



# **Community Electricity Aggregation Program**

June 7, 2019

Dear Basic Service Customer,

The Town of Wareham approved a Community Electricity Aggregation program authorizing our community to aggregate the electricity load (usage) of those residents and businesses that are on Basic Service with NStar Electric Company (Eversource). The goals of the Program are to provide you with competitive choice, longer-term price stability and more renewable energy options.

You will be automatically enrolled in the Wareham Community Electricity Aggregation program unless you choose not to participate. YOU MUST MAIL AND POSTMARK YOUR OPT-OUT CARD ON OR BEFORE <u>JULY 13, 2019</u> TO AVOID AUTOMATIC ENROLLMENT IN THE AGGREGATION PROGRAM.

After a competitive bid process, Dynegy was selected as our Electricity Supplier with a contract term from your scheduled August 2019 meter reading to your January 2021 reading.

Rate Class	"Wareham Basic" Minimum Required Renewable Energy (Standard Product – No Action Required)	"Wareham Premium 100% Local Green" One Hundred (100) Percent Local Renewable Energy	Current Eversource Basic Service
Residential (R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4)	\$0.10770/kWh	\$0.13280/kWh	\$0.10836/kWh
Small C&I (G-1, G-4, G-5, G-6, G-7, Street Lighting)	\$0.10770/kWh	\$0.13280/kWh	\$0.10569/kWh
Large C&I SEMA* (G6, G8, 24, 84)	\$0.10770/kWh	\$0.13280/kWh	\$0.09656/kWh SEMA*
Duration	August 2019 – January 2021 Rates apply to service beginning and ending on the days of the month that your meter is read in your service area.		June 1 - December 31, or August 31, 2019* Residential and Small C&I & Street Lighting rates change every six months. *Large C&I rates change every three months.

Rates indicated above are for Supply Services only. Under the contract, the rate per kWh for electric supply will be fixed until your January 2021 meter reading. The Standard Product rate for Residential Customers will remain below Eversource's Basic Service rate until Eversource's Basic Service rates change at the end of December 2019. The Standard Product rate for Small C&I, Street Lighting and Large C&I customers is not below the Eversource Basic Service rate. Program prices could increase as a result of a change in law that results in a direct, material increase in costs during the term of the electric supply agreement.

There is no guarantee of future savings. The primary intent of the Program is to provide price stability and savings over the <u>duration</u> of the 17-month term. However, Eversource rates for electric supply change every six months (January 1 and July 1) for Residential and Small C&I & Street Lighting customers, and every three months for Large C&I customers. Thus, Eversource's Basic Service rates may be below the Program rate during any three or six month period.

AN ADMINISTRATIVE ADDER of \$0.001/kWh for the aggregation consultant is included in the Program rates shown above.

# **PROGRAM DETAILS**

- As an eligible participant, your account will be automatically enrolled in the Program unless you choose to opt out.
- You may leave the Program at any time without early termination fees.
- You will continue to receive one bill from Eversource.
- You will continue to send payment to Eversource.
- Eversource will continue to respond to emergencies and outages.
- Reliability and quality of service will remain the same.

Participation	Needed	
If you want to participate in this program	No action required	
If you do <b>NOT</b> want to participate in this program	Sign the enclosed opt-out card. Mail the card in the enclosed postage-paid envelope no later than <u>JULY 13, 2019</u> .	

IF YOU HAVE BEEN MAILED THIS NOTIFICATION, you do not need to take any action in order to participate in the Program.

ALL BASIC SERVICE CUSTOMERS who have been mailed this notification will automatically be enrolled in the Program and start benefiting from this fixed rate beginning on the day of the month that your meter read occurs. The new rate will be reflected on your subsequent month's bill. This date varies by service area. Your meter reading date is shown on your bill.

## BUDGET PLAN OR ELIGIBLE LOW-INCOME DELIVERY RATE CONSUMERS will continue to receive those benefits from Eversource.

**TAX-EXEMPT SMALL BUSINESS CONSUMERS** <u>must</u> send or fax a copy of their Energy Exemption Certificate directly to Dynegy via email, fax, or mail in order to maintain their tax-exempt status.

Email: <u>salestax geotax@vistraenergy.com</u> Fax: (866) 257-1795 Address: Dynegy, ATTN: Customer Care, P.O. Box 650764, Dallas, TX, 75264

**IF YOU ARE RECEIVING ELECTRICITY SUPPLY FROM A COMPETITIVE SUPPLIER AND BELIEVE YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS OPT-OUT LETTER IN ERROR**, you <u>must</u> sign the attached card and opt out of this program. This will ensure you continue to receive your electricity from that Competitive Supplier and prevent any possible early termination fees.

## RENEWABLE ENERGY

## • "WAREHAM PREMIUM 100% LOCAL GREEN" - 100 PERCENT RENEWABLE ENERGY

The optional product offers an elective one hundred (100) percent local renewable energy originating from qualified Massachusetts Class 1 renewable energy sources. Call our program supplier, Dynegy, at (866) 220-5696 to opt in. The price of this offer is \$0.13280/kWh.

**SOLAR ELECTRICITY CONSUMERS** will not be impacted and will continue to receive their net metering credits while participating in the Program.

## INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO OPT OUT

If you do not wish to participate in the Program, simply sign and return the enclosed card in the postage-paid envelope. **The envelope must be mailed or postmarked on or before** <u>July 13, 2019</u> to avoid automatic enrollment in the aggregation program. There is no penalty to opt out in order to remain on Eversource's Basic Service.

**ANY TIME AFTER ENROLLMENT**, you can leave the Program with no early termination fees. This will occur during the next available billing cycle, whereupon your account(s) will be returned to Eversource's Basic Service.

# HOW TO ACCESS BASIC SERVICE IF YOU WANT TO LEAVE THE PROGRAM

Additional information about Eversource Basic Service electricity rates may be found on the <u>MASS.GOV</u> website here: <u>www.mass.gov/information-for-consumers-about-the-electric-industry</u>. For residential accounts, visit the Eversource website <u>www.eversource.com/content/ema-c/residential/my-account</u>. Please refer to the Basic Service category to determine the best option for you. For business accounts, visit the Eversource website <u>www.eversource.com/content/ema-c/business/my-account</u>. Residential or business account holders may also call Eversource (NSTAR Electric Company) for assistance at (800) 592-2000 residential, or (800) 340-9822 business.

FOR MORE DETAILED INFORMATION regarding your community's Program, visit WarehamCEA.com, or call toll free (844) 927-3232.

#### SUPPLIER INFORMATION

The aggregation supplier is Dynegy. You may contact the supplier at (866) 220-5696 between the hours of 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM, or via email at <u>DESCustCare@Dynegy.com</u>.

#### THERE IS NO GUARANTEE OF FUTURE SAVINGS

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