



Change a LIGHT Change the WORLD



The Change a Light, Change the World fundraiser, sponsored by Energy Trust of Oregon, helps congregations, schools and other organizations earn funds by selling energy-efficient, ENERGY STAR® qualified compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs). Participants earn a 50 percent profit on every CFL sold and receive free instructional materials and customized interactive presentations about energy efficiency.

Frequently Asked QUESTIONS

1) Why sell CFLs?

CFLs offer a concrete way to help combat global climate change. They are a product that saves money and they're something that everyone uses.

Here are some reasons customers buy CFLs:

- They use up to 75 percent less energy while emitting the same amount of light
- Each CFL can save, on average, \$30 over the life of the bulb when replacing a standard incandescent bulb
- They last up to 10 times long than standard incandescent bulbs
- Using less energy means lower energy costs month after month

2) What is ENERGY STAR?

The ENERGY STAR label is awarded to products that exceed federal energy efficiency standards—simply put; they are the most efficient products on the market today.

3) Who is Energy Trust?

Energy Trust of Oregon is an independent nonprofit organization dedicated to energy efficiency and renewable energy development.

4) How much do the CFLs cost through the fundraiser?

The CFLs sold through the fundraiser are priced from \$3 to \$4. Your organization keeps 50 percent of the purchase price for each bulb sold. These ENERGY STAR qualified CFLs are priced competitively with CFLs sold at retail stores. Consider doubling your stewardship impact by using the funds you raise to help your organization invest in energy efficient improvements or to purchase renewable energy from your utility.

5) What is involved in placing our order?

At the end of the sales period, compile the number of bulbs in the spreadsheet provided to you by Change a Light, Change the World staff. Fax, mail or e-mail the spreadsheet along with a check for half of the amount raised (the other half is your profit).

6) When will we receive our order?

The CFL bulbs will be sent to you for distribution within two weeks of placing your order. If you do not receive your bulbs within that time frame, please contact the program to ensure they are being delivered.

7) How are the CFLs packaged?

Each CFL will come individually packaged in a sturdy cardboard box. Any broken bulbs will be replaced at no cost to you simply contact the program to make arrangements.

8) Can CFLs be recycled?

Yes, always dispose of CFLs properly according to state laws. Visit www.energytrust.org/clcw to learn more.

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