

# NYHEATACT

NY Home Energy Affordable Transition Act

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## CLEANER HEAT • LOWER BILLS

The NY HEAT Act reforms Public Service Law, allowing energy utilities to provide clean energy options while protecting families from high energy costs.

### CUT OUR COSTS

- Ends the 100 foot rule which forces New York families to pay \$200 million/year to subsidize new gas hookups
- Ends the gas mandate, avoiding billions of dollars of future spending on new gas pipes and infrastructure
- Limits energy bills to 6% of income for all households, slashing home energy bills on average \$136/month for nearly 1 in 4 households

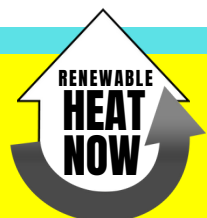
### UPGRADE OUR HOMES and FUEL OUR ECONOMY

- Unlocks billions of dollars in existing funding for clean energy solutions such as thermal energy networks
- Redirects existing funds to pay for modern, energy-efficient electric heating, cooling, and home appliances
- Expands access to air conditioning for millions of New Yorkers who need it
- Creates family-sustaining jobs, facilitating a just transition for gas utility workers

### PROTECT OUR PEOPLE and PLANET

- Mitigates the impacts of the climate crisis, fires, floods, extreme weather & droughts
- Improves indoor air quality. Air pollution from gas-burning buildings in New York State contributes to nearly 2,000 premature deaths each year
- Improves health. Toxins from gas stoves are a leading cause of childhood asthma and other health impacts

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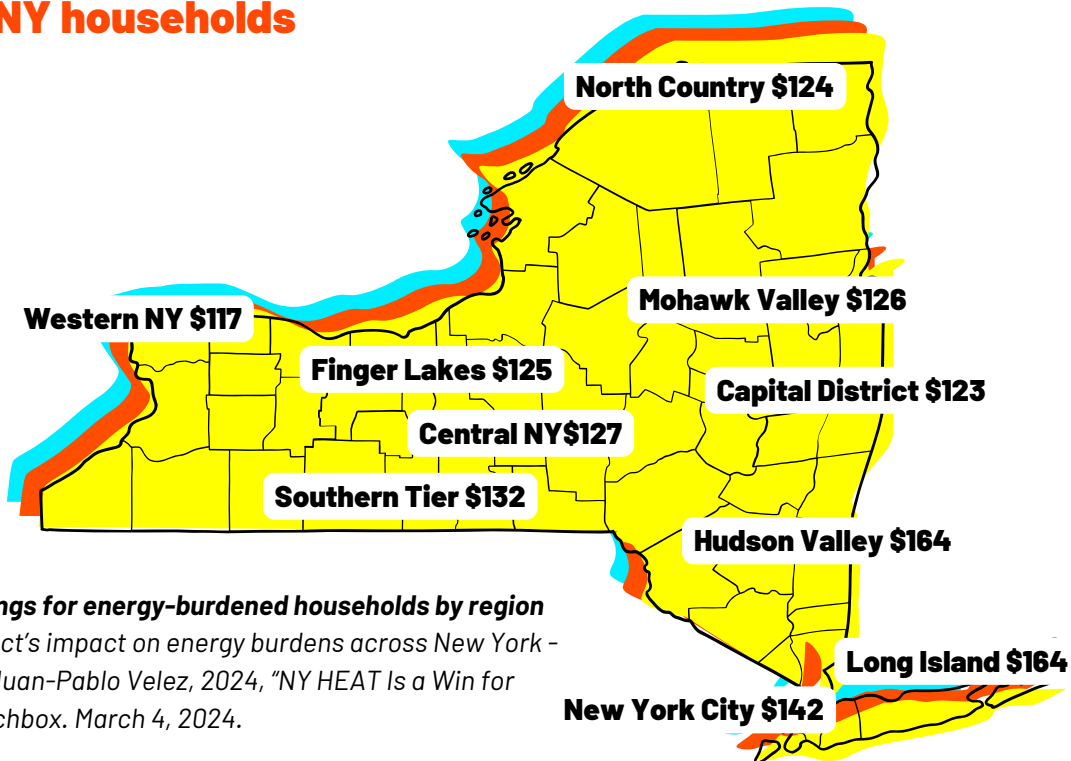
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### THREE WAYS TO SAVE

- 1** Ends the 100 Foot Rule Gas Pipeline Subsidy:  
**Saves at least \$200 Million/Year**
- 2** Ends the Gas Mandate:  
**Avoids \$28 billion future spending on new gas pipes**  
**Allows funds to be directed to clean energy upgrades**
- 3** Puts a 6% Limit on Household Energy Bills:  
**Puts an average of \$136/month back in the pockets of 1 in 4 NY households**



Map: average energy savings for energy-burdened households by region  
Data briefing of NY HEAT Act's impact on energy burdens across New York -  
- Authors: Max Shron and Juan-Pablo Velez, 2024, "NY HEAT Is a Win for Energy Affordability." Switchbox. March 4, 2024.

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