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South Coast AQMD Launches \$21 Million GO ZERO Program

Rebates Now Available for Zero-Emission Heat Pumps for Homes and Businesses

DIAMOND BAR – The South Coast Air Quality Management District (South Coast AQMD) has launched its \$21 million <u>GO ZERO</u> Pilot Incentive Program designed to help residents and businesses switch to cleaner, zero-emission space and water heating technologies. These technologies are up to 3-4 times more efficient than traditional gas systems and can help reduce your energy use and lower utility bills.

GO ZERO includes:

- Rebates for Heat Pump Devices for Space and Water Heating: Available for single-family homes, multifamily buildings and small businesses.
- Incentives are available for two separate technologies: replacing traditional gas furnaces and central HVAC systems or replacing conventional gas or propane water heaters.
- Workforce (Installer) Training: Building a strong clean energy workforce for the future.
- **Application Assistance:** Available to help applicants maximize and combine program incentives for even more savings.

Funding is Limited

Applications are processed on a first-come, first-served basis while funds last. Rebates typically range from \$1,000 to \$2,000 per heat pump, with up to \$3,000 available for homes in overburdened communities and \$4,000 for small businesses. To address affordability, 75% of the program's funding for homes is designated to benefit overburdened communities.

To qualify for the GO ZERO rebates, the newly installed unit must be a heat pump that replaces a gas or propane unit (furnace, water heater).

To stay updated on the GO ZERO incentive program, sign up for South Coast AQMD eNewsletter and check the box for GO ZERO: www.aqmd.gov/sign-up.

Learn more about the program at www.aqmd.gov/gozero.

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