

## 2023 Annual Report for the Natick Electricity Aggregation Program

For calendar year 2023, the Town of Natick submitted the following Annual Report to the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities (DPU) for the Natick Electricity Aggregation Program.

The content of the Annual Report is stipulated by the DPU and is comprised of the following attachments:

- **Attachment III.C: Public Access** - Illustrates how the Town of Natick provided access to program information during the year.
- **Attachment IV.A: Organizational Structure** - Shows how program administration responsibilities are divided between the Town, the Town's aggregation consultant, and the program's electricity supplier.
- **Attachment IV.B.1.c: Equitable Treatment of Customer Classes** - Describes any variances in treatment between customer classes.
- **Attachment IV.B.2: Procurement of Supply** - Presents the timeline of any electricity supply procurement undertaken during the year.
- **Attachment IV.B.6.a: Representative Opt-Out Notification** - Provides a representative Opt-Out Notification (automatic enrollment notification) from the calendar year. The Opt-Out Notification is sent by mail to new electricity account holders in Natick to notify them of their eligibility for automatic enrollment in the program.
- **Attachment IV.B.6.b: Representative Notice of Product Change** - Provides a representative notice of a product change, if such a notice was issued during the year.
- **Attachment IV.B.7.b.i: Annual Product Information** - For each program option, provides details around price components, renewable energy content, and average number of accounts enrolled. Also provides the electricity supplier name and electricity supply contract price term.
- **Attachment IV.B.7.b.ii: Annual Product Rate Component Information** - Includes the total revenue for each rate component for the year.

Town of Natick  
2023 Municipal Aggregation Annual Report  
November 1, 2024

Attachment III.C Public Access

<b>Table III.C - Public Access to Plan/Ongoing Program Information</b>	
<b>Location</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Municipal website</b>	Access to the Plan and detailed program information was provided through a link to the program website.  Program announcements were posted on the home page.
<b>Program website</b>	The program website ( <a href="https://MassPowerChoice.com/Natick">MassPowerChoice.com/Natick</a> ) provided access to the Plan and other program documents, detailed product information, and contact information for both the program supplier and the consultant, MassPowerChoice, which was responsible for customer support. The site also featured easily accessible options for prospective customers to enroll and for current participants to change their program options or opt out of the program if desired.
<b>Communication vehicles/ Outreach activities</b>	
<b>Social media accounts</b>	Program updates, including a price-change notification, were posted on the Town’s Facebook account.
<b>Announcement to local/ regional media</b>	Program updates, including price-change notifications, were sent to the <i>Natick Report</i> and the <i>MetroWest Daily News</i> .
<b>Physical posting in municipal buildings</b>	Program updates, including price-change notifications, were posted on a bulletin board in the Town Hall.
<b>Public Events</b>	Program information was presented at two Natick Energy Assistance Fairs.
<b>Mailings</b>	Throughout the year, new utility Basic Service customers were

	<p>sent Opt-Out Notices informing them of the program, their upcoming automatic enrollment, and the methods for opting out or selecting an optional product.</p> <p>In November 2023, a notice of program price change and automatic enrollment renewal was sent to customers.</p>
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## Attachment IV.A Organizational Structure

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<b>Core Functions</b>	<b>Performing Entity</b>		
	<b>Municipality</b>	<b>Consultant</b>	<b>Supplier</b>
<b>Liaisons/Representatives/Agents</b>			
<b>Municipal Representative/Agent before Department</b>		X	
<b>Liaison with DOER</b>		X	
<b>Liaison with Electric Distribution Companies</b>		X	
<b>Plan Elements</b>			
<b>Procurement of Supply</b>		X	
<b>Product Determination</b>	X		
<b>Other Funding/Costs</b>	X		
<b>Customer Enrollment</b>			X
<b>Customer Notifications/Outreach/ Education</b>	X	X	
<b>Ongoing Program Information</b>	X	X	
<b>Program Termination</b>	X		
<b>Annual Reports</b>		X	
<b>Customer Service</b>		X	

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**Consultant:**

MassPowerChoice  
844-483-5004  
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**Supplier:**

First Point Power  
888-875-1711

## Attachment IV.B.1.c Equitable Treatment of Customer Classes

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Plan Element					
Procurement of Supply (§ IV.B.2)	Product Rate Setting/Renewable Energy Content (§ IV.B.3)	Other Funding Sources/Costs (§ IV.B.4)	Customer Enrollment (§ IV.B.5)	Customer Notification (§ IV.B.6)	Ongoing Program Information (§ IV.B.7)
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Table IV.B.1.c identifies the Plan elements for which there may be variances in the treatment between customer classes or subclasses. Those variances in treatment are described below.

