



# TOWN OF LINCOLN

## LINCOLN GREEN ENERGY CHOICE

### TOWN ELECTRICITY AGGREGATION PROGRAM NOTIFICATION LETTER



April 30, 2024

Dear Lincoln Electricity Service Customer,

I am writing to tell you about the Town electricity program: **Lincoln Green Energy Choice**. This program will increase the amount of electricity you receive from renewable sources.

**If you received this letter and you do nothing, you will be AUTOMATICALLY enrolled in the Lincoln Green Energy Choice program.**

**Your opt-out request must be submitted or postmarked by June 3, 2024, to avoid automatic enrollment in the program.**

**If you do not opt out, you will be enrolled in the Lincoln Standard Green option at a price of 16.093 ¢/kWh, and you will receive an additional 38% of your electricity from renewable sources.**

The program is a form of group electricity purchasing known as electricity aggregation. In an aggregation, the Town uses the bulk purchasing power of the community to choose an electricity supplier for the community and to determine the amount of renewable energy in the community's electricity supply.

Lincoln has signed a contract with First Point Power to supply the Town with electricity that provides an additional 38% of your electricity from new renewable resources over and above the minimum renewable energy required by state law. You may also choose from other options in the program to receive more or less of your electricity from renewable resources. **Please see the back of this notice for more information and prices.** ▶

**The Lincoln Green Energy Choice price will not change until January 2026.** This price stability makes the program different from Eversource's Basic Service, which you have now. With Eversource's Basic Service, the price used to calculate the Supply portion of your electric bill changes seasonally. Price stability also makes the program different from many commercial offers in the marketplace.

**While Lincoln Green Energy Choice offers the potential for savings compared with Eversource's Basic Service prices, Eversource's future prices are not known, so the program cannot guarantee to provide savings.**

### IF YOU PARTICIPATE

Eversource will remain your electric utility. You will continue to receive your electric bill from them and call them if the power goes out. But you will see First Point Power listed as your electricity supplier on your Eversource electric bill, and the Lincoln Green Energy Choice price will be used to calculate the Supply charge portion of your bill. **If you are eligible for a low-income discount or fuel assistance, you will continue to receive those benefits as a participant in Lincoln Green Energy Choice.**

### IF YOU DO NOT PARTICIPATE

The Supply portion of your Eversource bill will continue to be calculated using Eversource's Basic Service price, as it is now.

### CUSTOMER SUPPORT

1-844-651-8919

support@LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com

LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com

### DON'T WANT TO PARTICIPATE?

**You don't have to. You may opt out at any time with no penalty or fee.**

To opt out before being automatically enrolled, do one of the following before **June 3, 2024**:

- ▶ Sign & return the enclosed reply card.
- ▶ Opt out online at **LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com**.
- ▶ Call customer support at **1-844-651-8919**.

## PROGRAM OPTIONS & PRICING

You will be automatically enrolled in the **Lincoln Standard Green** option. If you would like to change to a different option, visit [LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com](http://LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com) or call customer support with Lincoln's program consultants at 1-844-651-8919. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts requires that all electricity supply products include a minimum of 62% from renewable energy resources in 2024 and 63% in 2025. All Lincoln Green Energy Choice options exceed this requirement.

### Lincoln Green Energy Choice options:

You will be enrolled here ▼

	Lincoln Standard Green +38% - 44% additional from new renewable resources.		Lincoln 100% Green 100% from new renewable resources.		Lincoln Basic +2% additional from new renewable resources.		Eversource's Basic Service If you opt out.	
<b>Price</b>	<b>16.093 ¢/kWh *</b>		<b>17.348 ¢/kWh *</b>		<b>14.631 ¢/kWh *</b>		<b>17.216 ¢/kWh</b> - Residential <b>17.552 ¢/kWh</b> - Small business <b>11.668 ¢/kWh</b> - Large business	
<b>Price period</b>	Enrollment - January 2026		Enrollment - January 2026		Enrollment - January 2026		January 1 - July 31, 2024, residential & small business. May 1 - July 31, 2024, large business.	
<b>Renewable energy</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2025</b>
From new resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs)**								
Added by Lincoln	38%	44%	76%	73%	2%	2%	-	-
Required by state law	24%	27%	24%	27%	24%	27%	24%	27%
<b>Total from new resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs)</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>27%</b>
From other clean or renewable sources, required by state law***	38%	36%	38%	36%	38%	36%	38%	36%
<b>Exit terms</b>	Leave any time. No exit charge.		Leave any time. No exit charge.		Leave any time. No exit charge.		Leave any time. No exit charge. However, large business customers may receive a billing adjustment charge or credit.	

### If you do not wish to participate:

\* Prices include a \$0.001/kWh administrative 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.

\*\* The renewable energy added by the Town of Lincoln in the three program options is from new resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs), which are renewable energy projects built in 1998 or later and which are primarily wind and solar energy projects but can be other types of technologies. Lincoln's contract specifically excludes facilities that burn biomass.

\*\*\* These other resources include waste-to-energy, nuclear, and large hydro projects, among others.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**If you have signed your own contract with an electricity supplier**, 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.

**If you have solar panels on your property or you participate in a community solar program**, you will continue to receive solar credits and/or solar incentive payments with no change.

**If you have a tax-exempt account**, you should know that 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 First Point Power. Visit [LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com](http://LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com) for information on where to submit your documentation.

If you have any questions, please visit [LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com](http://LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com) and do not hesitate to contact customer support at [support@LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com](mailto:support@LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com) or 1-844-651-8919. Our Town consultants will be happy to help you.

# OPT-OUT REPLY CARD



## L I N C O L N GREEN ENERGY CHOICE



### OPT-OUT INSTRUCTIONS

You do not need to take any action to participate in Lincoln Green Energy Choice.

**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 and 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 by **June 3, 2024**, to opt out of the program before being enrolled. You may also opt out online at [LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com](https://LincolnGreenEnergyChoice.com) or by phone at 1-844-651-8919.

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Signature Date