

# KEY BENEFITS

**SAVE** on monthly energy costs

**BOOST** the comfort and efficiency of your facility

**INVEST** savings into improving your business

# NO MATTER THE TYPE OF FARM YOU OWN, ENERGY SAVING SOLUTIONS ARE AVAILABLE AND THE PROCESS IS EASY.

Electricity is a big cost for agriculture no matter your specialty, so lowering costs makes good business sense whether you are farming poultry, dairy, swine, or you are a greenhouse producer.

A study by the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs found that individual farms had the potential to save more than \$2,000 per year with energy management and technology improvements.

Lighting and fans (exhaust and re-circulation) alone account for 80% of possible savings, and through your local electric utility, it's easy to make these upgrades!

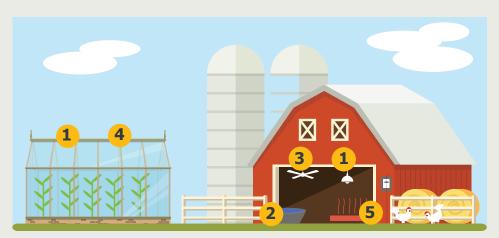


# **DOES MY BUSINESS QUALIFY?**

Retrofit incentives are available to agricultural producers, including dairy, swine or poultry farms, and greenhouses.

If you are a producer that leases its facility, you must provide proof of consent or authorization from the owner.

## **SEE WHERE YOU CAN SAVE**



### 1. FACILITY LED LIGHTING & **GROWER LIGHT LEDS** Up to 75% less electricity LEDs drastically reduce energy use and with 50,000 hours of bulb life you'll also save on replacements.

### 2. LOW-WATTAGEWATERERS New model waterers use less energy and ensure animals are never dehydrated.

### 3. HIGH-EFFICIENCY FANS Save up to 33% per year Keep livestock cool and costs down.

### 4. VFD IRRIGATION PUMPS 20% per pump

Adding VFDs to irrigation pumps can cut your costs by up to 20%

### 5. HEAT PADS

Heat pads outperform heat lamps when it comes to energy savings for crates, comfort stall creep areas and farrowing environments. And they don't burn out like lamps do, risking a no-heat event.



# **THREE EASY STEPS TO PARTICIPATE:**

Contact your local hydro company to schedule a facility assessment

Representatives will visit you and propose an action plan

A licensed contractor will install your upgrades

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT **SAVEONENERGY.CA/AGRICULTURE** OR

CONTACT YOUR LOCAL **HYDRO COMPANY** 

