# MINNESOTA ELECTRIC RATE BOOK - MPUC NO. 2

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#### STANDARD CUSTOMER BILL

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MAILING ADDRESS	ACCOUNT 6	IUMBER	DUE DATE
JOHN E. CUSTOMER	51-123456	7890-1	MM/DD/YYYY
MARTHA W CUSTOMER 1234 ANY STREET	STATEMENT HUMBER	STATEMENT DATE	
ANY GTY, MN 00000-0000	0123456789	MM/DD/YYYY	\$00.00

MM/DD - MM/DO 000 kWh

SUMMARY OF CURRENT CHARGES (detailed charges begin on page 2)

#### YOUR MONTHLY ELECTRICITY USAGE



#### QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR BILL?

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# INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR BILL

Electricity Service

ACCOUNT BALANCE Previous Balance

Current Charges

Payment Received

Balance Forward

Current Charges

Amount Due

For an average residential customer 56% of your bill refers to power plant costs, 6% to high voltage line costs, and 34% to cost of local wires that connect to your home.

As of MM/DD

Check MM/DD

### We noticed you haven't signed up online...

We are pleased to offer eBill. A secure way to do business with us, eBill lets you receive, view, and pay your bill online. Say good bye to paper bills. Call 1-800-895-4999 or visit xcelenergy.com

Upgrade to online account management. Sign up for My Account and eBill and view, update and pay your account from the minute you sign up. Visit MyAccount.xcelenergy.com today.

### RETURN COTTOM FORTION WITH YOUR RANKENT PLEASE BO BUT BEE STAFLES, TAPE OR PARKE LIPS



1	ACCOUNT NUMBER	DUE DATE	AMOUNT DUE	AMOUNT ENCLOSED
	51-1234567890-1	MM/DD/YYYY	\$00.00	

Please see the back of this bill for more information regarding the Into payment charge. Pay on or before the date due to avoid assessment of a late payment charge. Make your check payable to XCEL ENERGY



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JOHN E. CUSTOMER	51-123456	MM/DD/YYYY	
MARTHA W. OUSTOMER 1224 ANY STREET	STATEMENT HUMBER	STATEMENT DATE	MM/DD/YYYY AMOUNT DUE
ANY CITY, MIN 00000-0000	0123456789	MM/DD/YYYY	\$00.00

SERVICE ADDRESS: 1234 ANY STREET, ANY CITY MN 00000-0000 HEXT BEAD DATE: MM/DD/YY

#### ELECTRICITY SERVICE DETAILS

PREMISES NUMBER: 1234567890 INVOICE NUMBER: 1236689

METER FEADING INFORMATION						
METER NUMBER: 0 00000000	IIO Read Dates: IHI	H/DD/YY - MH/DD/YY (00 Da)	5)			
DESCRIPTION	CURRENTREADING	PREVIOUS READING	USACE			
Tirtal Energy 00000 Estimate		00000 Actual	GDD WWh			

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ELECTRICITY CHARGES	RATE: Residential Service			
DESCRIPTION	USACE	UNIT	BATE	CHARGE
Basic Service Chg				\$00.00
City Req Fac Surchg				\$00.00
Res Savers Switch AC				-\$00.00 CR
Windsource Program	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Energy Charge Summer/Winter	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Low Income Cr Ene Summer/Winter	000	kWh	- \$0.000000	-\$00.00 CR
Low Income Cr Fuel	000	kWh	- \$0.000000	- \$00.00 CR
Environmt Imprymt Rider	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Fuel Cost Charge	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Resource Adjustment				\$00.00
Interim Rate Adj				\$00.00
Subtotal				\$00.00
City Fees				\$0.00
Transit Improvement Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
City Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
County Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
State Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
Total				\$00.00

