



TOWN OF FOXBOROUGH

FOXBOROUGH POWER FORWARD

MUNICIPAL ELECTRICITY PROGRAM

NOTIFICATION LETTER

February 28, 2023

Dear Foxborough Electricity Service Customer,

This letter contains important information about your electric bill.

The Town of Foxborough has an electricity aggregation program called **Foxborough Power Forward**. This program will change your electricity supplier and the price that is used to calculate the Supply Services portion of your National Grid electric bill.

If you received this letter, you will be automatically enrolled in Foxborough Power Forward, unless you choose not to participate, in accordance with state law.

Your opt-out request must be postmarked by [April 3, 2023](#), to avoid automatic enrollment in the program.

If you do not opt out, you will be enrolled in Power Forward Standard at a price of [16.74 ¢/kWh](#).

- If you participate: National Grid will remain your electric utility. You will continue to receive your electric bill from them and call them if the power goes out. However, Direct Energy will be listed on your bill as your electricity supplier, and National Grid will use the Foxborough Power Forward price to calculate the Supply Services portion of your bill. National Grid's Delivery charges will be unaffected.
- If you do not participate: National Grid will continue to calculate the Supply Services portion of your bill using their Basic Service price.

Program Benefits

Potential savings - Foxborough Power Forward offers a long-term price with the potential for savings compared to National Grid's Basic Service prices. However, because National Grid's Basic Service prices change every 6 months for residential and commercial customers and every 3 months for industrial customers and their future prices are not known, savings compared with National Grid cannot be guaranteed.

Choice - The program offers you two options as alternatives to National Grid's Basic Service: 1) Power Forward Standard is the default program offering and meets minimum state renewable energy requirements. 2) Power Forward Green is a program option that provides 100% of your electricity from renewable sources. You will be automatically enrolled in Power Forward Standard, but you may choose Power Forward Green. *(Details for both on back.)*

Price stability - Your electricity supply price will not change before your November 2024 meter read. Long-term price stability makes the program different from National Grid's Basic Service and from many commercial electricity supply offers in the marketplace.

If you are on a budget plan or are eligible for a low-income rate or fuel assistance, you will continue to receive those benefits as a participant.

Foxborough Power Forward

Your New Electricity Supply Price

16.74 ¢/kWh

This price will be fixed until your November 2024 meter read. Compare to National Grid's prices on the back. ▶

Customer Support

1-844-241-8596

**[MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough](https://www.masspowerchoice.com/Foxborough)
Foxborough@MassPowerChoice.com**

Don't Want to Participate?

Participation is not required. There is no penalty or fee to opt out of the program, and you may opt out at any time.

If you choose not to participate, you will remain on National Grid's Basic Service pricing.

To opt out before being enrolled, do one of the following before **April 3, 2023**:

- ▶ Sign & return the enclosed postcard (must be postmarked no later than **April 3, 2023**), call customer support at **1-844-241-8596**, or opt out online at **[MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough](https://www.masspowerchoice.com/Foxborough)**.

To opt out in the future, do one of the following at any time:

- ▶ Call customer support at **1-844-241-8596** or opt out online at **[MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough](https://www.masspowerchoice.com/Foxborough)**.

Program Options & Pricing

You will be automatically enrolled in Power Forward Standard. You may change your program option to Power Forward Green or leave the program at any time with no fee or penalty. To change your program option, visit MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough or call customer support at 1-844-241-8596. Please have your National Grid account number available.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts requires that all electricity supply products include a minimum of 59.2% from renewable energy resources in 2023. Foxborough Power Forward Standard meets the minimum requirement. Foxborough Power Forward Green exceeds this requirement.

Foxborough Power Forward options:	You will be enrolled here ▼		If you do not wish to participate:
	Power Forward Standard (automatic enrollment)	Power Forward Green (100% renewable energy option)**	National Grid's Basic Service (if you opt out)
Price	16.74 ¢/kWh*	19.74 ¢/kWh*	33.891 ¢/kWh - residential 32.287 ¢/kWh - commercial 22.899 ¢/kWh - industrial
Price period	Enrollment - November 2024	Enrollment - November 2024	November 1, 2022 - April 30, 2023, residential & commercial. February 1, 2023 - April 30, 2023, industrial.
Renewable energy content From premium renewable resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs), added by Foxborough	-	78%	-
From premium renewable resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs), required by state law	22%	22%	22%
Additional renewable or clean energy required by state law	37.2%	37.2%	37.2%
Exit terms	Leave any time. No exit charge.	Leave any time. No exit charge.	Leave any time. No exit charge. However, industrial customers only (rates G-2 and G-3) on the fixed-price Basic Service option may receive a billing adjustment, which may be either a credit or a charge.

* Foxborough Power Forward prices include a \$0.001/kWh administration fee. 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 electricity supply agreement.

** Foxborough Power Forward Green is a 100% MA Class I REC offering, which means it includes the minimum amount of MA Class I RECs required by law each year plus the additional amount needed to reach 100%. Foxborough's electricity supplier must also purchase other renewable energy to meet state requirements. As a result, the total renewable amount for Foxborough Power Forward Green exceeds 100%.

Frequently Asked Questions

Are savings guaranteed? No. National Grid's fixed Basic Service prices change every 6 months or less, depending on what type of account you have. Savings in one price period do not guarantee savings in subsequent price periods. National Grid's prices will next change on May 1, 2023, for residential, commercial, and industrial accounts.

I have signed my own contract with an electricity supplier. What are my options? If you have signed a contract and also received this letter, you may have signed your contract after this mailing list was created. To stay in your contract and to avoid potential early termination fees, you need to opt out of this program by the deadline. Otherwise, you will be automatically enrolled in this program.

I have a tax-exempt account. How can I retain my account's tax-exempt status? Taxes will be billed as part of the program's power supply charge. Customers are responsible for identifying and requesting an exemption from the collection of any tax by providing appropriate tax-exemption documentation to Direct Energy. Visit MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough for more information.

If you have any additional questions, please visit MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough or contact customer support at Foxborough@MassPowerChoice.com or 1-844-241-8596. Our Town consultants will be happy to help you.

Opt-Out Reply Card



Foxborough Power Forward

X _____
Signature Date

Opt-Out Instructions

You do not need to take any action to participate in Foxborough Power Forward.

If you do NOT wish to participate, you must opt out.

To opt out by mail:

1. Sign and date this card.
2. Place the card in the enclosed envelope.
3. Drop the envelope in the mail.

This card must be signed by the Customer of Record whose name appears in the address on this card. The envelope must be postmarked no later than **April 3, 2023**, to opt out of the program before being enrolled. You may also opt out at MassPowerChoice.com/Foxborough or by calling customer support at **1-844-241-8596**. There is no fee to opt out.