

## PROGRAM TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**Welcome to the AEP Texas: Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Program (“Program”).** By becoming a Participant of the Program, you may reduce stress on the grid in your utility service area. By participating in the Program, you may be eligible to receive the Reward described below, subject to these Program Terms and Conditions (“**Terms**”). To become a Participant in the Program, you must submit an application to, and have it accepted by, both the Sponsor and the Program Administrator (as each is defined below). You must have an installed and operational Device from Emerson to participate in this Program.

YOU MUST BE AN EXISTING USER OF THE VENDOR SERVICE TO BECOME A PARTICIPANT. PLEASE READ THESE TERMS CAREFULLY. THIS PROGRAM IS VOID WHERE PROHIBITED BY LAW.

**Binding Agreement.** By applying for the Program, you agree to comply with and be bound by these Terms, even if your application is not accepted or approved by the Sponsor (as defined below) and the Program Administrator; provided, however, in the event your application is not accepted or approved, you will not be subject to data collection under these Terms. Failure to comply with these Terms may result in your unenrollment from the Program. The decisions of the Sponsor and the Program Administrator regarding your eligibility to participate are final and binding in all respects. Sponsor reserves the right in its sole discretion to unenroll any Participant for, among other things: (1) tampering or attempting to tamper with the operation of the Program; or (2) violating these Terms or the terms and conditions of use of any of Sponsor Parties’ property or service. **Any false information provided within the context of the Program by any Participant is a violation of these Terms and may result in the immediate unenrollment of a Participant and forfeiture of any Reward.**

**About the Program.** Applicants whose applications to participate in the Program are submitted by the enrollment deadline and accepted by the Program Administrator and who fully comply with these Terms may receive an incentive, as set forth below (“**Reward**”), to be provided to you by Program Administrator at the end of each Program period. To receive the Reward, you must be accepted as a Participant by the Sponsor and Program Administrator, and your participation must not be withdrawn or terminated.

**Definitions.** In the context of these Terms:

- “**Adjustment Events**” mean times during the Program Period and when grid operators declare an emergency, when the DER Vendor will control Participant’s Device(s) (on behalf of the Sponsor Parties) to signal the Device to charge, discharge, or change its mode of operation, change device mode, setpoint, or other settings, as applicable.
- “**DER Vendor**” means the third-party manufacturer or provider of the Participant’s thermostat.
- “**Device**” means a device that can be monitored and controlled during the Program through the Vendor cloud platform or other communications pathway.
- “**FAA**” means the Federal Arbitration Act.
- “**Participant**” means an applicant that has been accepted into the Program by the Program Administrator.
- “**Program**” means the AEP Texas: Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Program.
- “**Program Data**” means data related to your identity, your Adjustment Event opt-in or opt-out status, your energy usage and/or energy production, your Program Administrator account, your utility bill, and operational data about your Device(s).
- “**Program Period**” means the duration of the normal operation of the Program from June 1st – September 30th. Events may be called outside the Program Period during times of extreme stress on the grid and an emergency is declared by grid operators.

- **“Program Administrator”** means AEP Texas.
- **“Reward”** means a one-time \$30 enrollment incentive per device and an additional \$15 per enrolled device following conclusion of each season in which you remain in the program.
- **“Service”** means the connection between your Device(s) and the DER Vendor platform.
- **“Sponsor”** means EnergyHub, Inc., 41 Flatbush Avenue, Suite 400A, Brooklyn, NY 11215.
- **“Sponsor Parties”** means Sponsor, DER Vendor, and Program Administrator, their respective successors and assigns, and each of their respective agents, directors, officers, employees and affiliates, and the affiliates’ agents, directors, officers and employees.
- **“Terms”** means these Program Terms and Conditions.

**Application Consent by Participant.** By submitting an application to enroll as a Participant, you authorize the Sponsor Parties to 1) collect and exchange data related to your identity, your Adjustment Event opt-in or opt-out status, your energy usage and/or energy production, your Program Administrator account, your utility bill, and operational data about your Devices (collectively, **“Program Data”**) and retain such data indefinitely, solely for the purposes of determining your eligibility for the Program and operating the Program; 2) review and analyze all of your Program Data for the purposes of the Sponsor Parties fulfilling their obligations under the Program and applicable law, improving the Program, measurement and verification and as otherwise permitted by applicable law, and to exchange conclusions with each other and publish results based on those conclusions, provided that they treat all such Program Data in accordance with their respective privacy policies; 3) automatically signal your Devices to take part in Adjustment Events for this Program or for general system testing purposes; 4) send you emails, text messages and other notifications related to the Program, including about your enrollment status and Program-related adjustments to your Devices; 5) send you emails, text messages and other notifications related to surveys about the Program and to share your responses to such surveys among the Sponsor Parties; 6) summarize the results of the Program in publicly-available studies, provided that any Program Data included in such studies will be anonymous such that you are not individually identifiable.

