

## **Energy Saver**

# Looking to bring down the cost of your energy bills?

To stay competitive in a global market, manufacturing businesses need to look for ways to cut energy costs, upgrade equipment and become more energy efficient.

## Get up to \$120,000 in matched funding

We know it can be hard for many businesses to fund opportunities to improve energy performance. That's why we're offering over \$16 million in funding to help manufacturing businesses save energy and money.

Any business with a manufacturing site in NSW can apply, as long as it has an ABN and is registered for GST. If you're successful, you'll get up to \$120,000 in matched funding per site, to implement a project that saves gas or electricity.

The funding will help you:

- upgrade energy monitoring systems
- · replace or retrofit old, inefficient equipment
- · install new energy efficient equipment
- · improve manufacturing processes.

The funding round is open from 22 February and closes 30 June 2019.



#### Success stories

Businesses that have implemented similar projects have found savings can run to over **\$100,000 a year** while reducing downtime and maintenance costs.

**4 Pines Brewing Company** (left) saved around **\$20,000 a year** in gas bills, thanks to a high-efficiency gas chiller purchased with help from our funding program.

**PGH Bricks** received funding for a metering and heat recovery project that reduced gas consumption in that area by 40% and delivered other production efficiencies.

**Nudie Foods** received \$26,000 in funding to replace a burner on their boiler, resulting in gas savings of **\$11,000** a year.

# Cut thousands from your energy bills

There are two offers available. You can apply for our metering offer, and one of two energy efficiency offers available (either Offer 2a or Offer 2b).

### **OFFER 1: Metering and process optimisation**

Apply for up to \$50,000 matched funding per site

Install or upgrade energy monitoring systems, so you can improve control of machinery and manufacturing processes to save energy.

# OFFER 2a: Simple energy efficiency upgrades

Apply for up to \$30,000 matched funding per site

Save energy by replacing or retrofitting technologies like economisers on boilers and variable speed drives. The full list of eligible technologies and funding caps is available in the application form.

## OFFER 2b: Measured and verified energy efficiency upgrades

Apply for up to \$70,000 matched funding per site

Implement complex energy efficiency projects such as heat recovery and boiler upgrades. This offer involves verifying the energy savings using an internationally recognised method.

## Ready to get started?

Everything you need to know about the program and how to apply is available on our website www.energysaver.nsw.gov.au/manufacturing. Before submitting your application, you should read the Manufacturing Efficiency Funding Guide and our frequently asked questions.

#### Join a briefing session

We'll be hosting briefing sessions across metropolitan and regional NSW in March and April 2019. Attending a session will help you understand the funding offers, get tips for a successful application and ask any questions you may have. You can register to attend a briefing session here.

If you can't attend in person, there's also an online webinar you can join. A recording of the webinar will be available for people who miss the briefing sessions and live webinar.



#### **REGISTER NOW**

The first round of funding closes at 5pm AEST on 30 June 2019. Funding offers may change in future rounds, so it's a good idea to apply early. Make sure you register your interest on our website to receive program updates.

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