

BUILDING ENERGY CODES

Saving Energy & Money for Illinois

Q How do building energy codes benefit Illinois residents and businesses?



Lower energy bills



Healthier indoor air



A stronger economy

If Illinois adopts the 2018 IECC,
over the next 10 years residents will save:

Consumer Energy Bill Savings

\$209,117,174

Total Energy Savings (MMBTUs)

14,473,296

Total CO₂e Savings (Tons)

1,141,914

That's enough to:

Pay for **5,418** students
to attend 4 years of college



Build **1,609** miles
of new bike lanes



Buy **298,739** new
laptop computers



In CO₂e equivalent, that's like:



Powering
123,304 homes



Installing **289**
new wind turbines



Removing **244,521**
cars from the road



About MEEA: The Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance (MEEA) is a collaborative network focused on advancing energy efficiency in the Midwest for sustainable economic development and environmental stewardship.

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