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	MAJUNG ADDRESS	ACCOUNT NUMBER CUEDATE 51-1234567890-1 MM/DD/YYYY STATEMENT NUMBER STATEMENT DATE AMOUNT DUE		DUEDATE
	JOHN E. CLISTOMER	51-123456	MM/DD/YYYY	
	MARTHA W. CUSTOMER 1234 ANY STREET	STATEMENT HUMBER	STATE MENT DATE	
	ANY 0 TY, MN 00000-0000	0123456789	MM/DD/YYYY	\$00.00

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#### **AUTOMATIC PAYMENT PLAN CUSTOMER BILL**

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JOHN E. CUSTOMER	51-123456	51-1234567890-1	
MARTHA W CUSTOMER 1234 ANY STREET	STATEMENT HUMBER	STATEMENT DATE	AMOUNT DUE
ANY CITY, MIN CEOCE-OCCO	0123456789	MM/DB/YYYY	\$00.00

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#### SUMMARY OF CURRENT CHARGES (detailed charges begin on page 2)

Electricity Service	MM/DD - MM/DO 000 kWh	\$00.00
Current Charges		\$00.00

#### ACCOUNT BALANCE

Previous Balance	As of MM/DD	\$00.00
Payment Received	eBill MM/DD	-\$00.00 CR
Balance Forward		\$00.00
Current Charges		\$00.00
Amount Due		\$00.00

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ACCOUNT NUMBER DUE DATE MIM/DD/YYYY 51-1234567890-1 \$00.00 Your bill is paid through an S M T W T F S 1 2 8 9 15 16 22 23 29 30 3 10 17 24 5 12 19 26 13 20 27

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CURRENT READING

Road Dales: HH/DD/YY - MH/DD/YY (00 Days)

PREVIOUS READING

SERVICE ADDRESS: 1234 ANY STREET, ANY CITY MN 00000-0000 HEXT BEAD DATE: MM/DD/YY

ELECTRICITY SERVICE DETAILS

PREMISES NUMBER 123/56/500 INVOICE NUMBER 1725/50 METER READING INFORMATION

METER NUMBER: 0000000000

DESCRIPTION

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ELECTRICITY CHARGES	RATE: R	esidenti	al Service		
DESCRIPTION		USACE	UHIT	BATE	CHARGE
Basic Service Chg					\$00.00
City Req Fac Surchg					\$00.00
Res Savers Switch AC					-\$00.00 CR
Windsource Program		000	kWh	\$0.000	00.00
Energy Charge Summer/W	inter	000	kWh	\$0.000	00.00
Low Income Cr Ene Summ	et/Winter	000	kWh	- \$0.000	000 - \$00.00 CR
Low Income Cr Fuel		000	kWh	- \$0.000	000 - \$00.00 CR
Environmt Impromt Rider		000	kWh	\$0.000	00.00
Fuel Cost Charge		000	kWh	\$0.000	00.00
Resource Adjustment					\$00.00
Interim Rate Adj					\$00.00
Subtotal					\$00.00
City Fees					\$0.00
Transit Improvement Tax				0.000	% \$0.00
City Tax				0.000	% \$0.00
County Tax				0.000	% \$0.00
State Tax				0.000	% \$0.00
Total					\$00,00

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	MAJUNG ADDRESS	ACCOUNT N	DUEDATE	
	JOHN E. CUSTOMER	51-123456	MM/DD/YYYY	
	MARTHA W. CUSTOMER 1234 ANY STREET	STATEMENT HUMBER	STATE MENT DATE	AMOUNTDUE
	ANY 0 TY, MN 00000-0000	0123456789	MM/DD/YYYY	\$00.00

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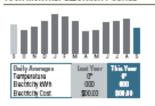
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#### NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY PAGE 1 of 8 ACCOUNT HUMBER MAILING ADDRESS MM/DD/YYYY John E. Customer Martha W. Customer 51-1234567890-1 STATEMENT NUMBER | STATEMENT DATE 1234 ANY STREET ANY CITY, MIN 00000-0000 0123456789 MM/DD/YYYY \$00.00

#### YOUR MONTHLY ELECTRICITY USAGE



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#### Your Account is Overdue - Please Pay Immediately

