

THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY
BASIC RESIDENTIAL RATE (A-16)
ELECTRIC RETAIL DELIVERY SERVICE

1. DESCRIPTION AND STATUTORY AUTHORITY

- 1.1. This tariff describes electric delivery service for residential customers pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-2-1.

2. AVAILABILITY

- 2.1. Service is available under this tariff for residential customers taking Retail Delivery Service.

3. ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1. Electric delivery service under this rate is available for all domestic purposes in an individual private dwelling, an individual private apartment, or an individual private condominium.
- 3.2. Service is also available for farm customers where all electricity is delivered by the Company.
- 3.3. Service under this rate is also available to residential condominium associations for service provided to common areas and facilities. The condominium association must provide documentation of the establishment of a residential condominium and a written statement identifying all buildings or units which are part of the condominium.
- 3.4. A church and adjacent buildings owned and operated by the church may be served under this rate, but any such buildings separated by public ways must be billed separately.

4. DEFINITIONS

- 4.1. "Commission" shall mean the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission.
- 4.2. "Company" shall mean The Narragansett Electric Company.
- 4.3. "Customer Charge" shall mean a charge that does not depend on usage (dollar per customer, or \$/customer).
- 4.4. "Kilowatt-hour" or "kWh" shall mean a unit of electrical energy.
- 4.5. "Retail Delivery Service" shall mean the distribution of electricity or gas by The Narragansett Electric Company to its customers not for wholesale or transmission purposes.
- 4.6. "R.I. Gen. Laws" shall mean Rhode Island General Laws.
- 4.7. "Volumetric Charge" shall mean a charge that depends on usage (dollar per kilowatt-hour, or \$/kWh)

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5. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 5.1. The Company's Terms and Conditions then in effect, where not inconsistent with any specific provisions hereof, are a part of this rate.
- 5.2. The Company may under unusual circumstances permit more than one set of living quarters to be served through one metering installation under this rate, but if so, the Customer Charge shall be multiplied by the number of separate living quarters so served.
- 5.3. For customers that are condominium associations, except at the Company's option, service to each individual unit shall be separately metered and billed apart from the common areas and facilities. If the Company permits more than one individual unit to be served through one metering installation, the Customer Charge shall be multiplied by the number of individual units served. Where a condominium includes space used exclusively for commercial purposes, all electric delivery service provided through the meter serving the commercial space will be charged at the appropriate commercial rate. Where a single metering installation records electric delivery service to both common areas/facilities and commercial space, all electric delivery service provided through the single meter will be billed under this rate.
- 5.4. For customers that are condominium associations, electric delivery service provided to Company owned streetlights will be billed on the appropriate street and area lighting tariff.

6. OTHER COMPANY TARIFF PROVISIONS

- 6.1. Any Customer served under this rate who is eligible for Last Resort Service shall receive such service pursuant to the Last Resort Service tariff.

7. CHARGE(S)

- 7.1. The charge consists of a Customer Charge (dollar per customer per month) and a Volumetric Charge (dollar per kilowatt-hour). The components of the Customer Charge and the Volumetric Charge are summarized in R.I.P.U.C. No. 2095, and in R.I.P.U.C. 2096 for customers utilizing Last Resort Service for their electricity supply.
- 7.2. The Monthly Charge will be the sum of the applicable Retail Delivery Service Charges set forth in R.I.P.U.C. No. 2095, Summary of Retail Delivery Rates.

8. RATE ADJUSTMENT PROVISIONS

- 8.1. The charges for delivery service under this rate shall be subject to adjustment pursuant to the following provisions:
 - 8.1.1. Customer Credit Provision
 - 8.1.2. Energy Efficiency Program Provision

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- 8.1.3. Infrastructure, Safety, and Reliability Provision
- 8.1.4. Last Resort Service Adjustment Provision
- 8.1.5. LIHEAP Enhancement Plan Provision
- 8.1.6. Long Term Contracting for Renewable Energy Recovery Provision
- 8.1.7. Long Term Contracting for Renewable Energy Recovery Reconciliation Provision
- 8.1.8. Net Metering Provision
- 8.1.9. Pension Adjustment Mechanism Provision
- 8.1.10. Qualifying Facilities Power Purchase Rate
- 8.1.11. Renewable Energy Growth Program Cost Recovery Provision
- 8.1.12. Residential Assistance Provision
- 8.1.13. Revenue Decoupling Mechanism Provision
- 8.1.14. Storm Fund Replenishment Provision
- 8.1.15. Transition Cost Adjustment Provision
- 8.1.16. Transmission Service Cost Adjustment Provision

9. MINIMUM CHARGE

- 9.1 The minimum charge per month is the Customer Charge.

10. GROSS EARNINGS TAX

- 10.1. A Rhode Island Gross Earnings Tax adjustment will be applied to the charges determined above in accordance with Rhode Island General Laws.

11. NOTICE

- 11.1. Modifications to this rate shall be made in accordance with a notice filed with the Commission pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-3-11(a) setting forth the amount of the revised factor and the amount of the increase or decrease. The notice shall further specify the effective date of such charges.