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The Benefits Are Blinding

- 1. Take advantage of our 25 years of experience helping businesses just like yours.
- 2. Sit back and watch as we handle your energy upgrade from start to finish with our turnkey process.
- 3. Enjoy a free, comprehensive energy audit.
- 4. Save money on top quality products with our large-scale purchasing power.
- 5. Experience a seamless installation process.
- 6. Tap into our unique financing options.
- 7. Let someone else (us!) handle your warranty.
- 8. We understand the needs of supermarkets, gas stations, convenience stores, warehouses, factories, offices, restaurants, auto dealerships, bowling alleys, salons and more.
- 9. We are well versed in all kinds of energy-efficiency upgrades, including exterior lighting, interior lighting, heating and cooling, refrigeration, automation and control monitoring.
- 10. We'll customize your upgrades to meet your unique needs-and your specific budget.
- 11. Rely on our Ally Force Partner Network of more than 500 contractors and distribution centers across the country.
- 12. Experience fast delivery and direct shipment of products to you or our Ally Force partners.
- 13. We have more than a dozen offices and 150 trained and certified Energy Service Representatives across the county to easily serve you.
- 14. We have the size and scale to engage with utilities' small business customers.

The Results Are Robust

- 1. Reduce your energy consumption by up to 80% with LED technology.
- 2. Our customers have saved a bundle (\$1.5 billion) on energy bills. You can, too!
- 3. Our approval rating on project installations is nearly 99%.
- 4. Your indoor and outdoor lighting upgrades will shine new light on your business.
- 5. Your employee productivity and customer traffic will climb.
- 6. Enjoy lower maintenance costs and improved safety.
- 7. Your property value will increase.
- 8. In New York alone, we've provided energy efficiency solutions to 34,245 small businesses in just six years.
- 9. We've partnered with more than half of the top 25 utility companies in the country.
- 10. Our utility customers have tapped into more than \$500 million in utility incentives.

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They Saw the Light

Lime Energy has saved business owners across the country more than \$1.5 billion in energy costs. Find out how.

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Financing

LED and Other Upgrade Financing to Fit Your Budget

Lime Energy Eliminates Financial Headaches

Does this sound familiar? Your energy bill is eating up a huge chunk of your budget and compromising your profitability. You're well aware that retrofitting or upgrading your lights, HVAC system, refrigeration, automation or energy controls would result in major short-term and long-term savings and a better environment for your employees and your customers. But you also know that energy-efficiency projects can be very expensive.

We Feel Your Pain

The costs of energy efficiency upgrades have dropped in recent years, but purchasing and installing new lights, HVAC systems and other improvements still aren't cheap. Lime Energy understands the financial struggle and has developed financing packages to make energy efficiency affordable from Day 1. Our plans can be stretched out over five years and allow you to enjoy all of the benefits of your energy efficiency upgrades today while you pay for them over time. In the past, energy efficiency upgrades were out of reach for most small and medium-sized businesses. But with Lime's friendly LED and other upgrade financing, almost anyone can make these changes.

Utility Incentives

Did you know that most utility companies offer energy efficiency programs for their ratepayers, including special programs for their small business customers? In most territories where Lime Energy operates, utilities pay up to 70 percent of the cost of energy efficiency upgrades. Sometimes, utilities cover the entire bill!

To find out more about incentives and rebates in your area, choose your utility provider from the menu below. Insert "Select Your Utility" dropdown menu

Lime Energy to the Rescue



We have our own unique LED and other upgrade financing packages to sweeten the pot. Our standard offering gives small business owners a 12month payment plan with 0 percent interest. And now we're offering plans for as long as five years! These plans extend the cost of repayment over a year or more without placing any additional financial burden on you. Instead of paying the entire cost upfront, you can make payments as your energy savings roll in. Many small businesses cite the lack of capital as the reason they can't undertake energy efficiency upgrades. These financing plans are the answer. They also create a cash flow positive environment because, in many cases, the energy savings are higher than the monthly payment.

Lime Gives You Choices

Our financing plans are extremely flexible. You don't have to opt for the full 12-month payback. You can pay upfront, choose a shorter payback period and even extend the payback for longer than one year. With Lime Energy, it's all about choices. We want you to be able to choose the upgrades and the financing options that are right for you. By providing customer financing plans, Lime Energy gives small and midsized businesses the power to choose the option they prefer while also reducing the upfront costs that discourage so many clean energy projects.

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National Accounts (Multiple Locations) SAVE

Turnkey Service: How it Works



Why Choose Lime Energy

Every six minutes, Lime helps a small business become energy efficient. Join the revolution.

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HVAC

Let Lime Energy Size Up Your HVAC System

Save Big on HVAC Costs

For many businesses, heating and cooling systems are their largest controllable energy drain, accounting for roughly 40 percent of annual energy bills. However, smart business owners are taking a proactive approach by focusing on cutting these costs without compromising comfort or productivity. Simple changes can help you save 30 percent or more on your heating, ventilation and air conditioning bills. Lime Energy has helped more than 125,000 businesses become more energy efficient and we're ready to do the same for you.

Simple Steps, Major Rewards

Here are just some of the steps you can take to reduce your HVAC costs:

- • Out with the old, in with the new. If your HVAC system is 12 years old or older, you could save up to 20 percent on your energy costs by replacing it. In 2006, the federal government increased the minimum cooling efficiency standard (Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating or SEER) from 10 to 13 or higher. That means newer units are more efficient and cost-effective.
- · Bigger is not always better. Did you know that at least 25 percent of rooftop HVAC units are too large? These oversized systems are inefficient and more costly to operate. At Lime Energy, we will analyze your needs and recommend the unit that's the perfect fit. For maximum performance, we'll provide a top-notch installation, including properly sized ducts that are sealed and well insulated.
- . Opt for an economizer. An economizer can be invaluable for energy savings. When outside temperatures are colder than inside temperatures, an economizer pulls in fresh air from outside, reducing the need for energyeating mechanical cooling. The result: You could save up to 30 percent in energy costs. Considering how much money you will save over time, the cost of economizers for rooftop units is well worth it.
- Lighten the load. A building's heating and cooling use is called its load capacity. There are many ways to reduce your system's load capacity and reduce the amount of heat entering your space, including: improving insulation, installing energy-efficient windows and lighting, using energy-efficient office equipment and controlling ventilation. Lime can help.
- · Take control. Programmable thermostats, multiple cooling and heating zones and demand CO2 sensors are all strategies you can use to make sure systems are being used only when you need them.
- · Maintain your cool (and warmth). Routine maintenance is key to maximizing performance and extending the life of your HVAC system. Money-saving steps include: scheduling seasonal tune-ups by a certified maintenance contractor, replacing air filters regularly, cleaning evaporator and condenser coils, inspecting ducts and piping for leaking or damaged insulation, and repairing old valves and steam traps.

Why Partner With Lime?

We know how to perform energy upgrades that will yield short-term and long-term benefits. Our process is turnkey. We start with a free energy audit to target the upgrades that make sense for you. Then, we provide top-quality equipment and the flawless installation your business deserves. Plus, we'll identify any rebates and incentives and handle the pesky, time-consuming paperwork for savings and warranties. Ask us about financing options, too.

Case Study: Shell gas station

This 24-hour service station needed to drive down costs. Lime helped make that happen through an energy-efficient HVAC system and indoor and outdoor lighting upgrades. The results: \$4,872 a year in energy savings Learn How We Did It

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HVAC

Interior Lighting

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You have the power to improve your business with top quality LED lighting and other energy efficient upgrades. We have the tools. What are you waiting for?

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