#### SUMMARY OF CURRENT CHARGES Idetailed charges begin on page 2)

	- 1	-9 F-3	
Electricity Service	MM/DD - MM/DD	000 KWh	\$00.00
Non-Recurring Charges / Credits			\$00.00
Current Charges			\$00.00

#### ACCOUNT BALANCE

Previous Balance	As of MM/DD	\$00.00
No Payment Received		\$00.00
Balance Forward		\$00.00
Current Charges		\$00.00
Amount Due		\$00.00

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ANY CITY, MIN DECODE-COED

ACCOUNT NUMBER DUE DATE 51-1234567890-1 MM/DD/YYYY \$0.00 Please see the back of this bill fer | November of a listo payment clicage. Maka yeur check payable to XXII. ENERGY.

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	MAJUNG ADDRESS	ACCOUNT R	ACCOUNT HUMBER	
	JOHNE, CUSTOMER MARTHA W. OUSTOMER 1/24 ANY STREET ANY GTY, MIN (DODG-000)	51-123456	51-1234567890-1	
		STATEMENT HUMBER	STATEMENT DATE	AMOUNT DUE
AN		0123456789	MM/BD/YYYY	\$00.00

SERVICE ADDRESS: 1234 ANY STREET, ANY CITY MN 00000-0000 HEXT BEAD DATE: MM/OD/YY

### ELECTRICITY SERVICE DETAILS

PREMISES NUMBER 1234567890 INVOICE NUMBER 1235689

NETER READING INFORMATION			
METER NUMBER: 0 0000000 00 Road Dates: MM/DD/YY - MM/DD/YY (00 Days)			
DESCRIPTION	CURRENTREADING	PREVIOUS READING	USACE
Total Energy	00000 Estimale	00000 Actual	CCD WWh

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ELECTRICITY CHARGES	RATE: R	esidenti	al Service	
DESCRIPTION	USACE	UHIT	BATE	CHARGE
Basic Service Chg				\$00.00
City Req Fac Surchg				\$00.00
Res Savers Switch AC				-\$00.00 CR
Windsource Program	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Energy Charge Summer/Winter	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Low Income Cr Ene Summer/Winter	000	kWh	- \$0.000000	-\$00.00 CR
Low Income Cr Fuel	000	kWh	- \$0.000000	-\$00.00 CR
Environmt Imprymt Rider	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Fuel Cost Charge	000	kWh	\$0.000000	\$00.00
Resource Adjustment				\$00.00
Interim Rate Adj				\$00.00
Subtotal				\$00.00
City Fees				\$0.00
Transit Improvement Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
City Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
County Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
State Tax			0.000%	\$0.00
Total				\$00.00

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MAJUNG ADDRESS	ACCOUNT NUMBER		OUE DATE
JOHN E. CUSTOMER MARTHA W. CUSTOMER 1234 ANY STREET	51-1234567890-1		MM/DD/YYYY
	STATEMENT HUMBER	STATE MENT DATE	AMOUNTOUE
ANY/011( MN 00000-0000	0123456789	MM/DD/YYYY	\$00.00

#### NON-RECURRING CHARGES / CREDITS DETAILS

DESCRIPTION	CHARGE
Late Charge Assessed	\$00.00
Total	\$00.00

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# MINNESOTA ELECTRIC RATE BOOK - MPUC NO. 2

# IMPORTANT NOTICE BILL FORM

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#### **DISCONNECTION NOTICE BILL**

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Service Address: 1234 ANY STREET

ANY CITY, MN 00000-0000

Account Number: 52-1234567-1

# DISCONNECTION NOTICE

And Statement of Customer Rights and Information

Dear John E. Customer

Your natural gas and/or electricity will be disconnected if we do not receive a payment of \$000.00 by 00/00/0000 or if you do not take immediate steps to remedy your past due balance. If your service is disconnected for nonpayment, you will have to pay a reconnection charge, and you may have to pay a deposit and additional shut off charges. You can avoid disconnection by taking one of the following steps:

- Paying your past due amount \$000.00 by 00/00/0000. Note that this amount DOES NOT include
- your current month's bill.