Medium/Large commercial and industrial customers enrolling in the Program after Program launch may be offered a market-based price rather than the contract price. Such differential treatment is equitable because these customers have more choices in the marketplace and impose greater costs on the Program than other customers when they join after Program launch.

Customers that previously opted out and later wish to re-enroll in the Program may be offered a market-based price. This differential treatment is equitable because these customers previously made a choice not to participate in the Program and as a result their load was no longer planned for by the electricity supplier.

## Attachment IV.B.2 Procurement of Supply

<b>Table IV.B.2 - Procurement of Supply</b>	
<b>Procurement Steps</b>	<b>Timeline</b>
<b>Issue RFQs/RFPs</b>	February 10, 2023, and March 27, 2023
<b>Evaluate/Select Bids</b>	April 10, 2023
<b>Negotiate/Execute Contracts</b>	April 10, 2023

## Attachment IV.B.6.a Representative Opt-Out Notification

### TOWN OF NATICK

#### Electricity Aggregation Program Enrollment Notification Letter

December 22, 2023

Dear Natick Electricity Customer,

This letter includes important information regarding your Eversource electric bill.

Natick has an electricity aggregation program, which is a group electricity purchasing program. Through the program, you receive a Natick price for the Supply portion of your Eversource electric bill instead of Eversource's Basic Service price. In addition, you automatically receive 19% of your electricity from new renewable energy resources in the New England region, on top of the renewable energy required by state law.

▶ **If you received this letter, you have been AUTOMATICALLY enrolled in the Natick Electricity Aggregation Program at the Standard Green level for 21.398 cents/kWh, in accordance with state law. This price will lower to 15.561 cents/kWh with your January bill and remain fixed until December 2025.**  
*(Please see the back for information about other program options and prices.)*

**Participation is not required.** There is no penalty to opt out of the program, and you may do so at any time. The program is provided as a service to the community. The Town does not receive any financial benefit from your participation.

**Please note that the program cannot guarantee to provide savings when compared with Eversource's Basic Service price.** Eversource's prices change seasonally, and their future prices are not known.

**If you continue to participate:** Your primary relationship for electricity will remain with Eversource, as it is now. That means your electric bill will continue to come from Eversource, you will continue to make bill payments to Eversource, and you will continue to call Eversource if your power goes out. If you are eligible for a low-income discount or fuel assistance, you will continue to receive that benefit as part of this program. However:

- First Point Power will be your electricity supplier.
- The Natick Electricity Aggregation price will be used to calculate the Supply portion of your bill.

**If you do not want to participate:** Eversource's Basic Service price will be used to calculate the Supply portion of your bill. There are three ways to opt out of the program:

- Sign and return the enclosed reply card.
- Opt out online at [NatickElectricityAggregation.com](http://NatickElectricityAggregation.com).
- Call customer support with Natick's program consultants at 1-844-483-5004.

*(See back for additional information.)*

**► Natick Electricity Aggregation Program options & pricing**

The Natick Electricity Aggregation Program offers three options, each with a different price and environmental impact. These options are displayed in the chart below. You are currently enrolled in Natick Standard Green. If you would like to change to a different option, visit [NatickElectricityAggregation.com](http://NatickElectricityAggregation.com), call 1-844-483-5004, or email [electricity@natickma.org](mailto:electricity@natickma.org).

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**Natick Electricity Aggregation Program options**

**If you do not wish to participate:**

You are enrolled in this option ▼

	<b>Natick Standard Green</b> <i>(automatic enrollment)</i>	<b>Natick 100% Green**</b> <i>(option available by request)</i>	<b>Natick Basic/Brown</b> <i>(option available by request)</i>	<b>Eversource's Basic Service***</b> <i>(if you opt out)</i>
<b>Price</b>	15.561 ¢/kWh*	17.474 ¢/kWh*	14.680 ¢/kWh*	17.251 ¢/kWh - residential 17.587 ¢/kWh - small business 19.098 ¢/kWh - large business
<b>Price period</b>	December 2023 - December 2025	December 2023 - December 2025	December 2023 - December 2025	January 1 - July 31, 2024, residential & small business. January 1 - April 30, 2024, large business.
<b>Renewable energy content</b>				
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Renewable energy (MA Class I RECs), added by Natick	19% - 2023 22% - 2024 25% - 2025	78% - 2023 76% - 2024 73% - 2025	-	-

