, which goes towards funding this program. You should take advantage of this opportunity!