

GREEN MOUNTAIN POWER RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM RIDER

AVAILABLE:

Throughout the Company's service territory during periods when program funds are available as determined by the Company.

APPLICABLE:

The Residential Electric Assistance Program (the "EAP") is available throughout the Company's service area to residential Customers taking service from the Company under Rate 1 or Rate 11 and who meet all the availability, applicability and eligibility criteria of the EAP, as determined by the Company.

The EAP fee is applicable to all Customer accounts, for each meter used for retail billing, as determined by the Company (excluded meters will include net metering solar credit gross meters and meters used prior to coincidentalized billings). The EAP Fee will not be assessed on street and security lighting rate classes.

ELIGIBILITY FOR EAP RATE:

A residential Customer taking service under Rate 1 or Rate 11 must apply for the EAP rate in accordance with the EAP procedures determined by the Company from time to time, and must subsequently be deemed eligible for the EAP rate by a third party "Program Administrator," as determined by the Company from time to time, as EAP participants. The Customer must meet all eligibility requirements, including a household gross income at or below 185% of the federal poverty level. An EAP participant must recertify for the EAP rate no later than four months after receiving the recertification application, as the Company may cause to be sent to the customer from time to time, and must meet all other eligibility requirements to remain an EAP participant.



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EAP RATE:

Rate 01 Daily Customer Charge of \$0.437 plus

All kWh at \$0.14991

Rate 11 Daily Customer Charge of \$0.580 plus

During Peak Hours:

All kWh at \$0.23804 During Off-Peak Hours: All kWh at \$0.10146

ARREARS FORGIVENESS:

EAP participants are eligible to have all past due balances set to zero at the time that they become EAP participants. Eligibility only occurs upon first-time enrollment and EAP participants shall first utilize any and all existing Federal and/or State arrears forgiveness programs which they are eligible for before any GMP EAP Fund resources are utilized.

EAP FEE:

A non-bypassable EAP fee shall be charged to all Customer accounts for each meter used for retail billing beginning March 5, 2023 as follows:

Rates 1, 3, 9, 11, 13, 14, 22 \$1.50 per meter, per month Rates 6, 8, 15, 65** \$3.00 per meter, per month Rates 12, 63*, 70 \$75.00 per meter, per month

The EAP fees will be used to (i) fund the difference between non-discounted base rates and the EAP rates available to EAP participants, (ii) reimburse the Company for the

^{*} Rate 63 Customers are Rate 63/65 billed Customers whose usage is above 1,000 kW for 12 consecutive months.

^{**} Rate 65 Customers are Rate 63/65 billed Customers whose usage is below 1,000 kW for 12 consecutive months.



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arrears forgiveness provision of the EAP, and (iii) pay any and all program administrative costs as determined by the Company.

The EAP fees will not be adjusted by base rate changes.

ADJUSTMENT:

The EAP rate is subject to adjustment.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The Company's Terms and Conditions in effect from time to time and the specific provisions of the rate schedule under which the Customer is currently served, are a part of this Rider where not inconsistent with any specific provision hereof.