**Eligibility and Enrollment.** You may apply to become a Participant and participate in the Program if you meet the following eligibility criteria and You:

- You are a business entity or individual (in which case, you must be at least 18 years of age);
- have one or more Devices that are compatible with and connected to the DER Vendor platform (“Service”) and compatible with the Program design;
- maintain an active account in good standing on the Service and a continuous connection between your enrolled Devices and the Service;
- assist Sponsor Parties’ support personnel in troubleshooting and resolving connectivity, firmware and other Device-related issues; and
- have an active residential utility account with your Program Administrator.

**Program Period.** The Program will run for the Program Period defined above. You may be automatically re-enrolled in subsequent Program Periods at Sponsor’s discretion, subject to the then-current Terms for the Program. You may unenroll from the Program at any time.

**Program Description.** Participant agrees to allow DER Vendor, on behalf of the Sponsor Parties, to control the Participant’s Devices during the Program Period. Such adjustments are referred to as **“Adjustment Events.”** Adjustment Events may signal the Device to charge, discharge, or change its mode of operation, change device mode, setpoint, or other settings, as applicable. [For Devices that allow for temperature control, Adjustment Events may include or be preceded by “pre-cool” or “pre-heat” periods, wherein the then-current or scheduled target temperature setpoint is temporarily changed to prepare for the subsequent adjustment.] For certain types of services offered by the Sponsor Parties, an Adjustment Event may occur even if the Device is in any kind of

hold mode at the start of the Adjustment Event. Participant may opt out of a current or future Adjustment Event at any time by directly adjusting the Device.

**How to Apply.** You can apply to participate in the Program through your DER Vendor mobile app or at the Program enrollment website found here: [thermostatrewards.com/aep-texas-byod](http://thermostatrewards.com/aep-texas-byod). The Sponsor Parties may accept or reject your application in their sole discretion.

**How to Withdraw.** Once you are accepted as a Participant in the Program, you may withdraw by emailing the Sponsor contact address specified below. Withdrawal will not affect the other services provided by the Sponsor Parties to you. By withdrawing, you may render yourself ineligible to receive the Reward, participate in the Program in the future, or participate in other programs offered by Sponsor.

**Program Termination.** Sponsor's ability to offer the Program is contingent on receiving certain approvals and acceptances from Program Administrator. If such approvals and acceptances are withheld or withdrawn, or if the Program is declared unlawful, the Program will be terminated along with the Reward. Further, Sponsor's ability to offer the Program to you is contingent on Sponsor's agreements with DER Vendor, and in the event such agreement(s) terminate for any reason, your participation in the Program will be terminated along with the Reward. In the event of such termination, DER Vendor may provide notice to you by email, and Sponsor may provide notice at [www.energyhub.com](http://www.energyhub.com). Termination of the Program will not affect any payment obligations you may have for your DER Vendor Device, and your DER Vendor customer agreement will remain in effect.

**Disqualification.** The Sponsor Parties may terminate your participation in the Program and Reward at any time and without liability upon notice to you via email if you violate these Terms or applicable law, if you do not comply with any reasonable request from a Sponsor Party in connection with this Program, if your Program Administrator declares you ineligible for the Program, if your account with Sponsor or DER Vendor is no longer in good standing, or if you do not maintain a continuous connection between your enrolled Device(s) and the Service. If you enroll in a conflicting energy program through Sponsor Parties, Sponsor may terminate your participation in the Program without liability and without notice. Disqualification from the Program will not affect any payment obligations you may have for your DER Vendor Device, and your DER Vendor customer agreement will remain in effect. **Privacy Notice.** By participating in the Program, you agree that the Sponsor Parties may collect your personal information or data and that if they cannot collect the required information or data, you may not be eligible to participate in the Program. Sponsor Parties will administer your personal information and usage data consistent with these Terms and each company's then-current privacy policy. Sponsor's privacy policy is located at: <http://www.energyhub.com/privacy-policy>

**Changes in Your Utility Costs.** Sponsor Parties are not responsible for any changes in your utility costs during the Program.

**Information.** You represent and warrant to Sponsor that the information you provide to Sponsor while applying for and during the course of the Program is accurate and complete, and you agree to promptly notify Sponsor if any information you provided during your application for or participation in the Program has changed.

**General Conditions.** This Program is governed by the laws of the State of New York without regard to its applicable principles of conflicts of law. The Sponsor Parties' failure to enforce any term of these Terms shall not constitute a waiver of that provision. THE SPONSOR PARTIES ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE FOR ANY INCORRECT OR INACCURATE PROGRAM APPLICATION INFORMATION, AND ASSUME NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR (I) TYPOGRAPHICAL OR OTHER ERRORS IN THE PRINTING OF THE PROGRAM MATERIALS OR THE OFFERING OR ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANY REWARD, (II) ANY ERROR, OMISSION, INTERRUPTION,

