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## MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT

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#### Wellesley Municipal Light Plant Announces Clean Comfort Event

## Aging Air Conditioner or Archaic Home Heating? Learn How Air Source Heat Pumps Improve Comfort, Reduce Home Heating and Cooling Costs

*Earn a Rebate of up to \$2,000 While Reducing the Carbon Footprint of Your Home*

**May 11, 2021 (Wellesley, MA)** - Learn how air source heat pumps can save money and improve the comfort of your home when you replace an aging air conditioner or archaic heating system. **On Wednesday, May 19 at 7:00 p.m.** join the Wellesley Municipal Light Plant (WMLP) and its expert panelists for an informational webinar to learn more about the Clean Comfort Program and answer your questions regarding air source heat pumps. For a limited time, this program offers a rebate of up to \$2,000 for qualifying residents who install air source heat pumps. [Click here](#) for more details about this program.

"Installing an air source heat pump to cool and heat your home is an effective way to improve the comfort of your home, shrink home cooling and heating costs while reducing your carbon footprint," said Donald Newell, Director of the Wellesley Municipal Light Plant. "With the WMLP low electric rates and an energy portfolio that continues to add renewable and non-emitting power sources, your participation in this program will have a positive environmental impact in the town," Newell said.

Modern and efficient air source heat pumps move heat rather than generate it. As a result, they heat and cool at a significantly lower operating cost than other systems and eliminate the need for separate heating and cooling systems.

Participants in this virtual event will learn about the cost-saving and comfort benefits of air source heat pumps and hear firsthand from a Wellesley homeowner who recently installed one at her residence. The Wellesley Municipal Light Plant will share details on the Clean Comfort program and the rebate available to residents after installation. Additionally, Christopher Haringa, Program Manager from Abode Energy Management, will give a "Heat Pumps 101" talk, plus provide free and unbiased guidance to help you tailor a cooling and heating system that is ideal for your home.

This free webinar is co-sponsored by the WMLP and Sustainable Wellesley. To register by email for this webinar, please [click here](#). Sustainable Wellesley will continue the conversation on strategic electrification (converting appliances used for heating, cooling, and other domestic use in your home to be electrically powered instead of those dependent on fossil fuels) by hosting additional future events.

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