

# *Energy Savings Checklist*

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- **Compare Your Usage** – Visit [social.opower.com](http://social.opower.com)
- **Seal Your Fireplace** – Close the damper
- **Clean the Coils** of your fridge
- **Maintain Water Heater**
- **Check the Garage Door** – Seal and Insulate
- **Tune Your Heating System** – call in a pro annually
- **Seal Air Ducts**
- **Add Insulation** – get an energy assessment for how and where
- **Don't Over Dry Clothes**
- **Clean the Lint Filter** every time you use the dryer
- **Run a Full Dishwasher**
- **Cook with the Microwave** when you can
- **Shop Energy Smart** – buy EnergyStar appliances
- **Use Power Strips** – shut them off when you are done
- **Cover Your Windows** – shades and plastic window kits keep the heat in

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- **Wash Clothes in Cold Water**
- **Adjust Your Fridge Temp** – 36 – 38 degrees F
- **Check Your Toilet Temp** – if warm, replace the mixer valve
- **Install Low-Flow Shower Heads**
- **Get an Assessment** – check out [Akrebate.com](http://Akrebate.com)