



CONTROL *Your Consumption* CONTROL *Your Cost*

Like the price of gasoline, all energy prices have increased at an astonishing rate over the last several years. As a result, the cost of the energy required to deliver electricity to you has also increased.

Energy consumption can double your bill from winter to summer months. You can take control of your consumption and rising costs through conservation measures. See comparison chart and helpful steps below:

COMPARISON OF ELECTRIC RATES			
Summer Energy Use (kWh)	Bill Last Summer 2008	Estimated Bill this Summer 2009	Percent Change
500	\$63.29	\$64.32	1.6%
1,000	\$169.63	\$178.98	5.5%
2,000	\$464.40	\$493.64	6.3%

HELPFUL STEPS TO REDUCING ENERGY COSTS

1. Set the AC thermostat as high as possible, 80°F to 82°F. Install a programmable thermostat. Change filters monthly.
2. Cool only the rooms you use. But don't close all vents. Closing too many actually reduces operating efficiency.
3. Close drapes, caulk and weather strip doors and windows, install solar screens or awnings.
4. Turn off unnecessary lights, TVs, computers and other electrical appliances when not in use.
5. Reduce pool pump operating time.
6. Turn off and remove second refrigerator or freezer in the garage.
7. Run only full loads in the dishwasher, clothes washer, and clothes dryer in the evening hours, if possible, for lower energy use.

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