

On September 29, 2022, the RPU Utility Board directed staff to give public notice of the proposed increase to general electric rates by 2.5 % (3.5% for Residential) and to general water rates by 5% for 2023 in the paper of record. Changes in the electric rates will result in an average monthly increase of \$2.27 for the average residential electric customer. Changes in the water rates will result in an increase of \$.74 for the average residential water customer. The table below includes the actual changes by rate. The proposed rates will also be available on the RPU website (www.rpu.org) and by calling RPU customer service (507.280.1500).

Public comment on the proposed rates will be taken at the October 25, 2022, and November 29, 2022 RPU Board Meetings prior to the Board voting on the proposed budget and rate increase. If approved, the Board will recommend approval by the City Council on December 5, 2022.

Please contact Tony Benson at 507-280-1534 or email at tbenson@rpu.org.

Proposed 2023 Electric Rate Tariff changes

		2022	2023
Residential Rate RES	Customer Charge	\$ 19.40	\$ 20.50
	Non Summer Energy (kWh)	\$ 0.10890	\$ 0.11203
	Summer Energy (kWh)	\$ 0.13008	\$ 0.13382
Residential Dual Fuel Rate RES-DF	Energy Charge (kWh)	\$ 0.08128	\$ 0.08362
Residential High Efficiency HVAC Rate RESELGEO	Customer Charge	\$ 19.40	\$ 20.50
	Non Summer Energy first 600kWh	\$ 0.10890	\$ 0.11203
	Non Summer Energy over 600kWh	\$ 0.09126	\$ 0.09388
	Summer Energy(kWh)	\$ 0.13008	\$ 0.13382
Residential Time of Use RES-TOU	Customer Charge	\$ 19.40	\$ 20.50
	Non-Summer Energy		
	Super Peak/kWh	\$ 0.14123	\$ 0.14529
	On-peak/kWh	\$ 0.14123	\$ 0.14529
	Off-peak/kWh	\$ 0.07158	\$ 0.07364
	Summer Energy		
	Super-peak/kWh	\$ 0.29241	\$ 0.30082
Small General Service SGS	Customer Charge	\$ 38.00	\$ 35.00
	Non-Summer Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.10507	\$ 0.10790
	Summer Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.13523	\$ 0.13887
Small General Service High Efficiency HVAC GSHEF	Customer Charge	\$ 38.00	\$ 35.00
	Non-Summer Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.08766	\$ 0.09002
	Summer Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.13525	\$ 0.13889
Small General Service Time of Use SGS-TOU	Customer Charge	\$ 38.00	\$ 35.00
	Non-Summer Energy		
	On-peak/ kWh	\$ 0.18208	\$ 0.18698
	Off-peak/ kWh	\$ 0.06251	\$ 0.06419
	Summer Energy/ kWh		
	On-peak/ kWh	\$ 0.22725	\$ 0.23337
	Off-peak/ kWh	\$ 0.06625	\$ 0.06803
Medium General Services MGS	Non-Summer Demand Charge / kW	\$ 17.830	\$ 18.190
	Non-Summer Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.05760	\$ 0.05875
	Summer Demand Charge / kW	\$ 24.060	\$ 24.540
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Medium General Services High Efficiency MGS-HEF	Non-Summer Demand Charge / kW	\$ 16.500	\$ 16.833
	Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.04816	\$ 0.04912
	Summer Demand Charge / kW	\$ 20.640	\$ 21.052
	Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.05996	\$ 0.06116
Medium General Service Time of Use MGS-TOU	Non-Summer On-peak Demand / kW	\$ 17.830	\$ 18.190
	Off-peak Demand / kW	\$ 1.933	\$ 1.972
	Energy Charge / kWh	\$ 0.05947	\$ 0.06066
	Summer On-peak demand / kW	\$ 24.060	\$ 24.540
	Off-peak demand / kW	\$ 1.933	\$ 1.972
	Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.05947	\$ 0.06066
Large General Service LGS	Demand Charge / kW	\$ 21.000	\$ 21.420
	Energy Charge / kWh	\$ 0.05760	\$ 0.05875
Large Industrial LIS	Demand Charge / kW	\$ 20.500	\$ 20.500
	Energy charge/ kWh	\$ 0.0534	\$ 0.0555
Interruptible	Demand Charge/ kW		
	MGS	\$ 12.950	\$ 13.211
	LGS	\$ 11.640	\$ 11.873
City Street Lights	Mercury Vapor (All Sizes)	\$ 0.23249	\$ 0.2383
	Metal Halide (All Sizes)	\$ 0.24657	\$ 0.25273
	LED RPU Owned (All Sizes)	\$ 0.55720	\$ 0.57113
	LED (All Sizes)	\$ 0.41650	\$ 0.42691
	High Pressure Sodium (All Sizes)	\$ 0.22249	\$ 0.23830
Security Lights	Mercury Vapor Lights (Closed)		
	Size: 175 Watt	\$ 10.65	\$ 10.92
	250 Watt	\$ 13.02	\$ 13.35
	400 Watt	\$ 18.50	\$ 18.96
	High Pressure Sodium Vapor		
	Size: 70 Watt	\$ 9.27	\$ 9.50
	100 Watt	\$ 11.04	\$ 11.32
	150 Watt	\$ 12.42	\$ 12.73
	250 Watt	\$ 15.46	\$ 15.85
	400 Watt	\$ 20.27	\$ 20.78
Light Emitting Diode (LED) Lights			
Size: LED Area Light	\$ 11.04	\$ 11.32	
LED Roadway Light	\$ 15.46	\$ 15.85	
Traffic Signals	Fixed Charge	\$ 34.00	\$ 34.85
	Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.10547	\$ 0.10811
Un-Metered Device Rate	Fixed Charge / Mo	\$ 11.18	\$ 11.46
	Energy Charge/ kWh	\$ 0.11448	\$ 0.11734
Civil Defense Sirens	Fixed Charge/ Mo	\$16.60	\$17.02

Effective January 2023 all Small General Service rates will be available for loads less than 25 kW, Medium General Service rates will be available for loads over 25KW and less than 1,000 kW. An interim option will allow customers with loads between 25 kW and 35 kW to choose to be billed temporarily at either the SGS or the MGS rates until January 1, 2024.

Proposed 2022 Water Rate Tariff 5% Rate Increase

		2022	2023
Commodity Charge Rate/ CCF:	Meter Charge		
	5/8"	\$ 8.80	\$ 9.22
	3/4"	\$ 12.27	\$ 12.85
	1"	\$ 19.38	\$ 19.86
	1-1/2"	\$ 36.85	\$ 37.77
	2"	\$ 57.85	\$ 59.30
	3"	\$107.13	\$109.81
	4"	\$177.37	\$181.80
	6"	\$353.37	\$362.20
	8"	\$630.77	\$646.54
	Residential	0-7 CCF	89.2¢
7.01-12 CCF		97.1¢	103.9¢
12.01 and over CCF		110.2¢	117.9¢
Commercial		89.2¢	94.6¢
Industrial		89.2¢	94.6¢
Interdepartmental		89.2¢	94.6¢
Irrigation Meter (All Classes)		110.2¢	117.9¢