· Making payment arrangements with us by 00/00/0000.

Please contact us immediately at 1-800-895-4999 to make payment arrangements or if you believe there is an error.

We look forward to working with you to resolve this situation.

Sincerely,

Xcel Energy

RETAIN UPPER PORTION WHEN MAILING PAYMENT

THIS NOTICE MAY NOT REFLECT RECENT PAYMENTS

DISCONNECTION NOTICE

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Your Account Number Due Date Please Pay Amount Enclosed 00/00/000 \$000.00 Thank You! 52-1234567-1

Your Payment To:

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JOHN E. CUSTOMER 1234 ANY STREET ANY CITY, MN 00000-0000

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#### STANDARD BILLING FORM BACK

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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS IMPORTANT ADDRESSES General Inqu Xcel Energy Payments Xoel Energy Electric Emergencies: 1-800-895-1999 24 hours, 7 days a week Natural Gas Emergencies: Residential Customer Sen 1-800-895-2999 24 hours, 7 days a week 24 hours, 7 days a we PO Box 8 PO Box 9477 Eau Claire, WI 54702-0008 Minnoapolis, MN 55484-9477 **Business Solutions Center.\*** 1-800-481-4700 8am - Spm, Mon - Fri ттритту 1-800-895-4949 24 hours, 7 days a week xcelenerey.com Please include stub for faster processing. Call Before You Dig 8am - Spm, Mon - Fri

City Fees
A fee some cities impose that Xcel Energy collects from customers and pays directly to the city.

Blactranic Check Conversion

When you pay your bill by check, in most cases Xcel Energy will use your check information to
make a one-time electronic dobit from your checking account on the day we receive your check.

There are no fees for this electronic conversion. In all other cases we will process your check.

Environmental Information

Fuels used to generate electricity have different costs, reliability and air enissions. For more information, contact Xool lengt at 1.300.895-899 or online at www.coelenergy.com. You can also contact the Minnesota Department of Commorce at www.commerce.state.mn.us or the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency at www.pca.state.mn.us/programs/electricity.html.

Estimated Bills:
Notel Energy stitumpts to read motors each month. If no reading is taken, Xoel Energy estimates your
month's bit based on your past use.

Further information is available to customers upon request.

**GENERAL INFORMATION** 

Governing Regulatory Agency
The Minnesota Public Utilities Cor MPUC: 121 7th Place E., Sulte 350, St. Paul, MN 55101-2147 - www.puc.state.mn.us.

Lake Peyment Change

Xcel Energy will assess a late payment charge on unpaid amounts two working days after the due date. The late payment charge is 15% monthly, or \$1, whichever is greater. No late payment charge will be asse ssed if the unpaid amount is less than \$10.

Payment Responsibility
If the name on the front of your bill is not that of a person or business who has payment responsibility, call Xcel Energy at 1-800-895-4999

#### ABOUT YOUR ELECTRIC RATES

Affordability Charge
A surcharge to recover the costs of offering bill payment assistance and discount programs for low-income customers

Basic Sarvice Charge
Fixed monthly charge for certain fixed costs (metering, billing, maintenance, etc.) Conservation Improvement Programs

Minnesota law requires Xcel Energy to invest in programs that help customers save energy.

Demand Charge

Charge to commercial and industrial oustomers for the flued costs of the electric capacity required to meet the peak inductive loads on Xcol Energy's system. The charge, which is adjusted seasonally, applies to the highest 15 minute kW demand during the billing period.

Energy Charge
Charge per kWh of electricity usage to recover the variable costs of producing energy.

Entiresemental Improvement Rider

Minneseta law allows: Xcol Energy to recover the costs of significant environmental Improvements at three of Xcol Energy's fossifixed power plants.

