

Zoned Electric Heating Systems

The right heating system can make a home more functional. There are many factors to consider when choosing, changing or adding a heating system. People who compare realize that a zoned electric heating system offers many advantages and options for heating a home or business.

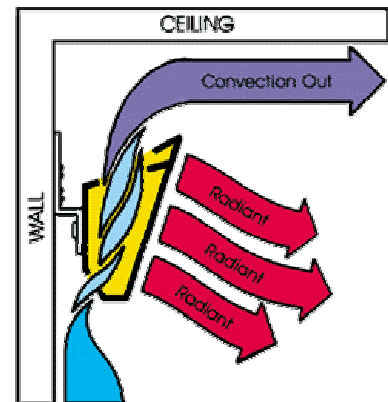
How they work

The main advantage of a zoned heating system is it allows you to have individual room temperature control. Each room that has a zoned heating system installed also has its own thermostat. This type of system saves you money by allowing you to turn the temperature down when rooms are not being used. Zoned electric systems offer you instant heat at the right level when you need it.

Types of Systems

The most common types of zoned heating systems are electric baseboards or electric cove heaters. We all know electric baseboard heaters are those long narrow heaters installed along the perimeter of a room. They can be installed quickly and easily. Baseboard heat is ideal for homes without ductwork or which are being added on to. They are the most inexpensive type of heat that you can install in your home.

Cove heaters are installed on the wall near the ceiling. This permits complete freedom for furniture arrangement. Cove heaters are surface-mounted, which makes them easy to use in remodeling projects or new construction. Rather than heating air in a room, a cove heater heats objects in the room.



Clean Savings

Because electric baseboards or electric cove heaters are 100% efficient, they are less costly to operate than a propane or fuel oil furnace which typically operating in the 60-80% efficiency range. Baseboard and cove heating systems also qualify for a special electric heating rate from Verendrye.

Rebates and Financing

Rebates based on system size and low interest financing are available from Verendrye for the purchase and installation of a zoned heating system. Call our member service department at 1-800-472-2141.