

## Pasadena HVAC Company Debunks Maintenance Myths That May Cost Homeowners

Local HVAC Company Clears Up Misconceptions That Could Cost Homeowners

PASADENA, CA, UNITED STATES, April 3, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Misconceptions about HVAC maintenance can lead to higher energy bills, unnecessary repairs, and shorter system lifespans.



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Pioneers Heating & Air

Pioneers Heating & Air, a leading HVAC service provider in Pasadena, Beverly Hills, and Santa Clarita, is helping homeowners avoid expensive mistakes by addressing several of the most common HVAC myths.

The company <u>recently shared</u> guidance to clarify misinformation that continues to circulate in online forums and among homeowners.

"Homeowners often follow well-intentioned advice that simply isn't accurate," said Pioneers Heating & Air

spokesperson. "Even small misunderstandings, like skipping routine filter changes or closing vents in unused rooms, can impact performance and energy use."

Pioneers Heating & Air outlines the following common myths and facts:

Myth: Air filters only need to be changed once a year

Fact: Filters should be replaced every one to three months, depending on usage. A clogged filter restricts airflow, reduces efficiency, and can strain the system.

Myth: HVAC maintenance is only needed when something breaks

Fact: Preventive maintenance helps identify minor issues before they become major and costly repairs.

Myth: Closing vents in unused rooms saves energy

Fact: This practice disrupts system airflow, causing pressure imbalances and reducing system performance.

Myth: Bigger systems are better

Fact: Oversized systems can short-cycle, increasing wear and energy consumption. Proper sizing ensures efficient operation.

Myth: DIY repairs are a good way to save money

Fact: Untrained repairs can worsen problems or void warranties. Certified technicians are trained to diagnose and resolve HVAC issues correctly.

Pioneers Heating & Air encourages homeowners to rely on professional HVAC support and stay informed on proper maintenance practices to improve system efficiency and lifespan. Homeowner Survey Reveals Maintenance and Repair Gaps

A survey conducted by <u>Williams Comfort Air and Mr. Plumber</u> highlights the risks of skipping routine HVAC maintenance.

Of 556 homeowners surveyed, 69% do not have an ongoing HVAC or plumbing maintenance plan, and 30% have never scheduled a maintenance visit. Financial readiness is also a concern—65% saved less than \$1,000 for emergency home repairs, although <u>average HVAC repair costs were as high as \$2,000 in 2024</u>.

The data underscores the importance of prevention, especially as overlooked issues like clogged drain lines or cracked heat exchangers can lead to major repair costs.

About Pioneers Heating & Air

Pioneers Heating & Air provides residential and commercial HVAC installation, repair, and maintenance services in Pasadena, Beverly Hills, and Santa Clarita. The company is known for timely service, expert technicians, and a commitment to energy-efficient solutions. Learn more at pioneersheatingandair.com.

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