DEFECT OR DELAY IN OPERATION OR TRANSMISSION AT ANY WEBSITE, (III) FAILURE OF ANY APPLICATION TO BE RECEIVED BY SPONSOR DUE TO TECHNICAL PROBLEMS, TELEPHONE SERVICE PROBLEMS, PRINTING ERRORS, HUMAN ERROR OR TRAFFIC CONGESTION ON THE INTERNET OR AT ANY WEBSITE, (IV) COMMUNICATIONS LINE, HARDWARE AND/OR SOFTWARE FAILURES, (V) DAMAGE TO ANY COMPUTER OR DEVICE (SOFTWARE OR HARDWARE) RESULTING FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM, (VI) THEFT OR DESTRUCTION OF, TAMPERING WITH, UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS TO, OR ALTERATION OF APPLICATIONS AND/OR PROGRAM APPLICATION INFORMATION, (VII) APPLICATIONS WHICH ARE LATE OR LOST, OR (VIII) ANY LOSS OF INCOME DUE TO DEVICE CONTROL. PARTICIPANT ASSUMES ALL RISK OF PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM.

TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, YOU AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE SPONSOR PARTIES AT ALL TIMES FROM AND AGAINST ANY LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, INJURIES, DAMAGES, COSTS AND EXPENSES TO THE EXTENT THEY ARISE FROM OR ARE RELATED TO (i) YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM OR YOUR RECEIPT OF OR FAILURE TO RECEIVE A REWARD, (ii) ANY ALLEGED ACT, DEFAULT OR OMISSION BY YOU RELATED TO THE PROGRAM OR THESE TERMS, OR (iii) ANY ALLEGED BREACH OF ANY WARRANTY BY YOU. THE SPONSOR INDEMNIFIED PARTIES HAVE NO LIABILITY TO ANY PARTICIPANT OR ANY THIRD PARTY FOR ANY LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, INJURIES, DAMAGES, COSTS OR EXPENSES INCURRED AS A RESULT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH A PARTICIPANT'S PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM.

If any provision of these Terms is held to be invalid or unenforceable, all remaining provisions of these Terms will remain in full force and effect.

These Terms are binding on the Sponsor Parties and Participant. Participant may not assign these Terms without the prior written consent of Sponsor. Sponsor Parties may assign these Terms to any third party without Participant's consent. The Sponsor Parties are not responsible for the policies, actions, or inactions of others that might prevent the Participant from entering, participating, or claiming a Reward. Sponsor Parties shall have no personal liability to Participant or third parties related to the Program or these Terms.

These Terms constitutes the entire agreement between Sponsor Parties and a Participant relating to the subject matter hereof and supersede all other such prior or contemporaneous oral and written agreements and understandings.

**Arbitration.** If You and any Sponsor Party do not resolve any dispute by informal negotiation, any other effort to resolve the dispute will be conducted exclusively by binding individual arbitration governed by the Federal Arbitration Act ("FAA"). YOU ARE GIVING UP THE RIGHT TO LITIGATE (OR PARTICIPATE AS A PARTY OR CLASS MEMBER IN) ALL DISPUTES IN COURT BEFORE A JUDGE OR JURY. Instead, all disputes will be resolved on an individual basis before a single neutral arbitrator, whose decision will be final except for a limited right of appeal under the FAA. Any court with jurisdiction over the parties may enforce the arbitrator's award.

**No Class Action Procedure.** Notwithstanding any of the foregoing or any other provision of these Terms, class arbitration is not permitted under any circumstance. You and the Sponsor Parties agree that, by entering into this Agreement, THE PARTIES MAY BRING CLAIMS AGAINST EACH OTHER ONLY IN THEIR RESPECTIVE INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY, and not as a plaintiff or class member in any purported class or representative proceeding. Further, the parties agree that the arbitrator may not consolidate proceedings or more than one person's claims, and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding. Although the non-availability of any form of representative or class proceeding is clear from this Agreement, should any dispute arise regarding or relating to the existence, validity, enforceability or interpretation of

the Arbitration and No Class Action procedures provisions above, the federal court located in New York, New York shall have the sole and exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine the issue.

**Changes to the Terms.** Sponsor may modify these Terms at any time. We will notify you by email at the most current email address we have on record for you when we make any material changes to these Terms, and the effective date of the modified Terms, which will be after the date of our notice to you. Your continued participation in the Program thereafter signifies your acceptance to such modified Terms. The modified Terms will apply only to disputes that arise after the effective date of such modified Terms. We will also post the most current version of the Terms on our website specified below and encourage you to check this site frequently.

**Acceptance of Agreement.** The use of an electronic signature process to accept and sign these Terms, including your indication of acceptance of these Terms by a click-through or click-wrap process presented on Sponsor's website, shall constitute effective execution and delivery of these Terms, and shall form a binding contract between you and the Sponsor, and the other Sponsor Parties shall be express third party beneficiaries hereof and may enforce the provisions hereof as if they were a party hereto.

**Additional Program Details.** Additional program details are available at the following website address: [thermostatrewards.com/aep-texas-byod](https://thermostatrewards.com/aep-texas-byod). EnergyHub contact information for the program is [aeptexasbyod@energyhub.com](mailto:aeptexasbyod@energyhub.com).

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