



# ELECTRIC FORKLIFTS

## WORK SMARTER, SAFER AND CLEANER

**Electric-powered forklift technology has improved so much that Independence Light & Power is now offering a rebate of \$750 toward the purchase of or conversion to Class 1 or Class 2 electric forklifts.**

### Electric forklifts are gaining in popularity.

**The benefits of electric forklifts are:**

- **Easier to maneuver**—they can operate in narrower aisles
- **Stronger**—they can lift up to 12,000 lbs
- **Longer lasting**—they can run up to 8 hours on a single battery charge
- **Safer and quieter**—they contribute to a healthier workplace
- **Less expensive to operate**—they have lower fuel and ownership costs
- **Better for the environment**—they have no harmful emissions

### Forklift Classifications

#### Class 1 - Electric Motor Rider Trucks

These forklifts can be equipped with either cushion or pneumatic tires. They are powered by industrial batteries and use transistor motors to control travel and hoist functions. They are very versatile and are

found from the loading dock to the storage facility. They are generally used in applications where air quality factors need to be considered.

#### Class 2 - Electric Motor Narrow Aisle Trucks

These forklifts are for companies that opt for very narrow aisle operation and include order pickers, high lift straddles, side loaders and turret trucks. This allows them to maximize the use of storage space. These vehicles have been developed with unique features that are designed to minimize the space occupied by the truck and to improve speed and efficiency.

### Rebate Eligibility Requirements

Purchase or lease (minimum of 3 years) of new equipment is required to get the \$750 rebate.

### Get your Rebate

To get more information and claim your rebate, contact your Energy Services Representative today.

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