

# Oil to Heat Pump

INCENTIVE PROGRAM

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## Upgrade from Oil Heating to a Heat Pump

### Access Incentives

- » Up to \$1700 per home
- » Plus \$150 top-up for capital region residents
- » Plus additional \$150 for Esquimalt, City of Victoria and Saanich residents
- » Registration is first come, first served
- » Deadline to register and to complete all work is March 31, 2018

### Why is funding available?

- » To help residents avoid costly oil spills and save energy
- » Additional incentives are available with support from the Capital Regional District (CRD), Township of Esquimalt, District of Saanich and City of Victoria

### About

*The Oil to Heat Pump Incentive Program is funded by the Ministry of Energy and Mines' Innovative Clean Energy (ICE) Fund and is administered by City Green Solutions.*

*335 households in the Capital Region can access an extra \$150 when they participate in the Oil to Heat Pump Incentive Program. 180 District of Saanich, 80 City of Victoria and 20 Township of Esquimalt households can access a further \$150 for a total of \$300 in extra incentives.*

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### What's a Heat Pump?

Heat pumps provide clean and affordable comfort year-round. Heat pumps efficiently and effectively heat your home because they only use a small amount of electricity to move a large amount of heat into your home. They also work in reverse in the summer to provide cooling, or air conditioning.



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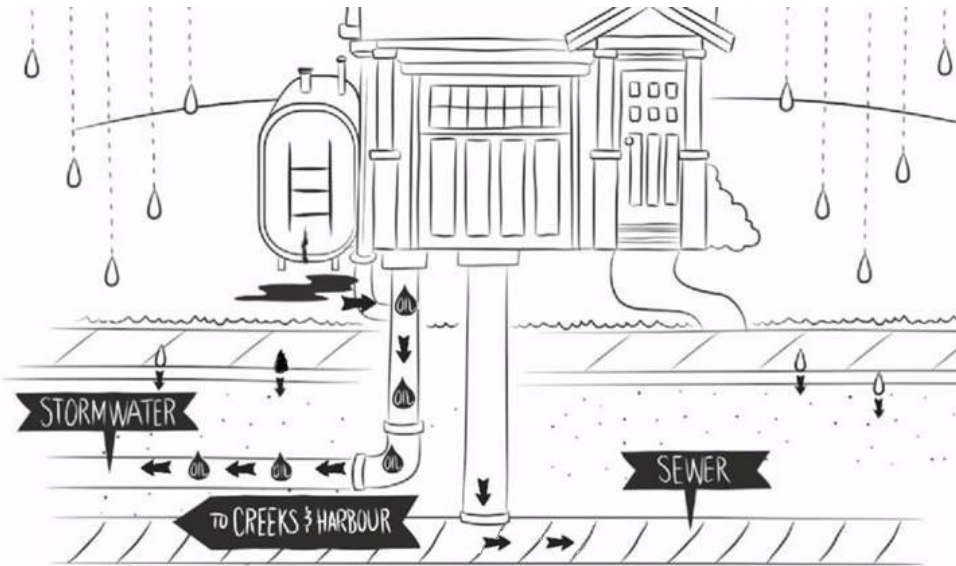


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Both above ground and underground oil tanks are vulnerable to leaking. This leaked oil can migrate into the soil and stormwater system which leads to our local creeks and marine shorelines.

When leaks happen, the property that is found to be the source of the oil leak is responsible to pay for the cost of environmental clean-up, both on and off the source property. Home insurance does not cover these costs.

## Why Upgrade?

- **Shrink heating bills.** A typical heat pump upgrade will save you 40-75% on your heating bills each year, and will pay for itself quickly through energy savings.
- **Affordable heating and cooling.** An efficient way to greatly reduce your home's greenhouse gas emissions – better than not driving your car for 15 years!
- **Gain access to even more rebates** for energy and water saving upgrades through the BC Hydro and FortisBC Home Renovation Rebate program.
- **Reduce the risk of your oil tank leaking.** Recent reports outline the environmental and financial risks to homeowners with aging or under-maintained home heating oil tanks.
- **Oil spills can have serious impacts** on freshwater and marine environments. It is important to report spills immediately to ensure they are mitigated as quickly as possible.

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