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Here are some testimonials from Clean Heat Program participants!

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<u>Seattle residents see benefits like better air quality, higher comfort, and lower utility bills.</u>

"[W]e benefit from **much better performance at a lower cost**. That includes **cooling our home during the summer** when our young kids were often challenged to sleep during heat waves. We do so without the guilt of damaging our indoor air quality or contributing to regional climate challenges." – Resident in West Seattle

I get "[c]ost savings, **more evenly spread heat**, AC in the summer!" – Resident in Columbia City

"Replacing an oil furnace has saved a great deal of money. The heat pump performs very well, and I have the added benefit of cool[ing] in the summer." – Resident in Lake City

"Our **heat pump is a lot quieter** than our old oil furnace and we don't have to worry about our oil tank leaking, which was always a concern in the back of our minds." – Resident in Greenwood

"The **heat pump program was honestly painless** from the contractor experience through to permits and final inspections." – Resident in Leschi

<u>People also wanted to move away from their oil furnace for several reasons:</u>

"Our house came with an **oil furnace that provided inefficient heat** and no air conditioning, and so **we were chilly in the winter and too hot in the summer**. With a heat pump, the house is pleasant all the time." – Resident in Delridge

"With a house as old as ours, we were also nervous about the condition of the oil tank and wanted to decommission it before anything bad happened." – Resident in Ballard

"Benefits of breathing cleaner air. Wanted to be able to have cooling ability in the summer. **Long and short term health benefits of not having an oil furnace** any longer." – Resident in Lake City

"Environmental and fiscal reasons and for a more consistent heat that would evenly heat our entire house instead of blasting on, heating quickly in select areas, and then turning off." – Resident in Rainier Valley

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