# THE RNG PIPELINE -



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SUMMER
Energy
Efficiency
Ideas

DISCOVER THE POSSIBILITIES
LOWER YOUR
HEATING BILL! RNG@

imple and inexpensive actions during hot summer months have the ability to lessen your internal structure heat and potentially reduce your cooling bill.

Stay tuned for seasonal updates and money saving tips from Raton Natural Gas. All are part of the Raton Natural Gas **RNG**e program and a continuing commitment to the citizens of our area.

### Don't Heat Your Home With Your Appliances and Lighting

- On hot days, avoid using the oven; cook on the stove, use a microwave oven, or grill outside.
- Install efficient lighting that runs cooler then traditional lighting. Only about 10% to 15% of the electricity that incandescent lights consume results in light—the rest is turned into heat.
- Take advantage of daylight instead of artificial lighting, but avoid direct sunlight.
- Wash only full loads of clothes and dishes. Consider air drying to save energy and reduce home heating during hot days.
- Attempt to minimize activities that generate a lot of heat, such as running a computer, burning open flames, running the dishwasher, and using hot devices such as curling irons or hair dryers. Even stereos and televisions add heat to your home.

#### **Keep Hot Air from Leaking Into Your Home**

- Seal cracks and openings to prevent warm air from leaking into your home.
- Add caulk or weather-stripping to seal air leaks around leaky doors and windows.
   \* Energy Savings Tips Found at Energy. Gov

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## NEW RATON APP—NOW AVAILABLE.

Submitted By: Brenda Ferri

The new Raton, New Mexico App is now available! Keep up to date with area events, news and information. Download the Explore Raton app from the Apple App Store or Google Play on your smartphone or device today!





#### RNG WEBSITE LIVE

By: RNG STAFF

www.RatonNaturalGas.com is live and on the internet. Continuous updates and build out will occur through the summer.

We hope to utilize this tool to effectively communicate money saving tips, energy efficiency programs, company news, community news and ultimately online bill pay options.

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