



Town of Auburn

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DO NOT DISCARD — IMPORTANT Notice Regarding Electricity Rates

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THE TOWN OF AUBURN'S COMMUNITY CHOICE POWER SUPPLY PROGRAM



The Town of Auburn is announcing the new rate and term for its Community Choice Power Supply Program through its new electricity supplier, **NextEra Energy Services**. The Town's new aggregation rate is fixed **for all rate classes for 12 months** as follows:

Term	New Rate (Supply Only)	Renewable Energy Content
November 2022 to November 2023	\$0.23822 per kWh	Meets MA renewable energy requirements
<i>[Rate applies to service beginning and ending on the days of the month that your meter is read in your service area. This date varies by account.]</i>		

For comparison purposes, National Grid's Residential Basic Service rate is fixed at \$0.33891 per kWh from November 1, 2022 thru April 30, 2023. **Due to economic and geo-political conditions worldwide, electricity prices are higher now than in prior years. However, the Town's new rate is fixed which provides protection against market spikes over the 12-month term but doesn't lock the Town into the elevated prices beyond that should the market stabilize.**

It is important to note that **no action will be required** by individual consumers. All accounts currently enrolled in the Town's Program will be switched to NextEra as of the November 2022 meter reads. This change will be noted on the November 2022 bills and will be seen on the December 2022 bills. Consumers with questions about the Program should call Colonial Power Group, the Town's aggregation consultant, at (866) 485-5858 ext. 1.

For more detailed information about the Town's Program, including how to OPT-OUT or OPT-IN, or to access National Grid's Basic Service rates, please visit colonialpowergroup.com/auburn or call NextEra at (855) 782-9301. You may OPT-OUT or OPT-IN at any time in the future with NO CHARGE.

National Grid has several programs to help income-eligible families and customers needing special assistance meet their energy needs. To learn more, please visit nationalgridus.com/MA-Home/Bill-Help/Payment-Assistance-Programs.

Basic Service rates change twice a year or more, depending on rate class. As a result, the aggregation rate may not always be lower than the Basic Service rate. The goal of the aggregation is to deliver savings and stability over the life of the Program against National Grid Basic Service. However, such savings and future savings cannot be guaranteed.