# THE FIRST STEP TO SAVING ENERGY IS KNOWING HOW MUCH YOU USE

This plug-in energy monitor makes it easy for you to learn how much energy your home's appliances use. With that information, you can begin taking simple steps to reduce your usage, which could result in savings on your home energy bill.

Knowledge is power. Open the energy meter box and start saving today!

### **Benefits of your TrickleStar Energy Monitor**

- Shows energy use and cost for individual appliances
- Displays real-time measurements and projects daily, monthly and yearly figures
- Includes surge protection capabilities

#### **QUICK START GUIDE**

#### How to install

- 1 Insert your monitor into a wall outlet so that the green LED light comes on.
- 2 Plug your appliance power cord into the TrickleStar monitor.

# Programming your electrical utility rate

The default rate is set at \$0.12/kWh. To set a different rate, hold down the COST button for five seconds, then use the up and down arrows to adjust. Press OK to set and exit back to main screen.

## **USING YOUR TRICKLESTAR ENERGY MONITOR**

## **Energy Mode**

- To display your appliance's current energy use, press the ENERGY button once. The monitor will display the reading to the right of the measurement.
- Press the ENERGY button again to scroll through DAY, MONTH and YEAR estimated values.
- To return to real-time readings, hit the ENERGY button once more.

#### **Cost Mode**

- After the electric utility rate has been set, press the COST button to display the real-time cost of running the appliance.
- Press the COST button again to scroll through DAY, MONTH and YEAR estimates.
- To return to real-time readings, press the COST button once more.

See manual inside for complete instructions.