New Fuel Cost Library Changes for 2022/2023

Effective for all new audits as of July 1, 2022.

Make two copies of your current Fuel Cost library. Rename the first copy 2022/2023 Audit Fuel Costs. Enter the following unit costs in the Unit Cost section of the Fuel Cost Table.

- Natural Gas: 8.04
- Oil: 3.69
- Electricity: 0.1342
- Propane: 2.40
- Wood: 171.325
- Coal: 126.00
- Kerosene: 3.524
- Other: 6.250

Enter “Fuel costs used with Audits” in the comment section.

The updated Audit Fuel Cost Table should look like the example below.

This fuel cost table will be used for ALL audit runs to determine SIR measures.
Rename the second copy 2022/2023 Energy Index Fuel Costs and enter “Fuel costs used with Energy Index (ART)” in the comment section. Check to make sure the Unit Costs and Heat Content match the example below.

While no longer required by Commerce, this fuel cost table may be used to determine the BTU/HDD/Sq. Ft. calculation in the Normalized Heating Energy Consumption Index Calculator, (or ART). An index calculation of 7 or higher indicates the client as a High Energy User.

This process will need to be repeated for each Library used for Audit Runs.

Do not delete any previous fuel cost tables as they may be connected to existing audits.

If you have any questions, contact weatherization.commerce@state.mn.us