



ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED RATE CHANGES

The Town of Stowe Electric Department (“SED”) has recently filed for a proposed 7.9% rate increase with the Vermont Public Utility Commission (“Commission”), case #18-____-TF. The overall increase in rates for SED is due largely to increased costs to supply and distribute energy to consumers. The proposed rates will apply to electric service rendered as of August 15, 2018.

To determine the impact on your individual bill, use the proposed rate column and your average monthly consumption. For example, a residential customer using 600 kWh would calculate their bill as follows:

	<i>Present Rates</i>		<i>Proposed Rates to take effect on August 15, 2018</i>	
<i>Customer Charge</i>		\$13.96		\$15.06
<i>NYPA</i>	76 x \$0.0783	\$5.95	76 x \$0.0845	\$6.42
<i>kWh</i>	524 x \$0.1611	\$84.42	524 x \$0.1738	\$91.07
<i>Total Bill</i>		\$104.33		\$112.55

Although the Commission must approve SED’s rates, it does not have the authority to suspend this rate request. If the Commission decides not to open a formal investigation, the rates will take effect August 15, 2018, on a permanent basis. However, if it appears to the Commission that the rates may be unreasonable, the Commission may order a formal investigation and hearing on the proposed rate changes. If the Commission reduces SED’s proposed rates after an investigation, SED will provide you with a refund of charges collected by SED to the extent that they exceed the final rate determined by the Commission. Any person wishing to comment on the proposed rate change should file his or her views in writing with the Clerk of the Commission, Public Utility Commission, 112 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05620-2701, via email to puc.clerk@vermont.gov, or the Commission’s electronic portal at <http://puc.vermont.gov/epuc-information/make-filing>. Any comments to the Commission should be filed by July 30, 2018.

Any interested person may examine the tariff filing at the office of the Public Utility Commission or at the Town of Stowe Electric Department offices during normal business hours. They can also be viewed on the SED website at www.stoweelectric.com or by using the PUC’s website by going to: <http://puc.vermont.gov/epuc-information/case-and-document-search>. Any questions can be directed to Town of Stowe Electric Department, 56 Old Farm Road, Stowe, VT 05672, or via email to stowe_electric@stoweelectric.com. They can also be directed to the Vermont Public Utility Commission, 112 State Street, Montpelier, VT 05620-2701, or via email to puc.clerk@vermont.gov.

Rate Class	Current Rates	Proposed Rates to take effect on August 15, 2018
RESIDENTIAL 01		
Customer Charge	\$13.96	\$15.06
0-76 kWh NYPA	\$0.0783	\$0.0845
+76 kWh	\$0.1611	\$0.1738
RESIDENTIAL TOU/CPP 03		
Customer Charge	\$13.96	\$15.06
Winter Peak	\$0.2329	\$0.2513
Winter Off-Peak	\$0.1358	\$0.1465
Summer CPP	\$0.6117	\$0.6600
Summer Non-CPP Peak	\$0.1757	\$0.1895
Summer Off-Peak	\$0.1108	\$0.1195
RESIDENTIAL STORAGE HEAT 11		
Customer Charge	\$17.84	\$19.25
kWh	\$0.12302	\$0.1327
COMMERCIAL 20		
Customer Charge	\$13.98	\$15.08
kWh	\$0.1564	\$0.1688
COMMERCIAL 25		
Customer Charge	\$157.34	\$169.77
kWh	\$0.0861	\$0.0929
kW	\$15.37	\$16.58
Primary Metering Discount	-2.5%	-2.5%
Transformer Ownership Discount per kW	\$0.457	\$0.474
STREET LIGHT 30		
Customer Charge	\$23.97	\$25.86
kWh	\$0.15968	\$0.1723
STREET LIGHT LED 31		
Customer Charge (SED Equipment)/month	\$5.14	\$5.55
Customer Charge (Customer Equipment)/month	\$3.14	\$3.39
ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATION 35		
Flat Connection Fee	\$1.93	\$2.08
Rate each four initial hours	\$0.48	\$0.5179
Rate each subsequent hour	\$0.96	\$1.0358
INTERRUPTIBLE LOAD TARIFF		
Customer Charge	\$8,553.22	\$9,228.92