

## 2010 OPPD's Home Energy Efficiency Workshops



**July 12, 2010**

**Building Science made Simple**

**Presenter: Garry Ruliffson**

Define Building Science and how it affects home life. Gain an understanding of how a home works as a system – how air moves through the home, why and how insulation is used, and what we need to know about indoor air quality.

**August 9, 2010**

**Home Energy Audits for Existing Homes & ENERGY STAR for New Homes**

**Presenter: Renee Jacobsen**

Learn how a professional Home Energy Audit can help determine the most cost-effective energy-efficient improvements to make in existing homes. Local certified Energy Raters will be on hand during the training session. If you are planning to build a new home, this workshop will also cover the benefits of purchasing and owning an ENERGY STAR certified home. ENERGY STAR homes are at least 15% more energy efficient than homes built to the current codes.

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## Energy Efficiency Workshops

July 2010 through  
November 2010

OPPD is offering a series of workshops to help you manage your energy costs and protect your home equipment and internal electrical lines.

**Workshops and dinner are held:**

5:30 – 7 p.m.

Neighborhood Center

115 South 49th Avenue

Omaha, Nebraska 68132

**For more information:**

To register for one or all the workshops, call the Neighborhood Center, 402.561.7569

For questions regarding the energy efficiency workshops, contact Renee Jacobsen at 402.636.3541 or email [rmjacobsen@oppd.com](mailto:rmjacobsen@oppd.com).



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September 13, 2010

## OPPD Products:

High Efficiency Heat Pump and Air Conditioner Program

Residential Surge Guard

In-Home Electrical Protection Plan

Green Power

Presenters: Ray Herek, Tony Walde, Sam Hardy

**High Efficiency Heat Pump and Air Conditioner Program** - Understand what a heat pump is and how it works. Learn how high efficiency heat pumps and air conditioners can help lower heating and cooling costs year-round, and how OPPD will help defer the cost of purchasing high efficiency equipment.

**Residential Surge Guard** – Learn how and why it is important to provide surge suppression protection for home electronics and appliances. Find out how OPPD provides “Triple” mode surge protection, its benefits and costs.

**In-Home Electrical Protection Plan** – OPPD’s IHEPP program provides an additional level of protection for the electrical lines in your home. Your home’s electrical wiring will be repaired or replaced in the event of damage or failure. This workshop will provide program details, benefits and cost.

**Green Power** – Discover how simple it is to become an active participant in OPPD’s Green Power program. Learn the benefits you and your community receive from your participation.

October 11, 2010

## Protecting Your Investment in Heating Ventilation & Air Conditioning (HVAC) Energy Efficiency

Presenter: Dave Swett

Reducing heating and cooling energy costs doesn’t just magically happen. Delivering energy efficiency requires smart choices and a detailed evaluation of your home. Learn where to focus your attention as you evaluate which HVAC dealer is best prepared to deliver comfort and efficiency.

November 8, 2010

## LIGHTING for Efficiency and Function

Presenter: Dave Tallon

Learn how to utilize the most energy-efficient lighting products on the market today including Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFLs) and LEDs. Understand what works and what doesn’t, and where the best applications are for various fixture and bulb upgrades. Review basic lighting package terminology and how to make wise “apples to apples” comparison of bulb performance.

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