



Summary of Energy Efficiency Charges for 2018

Efficiency Vermont is committed to advancing clean energy solutions that help you save money. The Energy Efficiency Charge (EEC) that appears on your electric bill each month helps us do that—enabling us to reduce the cost of efficient technologies, build our clean energy workforce, help businesses reduce operating costs, and do so much more.

Just as you look for ways to do more with less, so do we. In 2018, Efficiency Vermont will provide the same level of service with a lower budget.

Beginning in February you will see a rate change take effect on the energy efficiency charge on your electric bills. While overall, the amount of money collected through the EEC will go down by 5 percent, the effect on how much you pay will be different for residential and commercial customers:

- Commercial customers will see a rate decrease of 8.4 percent.
- Industrial customers will see an 11.1 percent decrease.
- Residential customers will have a slight increase of 1 percent, which comes to about 8 cents per month for the average customer. While we were hopeful that the residential rate would also see a decrease, due to the under-collection of EEC funds in 2017 that was not possible.

The chart below shows the new EEC rates for 2018, set by Vermont Public Utility Commission. Energy efficiency is a key part of our strategy to provide low-cost, clean, and reliable power today and for years to come. Every \$1 invested in energy efficiency yields \$3.80 in savings. Take advantage of our energy services by visiting www.encyvermont.com.

Customer Class	2017 EEC Rate Per kWh	2018 EEC Rate Per kWh
Residential	\$0.01400	\$0.01413
Commercial	\$0.01192	\$0.01091
Industrial	\$0.00866	\$0.00770
Commercial (with demand charge)	\$0.00772 per kWh plus \$1.2436/kW	\$0.00707 per kWh plus \$1.1383/kW
Industrial (with demand charge)	\$0.00584 per kWh plus \$1.3875/kW	\$0.00522 per kWh plus \$1.2132/kw
Unmetered Street/Security Lights	\$0.0119/kWh	\$0.0109/kWh

For questions about 2018 rates, please contact Efficiency Vermont at (888) 921-5990