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\*\*\* Exit terms for Eversource's Basic Service: Leave any time. No fee or penalty. However, large C&I (rates G-3, T-2, and WR) and street lighting customers on the fixed-price Basic Service option may receive a billing adjustment, which may be either a credit or a charge.

**► Learn more or get answers to your questions**

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## Attachment IV.B.6.b Representative Notification of Product Change

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#### A message from the Town of Natick about 2024-2025 electricity prices

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Natick currently has a contract with First Point Power to supply electricity to program participants. That contract will expire in December of this year, and a new, 24-month contract with First Point Power will go into effect. **The new contract will bring new, lower prices.**

#### ▶ Your electricity supply price is decreasing by more than 5 ¢/kWh.

Your current electricity supply price is 21.398 ¢/kWh.

Your new, lower price for electricity supply will be 15.561 ¢/kWh.

This new price will be in effect for 24 months until December 2025.

Your new price is also lower than Eversource's current residential Basic Service price of 16.078 ¢/kWh, and lower than Eversource's current small business and large business prices. Eversource's Basic Service prices will change on January 1, and their 2024 prices are not yet known. ***Because Eversource's future prices are not known, future savings compared with Eversource cannot be guaranteed.***

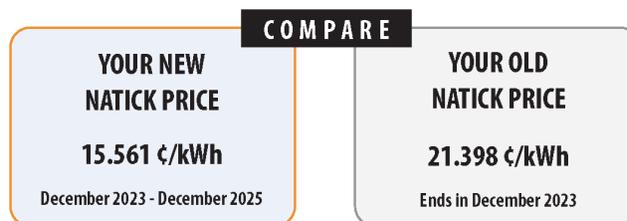
#### ▶ Next steps

Participating in the Natick Electricity Aggregation Program is a choice. Eversource automatically placed your account in this program in accordance with state law, but you can leave any time with no fee or penalty. The Town does not make any money on this program.

If you want to continue participating: no action is required. If you do nothing, the new price will go into effect in December 2023, and you will first see it on your January 2024 Eversource electric bill.

If you want to leave the program: You can enroll with Eversource's Basic Service and receive their upcoming winter Basic Service price or sign your own contract with an electricity supplier.

If you want to change to a different option within the program: Please see the back for information about other options in the Natick Electricity Aggregation Program.



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Your current electricity supply price is 23.624 ¢/kWh.

Your new, lower price for electricity supply will be 17.474 ¢/kWh.

The new price will be in effect for 24 months until December 2025. You will continue to receive 100% of your electricity from new renewable resources in the New England region.

You can compare your new price with Eversource's current Basic Service prices on the other side. Eversource's prices will next change on January 1, and their 2024 prices are not yet known. **Because Eversource's future prices are not known, future savings compared with Eversource cannot be guaranteed.**

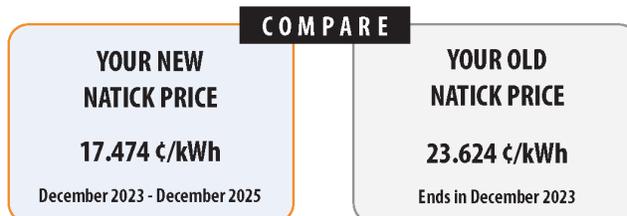
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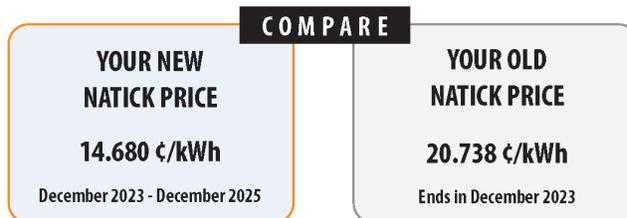
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► **Learn more or get answers to your questions**

Visit [NatickElectricityAggregation.com](http://NatickElectricityAggregation.com) or contact Natick's program consultants by phone (1-844-483-5004) or email ([electricity@natickma.org](mailto:electricity@natickma.org)). Please note that Town staff cannot confirm your participation in the program or make changes to your enrollment. For support, please contact Natick's program consultants.

