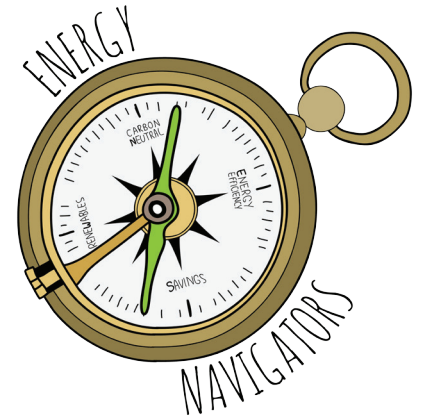


# Smart Partner Program

Connecting you with local Energy Navigators to help you save!

## What is the Smart Partner Program?

Smart Partner is a pilot program designed to connect you with local energy advocates called Energy Navigators who can help you find ways to reduce your energy use, explore renewable forms of energy and save. Energy Navigators complete lengthy training focused on energy efficiency, as well as resources and programs that can help you reduce your energy use and carbon footprint. Best of all, this program is free to participate in.



## Who is eligible?

Tompkins County residents, homeowners and renters, can take advantage of our Smart Partner Program.

## What is an Energy Navigator?

Energy Navigators are certified, local residents who are interested in helping you learn about the ways you can reduce your energy use, energy bills and use renewable forms of energy to heat and power your home. Energy Navigators are trained and knowledgeable on a variety of topics ranging from energy efficiency and renewable energy sources, to available resources and programs that can help you improve your comfort and home's efficiency.

## How can an Energy Navigator help you?

- Provide free advice over the phone, by email or in-person
- Help you learn about and apply for programs that provide free and subsidized home upgrades - improving the comfort of your home and helping you to save
- Provide access to a limited supply of LED lightbulbs, weather stripping, window wraps and instruction on proper installation
- Visit your home to identify inefficient appliances and areas of energy loss
- Present to community groups on energy efficiency, renewable heating and solar energy

## How do I get started?

This program is made possible through a collaboration with [Get Your GreenBack Tompkins](#) at [Cornell Cooperative Extension](#). To get started and request an Energy Navigator, contact **Erica Herman**:

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