

# IQAP INSIGHTS

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It's that time of year when snow falls and festive decorations go up. Explore holiday lighting tips for this season.

## LEARN

LED holiday lights use 75% less energy and last up to 10 times longer than incandescent lights, which could save you hundreds of dollars in one holiday season. LEDs are also safer, since they generate less heat than incandescent lights.

## ACT

- Consider LED holiday lights instead of incandescent bulbs.
- Use electricity-free decorations like tinsel, ribbons, garlands or wreaths.
- Unplug lights when not in use. Electronics use electricity even when plugged in but turned off.
- Consider using an outlet timer for holiday lights as a helpful reminder.

### How does Time-of-Day electric pricing affect decorations?

● ON-PEAK ● OFF-PEAK



34¢ / 10¢ / \$\$ (Incandescent)  
4¢ / 1¢ / \$ (LED)  
to light a string  
of large bulbs



5¢ / 1¢ / \$  
to run a large inflatable  
holiday decoration

\*Pricing listed is for one hour of use.

## FIND OUT MORE

Sign up for a double toilet rebate (\$100 per toilet) until Dec. 31, 2019. Learn more at [fcgov.com/toilet-rebate](http://fcgov.com/toilet-rebate).

## APPLY FOR LEAP TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR IQAP IN 2020



The LEAP Van is coming to Fort Collins, Nov. 16

- 9-11:30 a.m., Northside Aztlan Community Center
- 1-5 p.m., Senior Center

The mobile unit helps individuals sign up for the program on a walk-in basis.

**Required documents:** ID, copy of your heating bill, and 60 days of income verification for all adults in the household or a social security benefit award letter.

Esta información sobre el programa "Income-Qualified Assistance Program", que ofrece una tarifa de luz y agua a descuento, puede ser traducida, sin costo para usted, 970-212-2900.

### NEED ASSISTANCE?

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