**Do you have questions about your electric bill? Are you looking to save energy?**

Join us at the Fall Energy Assistance Fair on **November 15, 2023**,  
from 4PM - 7PM at the Morse Institute Library.

Representatives from Natick's Electricity Aggregation Program, Eversource, Mass Save, SMOC, Natick Human Services, and other community groups will be available to help.

Attachment IV.B.7.b.i Annual Product Information

<b>Table IV.B.7.b.i Annual Product Information – All customer classes</b>				
<b>2023</b>		<b>Standard Green (Default)</b>	<b>100% Green (Opt-In)</b>	<b>Basic / Brown (Opt-In)</b>
<b>Rate Components (in \$/kWh)</b>				
<b>Supply and Renewable Energy Content</b>		0.21298	0.23524	0.20638
<b>Consultant Services</b>		0.00100	0.00100	0.00100
<b>TOTAL</b>		0.21398	0.23624	0.20738
<b>Renewable Energy Content (in % of total)</b>				
<b>Required</b>		59.17	59.17	59.17
<b>Voluntary</b>	<b>MA Class I</b>	19.00	78.00	0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		78.17	137.17	59.17
<b>Supplier Name</b>		First Point Power, LLC	First Point Power, LLC	First Point Power, LLC
<b>Effective Dates</b>		December 2022 – December 2023	December 2022 – December 2023	December 2022 – December 2023

<b>Table IV.B.7.b.i Annual Product Information – All customer classes</b>						
<b>2023</b>	<b>Standard Green (Default)</b>		<b>100% Green (Opt-In)</b>		<b>Basic / Brown (Opt-In)</b>	
<b>Participants</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>kWh</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>kWh</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Residential</b>	9,849	68,825,740	249	1,643,430	700	5,718,247
<b>Low-Income</b>	667	3,817,895	4	15,121	45	297,439
<b>Small Commercial &amp; Industrial</b>	1,124	25,585,182	5	81,890	30	1,334,492
<b>Large Commercial &amp; Industrial</b>	26	4,668,393	1	839	3	776,968
<b>TOTAL</b>	11,666	102,897,210	259	1,741,280	778	8,127,146

## Attachment IV.B.7.b.ii Annual Product Rate Component Information

<b>Table IV.B.7.b.ii – Annual Product Rate Component Information</b>	
<b>Rate Component</b>	<b>Revenue (in \$)</b>
<b>Supply and Renewable Content</b>	24,001,947
<b>Consultant Services</b>	112,766

### Descriptions:

#### **Supply and Renewable Content**

The Supply and Renewable Content rate component covers the cost of the products and services necessary to provide firm power supply to program participants, including:

- electrical energy;
- capacity;
- reserves;
- ancillary services;
- transmission services;
- the cost of distribution system losses; and
- congestion management.

This rate component also covers the cost of Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs), including:

- RECs needed to meet the requirements of state law; and
- additional RECs above state requirements as specified by the Town.

#### **Consultant Services**

The Consultant Services rate component covers the costs of administering the program, including:

- representing the Town before the Department of Public Utilities, including securing regulatory approvals and maintaining regulatory compliance;
- conducting procurements for electricity supply as needed;
- providing customer support by telephone and email;
- providing public education, including through in-person events, printed communications (signs, banners, brochures), electronic communications (video, slides), and social media;
- developing and maintaining a comprehensive, branded program website, including ongoing updates to ensure regulatory compliance;

- receiving customer requests to enroll, change program options, or opt-out; forwarding those requests to the electricity supplier; and monitoring implementation;
- overseeing periodic automatic-enrollment mailings to new customers;
- monitoring electricity supplier performance;
- monitoring electricity market and regulatory developments; and
- preparing reports to the Department of Public Utilities and the Town.

### Attachment IV.B.7.b.iii Annual Voluntary Renewable Energy Content Information

<b>Table IV.B.7.b.iii – Voluntary Annual Renewable Energy Information</b>	
<b>Category of Renewable Energy</b>	<b>MWh/Certificates</b>
<b>MA Class I</b>	20,909

Mechanism by which the purchases/retirements were tracked:

**MA Class I**

NEPOOL Generation Information System.