Residential Electrical Panel Upgrade Program

Program Type: Utility rebate program

Applicable Sectors: Residential

Description and Eligibility Requirements: Reading Municipal Light Department (RMLD) offers rebates to residential customers who may need to upgrade their electrical panel to a higher amperage to accommodate additional load from electrification activities such as installing an EV charging station, heat pump, or other electrical equipment. Both standard and smart electrical panels are eligible. The following table presents the rebates for RMLD’s Residential Electrical Panel Upgrade Program.

Table 1: RMLD 2020 Residential Electrical Panel Upgrade Program

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<td>Upgrade to 100-amp standard or smart panel</td>
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<td>Upgrade to 400-amp standard or smart panel</td>
<td>$750</td>
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The rebate cannot exceed 50% of the total installed (labor and materials) cost.

Program Steps/Guidelines: Complete the electrical panel upgrade prior to submitting the application and supporting documentation. The following supporting documents are required:

- Invoice providing proof of labor and materials costs
- Proof of payment showing a balance of $0
- Applicable Utility Authorization Number (UAN)
- Proof of inspection by town wire inspector

Note: Program requirements applies to residential electrical panel upgrade installed on or after April 1, 2020. Details are subject to change without prior notice.