Final Clause Adjustment
Charge par kWh to recover the costs of fuel needed to run Xeel Energy's generating plants, as well as the cost of purchasing energy from other suppliers.

ie kllowatt-hour (kWh) is a unit of electrical usage. One kWh equals 1,000 watts of electricity used one hour. This is enough electricity to light a 100-watt light builb for 10 hours.

Mercury Cost Recevery
Minnesota law allows Xoel Energy to recover costs related to reducing Mercury emissions at two o Xcel Energy's fossil fuel power plants.

Renewable Development Fund

Minnesota law requires Xod Energy to allocate money to support development of renewable energy projects and research and development of renewable energy technologies.

Renewable Energy Standard
Minnesota law allows Xcol Energy to recover the costs of new renewable generation Resource Adjustment

This includes costs related to: Conservation Improvement Programs, Mercury Cost Recovery, Renewable Development Fund, Renewable Energy Standard, State Energy Policy, Transmission Cost Recovery.

State Energy Policy

finnesota law allows Xcel Energy to recover costs related to various energy policies approved by the Legislature.

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Transmission Cost Recevery

Minnesota law allows Xosi Energy to recover costs associated with new investments in the electric transmission system necessary to deliver electric energy to customers.

Windsource\*
Windsource\* Is an optional program where you choose how much wind energy you would like to support. You can choose a fixed number of Windsource® blocks (100 kWh each) or choose a 100% Windsource® option.

# ABOUT YOUR NATURAL GAS RATES

Basic Service Charge Monthly charge for certain fixed costs (metering, billing, maintenance, etc.)

Charge per therm Charge to recover the cost of natural gas purchases from wholesale suppliers and delivered to Xcel Energy's distribution system via pipeline. This charge is adjusted each month.

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Conservation improvement Programs
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stribution Charge large per therm that covers only the delivery costs of natural gas to a home or business through our stribution system. It does not include the charges for the natural gas Itsalf.

Gas Affordability Program

A surcharge to recover the costs of offering a low-income customer co-pay program designed to reduce natural gas service disconnections. Billied to all non-interruptible customers.

Gas Utility intrastructure Costs

Minnesota law allows You Energy to recover MPUC approved costs of assessments, modifications, and replacement of natural gas facilities as required to comply with state and federal pipeline safety programs.

Heat Centent Adjustment
Corrects for variances in the heating capability of natural gas, and the adjustment varies monthly.
The higher the heat content, the lower the volume of natural gas needed to provide the same heating.

New Area Service/Extension Surcharge

Monthly charge for extending natural gas service to areas where the cost would otherwise have been prohibitive under Company's present rates and service extension policy.

Pressure Correction Adjustment.

Adjusts for variances in the amount of natural gas measured by different types of meters due to pressure.

differences in the natural gas delivered to a se

Resource Adjustment
This includes costs related to Conservation Improvement Programs, Gas Utility Infrastructure Costs and

State Energy Policy Rider

State Energy Policy
Minnesota law allows Xcel Energy to recover costs related to various energy policies

approved by the Legislature

Therm
A therm is a unit of heating value equal to 100,000 British Thermal Units (BTUs). Since natural gas meters measure the volume of natural gas consumed in cubic feet, the Heat Content Adjustri is used to determine how much heat in therms, is contained in the volume consumed.

#### PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Standard Payment Options: (No fees apply)

   My Account/eBill\*\* Vlow/pay your bill online, view energy usage and access account information.
- Auto Pay Automatically pay your bill directly from your bank account.
- . Calck Pay Make a payment through xcelenergy.com.
- Pay By Phone Make your payment by phone from your checking or savings account by calling 1-800-895-4999.
- Pay By Mail Heturn the enclosed envelope and attached bill stub with your payment. Apply proper postage.

. Online View and Pay - View and pay your bills online through a third-party vendor.

Other Payment Options (Third-party fees will apply. Xcel Energy does not collect nor benefit from these fees.)

. Credit/Debit Card Payment - Use your credit or debit card either online or by calling 1-888-747-1573

• Pay Stations - Pay your bill in-person at a location near you.

Learn more at xcelenergy.com/MyAccount

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