



JOINING FORCES TO HELP ARKANSAS SAVE

Project at a glance

30%

reduction in air leakage

24%

reduction in duct leakage

\$1,496

incentives paid to the contractor

\$0

out-of-pocket cost to the homeowner



The opportunity

Scott, a Springdale homeowner, is a happy customer of both SWEPCO and Black Hills Energy Arkansas. After noticing his 56-year-old home was having issues with drafts and air quality, he contacted a utility representative to see what home improvement opportunities were available to him.

Due to his income qualifications, Scott was able to take advantage of a free assessment and home upgrades from the Black Hills Energy Arkansas Low Income Pilot Program and the SWEPCO Income Qualified Weatherization Program.

The project

An initial energy assessment identified several key upgrades to address the issues and lower Scott's energy costs. A participating contractor then installed the following at no cost to Scott:

- Bathroom exhaust fan
- Air purifier
- Carbon monoxide and smoke detectors
- Smart thermostat
- Air and duct sealing
- Ceiling insulation

The results

Thanks to the upgrades, Scott's annual duct leakage has dropped by an estimated 24 percent. The extra insulation and air sealing have also reduced drafts and outside noise, while the new exhaust fan and air purifier have significantly improved air quality and will help prevent future moisture issues.

Now, Scott enjoys a safer, more energy-efficient and comfortable home.

“The upgrades have been amazing, and didn’t cost me a thing. It’s great that both energy providers can work together to provide these opportunities.”

Scott, Springdale homeowner



Ready to save?

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