

Tax Credit Radio Media Tour
Talking Points
Draft 1

1. A tax credit lowers your tax bill – dollar for dollar; credit is taken when taxes are filed (this is to distinguish us from Cash for Clunkers)
2. This is the first time a consumer tax credit for wood or pellet stove or insert to encourage energy-conscious purchases
3. Consumer can take up to \$1500 or 30% of cost of stove and installation
4. Requirements:
 - a) 75% efficient wood or pellet stove
 - b) Purchased in 09 or 10
 - c) Maximum credit is \$1500 over the 2-years
 - d) Principal residence only
 - e) Keep all receipts and manufacturer's certification

For (1) more the information, (2) product information, (3) a fuel efficiency calculator to determine your savings and (4) to find a retailer in your area, go to

www.hpba.org/taxcredit