



An important message from the Town of Wayland about a change in your electricity supply price

April 27, 2026



Dear Wayland Electricity Customer,

You are receiving this notice because your Wayland Electricity Choice price will change in May.

Your electricity account is enrolled in Wayland Electricity Choice, our Town's group electricity buying program. The program provides a competitive, stable price for the supply portion of your Eversource electric bill. Under state law, enrollment occurs automatically for most electricity customers, and more than 200 other Massachusetts communities have similar programs.

Since the program launched in May 2024, an average household has saved **\$284** compared with Eversource's electricity supply prices.

In May, your electricity supply price will change as the current program prices expire and a new price takes effect. Current prices were secured when Wayland Electricity Choice was established in 2024, and prices have increased since then. While your new price will be higher than what you have paid in the past, it will remain lower than Eversource's current residential and small business prices. Your new price will remain stable for 25 months, though future savings compared to Eversource cannot be guaranteed.

► Program changes for your Eversource account:

Your current electricity supply price is 12.424 ¢/kWh. Your new price will be **14.776 ¢/kWh**.

This new price will be in effect for 25 months from May 2026 until June 2028.

Your account has been enrolled in the **Wayland Economy** option, which provides the lowest price available in the program and through which you purchase only the minimum number of renewable energy certificates (RECs) required by state law. While the program previously offered two other options through which you had the option to purchase additional RECs, under the new contract, the program will offer just one option with the same structure as the current Economy option. Please see the other side for an explanation of this change. ►

► It's your decision. Make the choice that's right for you.

If you want to continue participating: **No action is required.** Your enrollment in Wayland Electricity Choice will renew automatically at 14.776 ¢/kWh in May, and you will see the new price on your **June Eversource electric bill**. Your electricity supplier will continue to appear on your bill as "WaylandElectricityChoice-FirstPoint."

If you want to leave the program: You are free to opt out with no fee or penalty. If you opt out, you will receive Eversource's current electricity supply price. *Please see the other side for Eversource's prices.* ►



**To learn more or to opt out, visit WaylandElectricityChoice.com
or contact customer support with the Town's program consultants at 844-202-6400.**

► **New program structure explanation:**

In the past: Wayland Electricity Choice has supported renewable energy by purchasing more renewable energy certificates (RECs) than are required by Massachusetts state law for two program options, Wayland Standard Green and Wayland 100% Green. State law promotes renewable energy projects by enabling them to sell RECs based on their electricity generation and requiring electricity providers, including utilities like Eversource, to buy certain amounts of RECs each year. The goal of purchasing the extra RECs is to build demand for renewable energy above the state’s required REC purchase levels and thereby drive the development of still more renewable energy projects.

From the program’s launch in May 2024 through December 2025, participants in the Wayland Standard Green and Wayland 100% Green options together helped our community boost more renewable power generation by purchasing more RECs than the state’s required purchase levels. Wayland’s incremental REC purchases helped our region avoid generating 5,264 metric tons of CO2 from buying electricity from power plants using fossil fuels. That saved CO2 is equivalent to the emissions associated with driving more than 13 million miles in a passenger vehicle. This is something we can all feel good about.

Now: Current federal government policies are slowing the building of new renewable energy projects by ending multiple federal tax and other financial incentives, slowing or revoking permits, and imposing other regulatory barriers. In effect, our incremental REC purchases from Wayland Standard Green and Wayland 100% Green are not fostering the development of new renewable energy projects.

The new Wayland Electricity Choice structure: For that reason, for the next contract period beginning in May, the Wayland Electricity Choice program structure will change from three options to a single option, which includes only the minimum REC purchases required by state law. Beginning in May, Wayland Electricity Choice will no longer include options to foster the purchase of additional RECs above the state requirement because, at this time, the extra cost associated with buying those additional RECs is not facilitating the development of new renewable energy projects. Participants in the Wayland Standard Green and Wayland 100% Green options will be shifted to the new single option. The Town of Wayland hopes this will be temporary and will continue to explore alternate and cost-effective ways that our aggregate electricity purchases can support new renewable power plants.

| Price comparison | Price | Price Term |
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| Your current price: | 12.424 ¢/kWh | Ending May 2026 |
| Your new price: | 14.776 ¢/kWh | May 2026 - June 2028 |
| Eversource’s current supply prices: | Residential: 15.629 ¢/kWh Small Business: 15.030 ¢/kWh | February 1 - July 31, 2026 |

PLEASE NOTE: If you recently signed a private electricity supply contract and also you received this notice, this mailing list may have been created before you signed your contract. **If you wish to remain in your contract, you should opt out of Wayland Electricity Choice.** Opt out online at WaylandElectricityChoice.com or by calling customer support with the Town’s program consultants at 844-202-6400.