

THE TOWN OF PEMBROKE'S COMMUNITY CHOICE POWER SUPPLY PROGRAM CONSUMER NOTIFICATION



*** National Grid customers only ***

The Town of Pembroke is announcing that **First Point Power** ("First Point") has been selected as the supplier for its Community Choice Power Supply Program ("Program"). First Point will provide electric power supply for all consumers participating in Pembroke's Program. This notice is intended to tell you about this Program for electric power supply. In accordance with state law, it also informs you of your rights and options if you choose not to participate in the Program.

YOU WILL NOT NOTICE ANY CHANGE IN YOUR ELECTRICITY SERVICE. You will continue to see First Point printed under the "Supply Services" section of your monthly bill. You will continue to receive one bill from National Grid. You will continue to send your payments to National Grid for processing. National Grid will continue to respond to emergencies, read meters and maintain the distribution and transmission lines. Reliability and quality of service will remain the same. Furthermore, you will continue to have all existing consumer rights and protections.

NEW RATES AND TERMS

		Pembroke's Program	National Grid**		
		(Supply Services Only	(Supply Services Only)		
	STANDARD	OPTIONAL GREEN 50	OPTIONAL GREEN 100	BASIC SERVICE	
Rate	(default)	-			
Residential	\$0.13999 per kWh	\$0.15999 per kWh	\$0.16769 per kWh	\$0.15484 per kWh	
Commercial/ Streetlight	\$0.13999 per kWh	\$0.13999 per kWh \$0.15999 per kWh \$0.16769 per kWh		\$0.14411 per kWh	
Industrial	\$0.13999 per kWh	\$0.15999 per kWh	\$0.17430 per kWh		
Renewable Energy Content (see below for required & voluntary percentages by year)	Meets MA renewable energy requirements	50% MA Class I RECs above minimum state requirements	100% MA Class I RECs	Meets Massachusetts renewable energy requirements	
Duration	No	vember 2025 – Novemb	August 1, 2025 – January 31, 2026		
	ending	es apply to service begin on the days of the mont ter is read in your servic	[Residential and Sm Commercial rates change every 6 months. Lg Commercial and Industrial rates change every 3 months.]		
Exit Terms		NO CHARGE	May receive a reconciliation charge or credit [Industrial G-2 & G-3 only]		

^{*}Rate includes Consultant Services Fee of \$0.001 per kWh to facilitate Pembroke's Community Choice Power Supply Program.

PARTICIPATING CONSUMERS will start benefiting from the aggregation rate beginning on the day of the month in November 2025 that their meter is read. This date varies by service area. Your meter reading date is shown on your bill.

IF YOU ARE A BASIC SERVICE CONSUMER WHO HAS BEEN MAILED A NOTIFICATION you do not need to take any action to participate. You will be automatically enrolled. If you do not wish to participate, please follow the instructions specified.

BUDGET PLAN OR ELIGIBLE LOW-INCOME RATE CONSUMERS will continue to receive those benefits from National Grid.

SOLAR PANEL AND COMMUNITY SOLAR CONSUMERS will continue to receive net metering or on-bill credits while receiving electricity supply under the Program and the value of these credits will not be altered by participating in the Program.

ANY APPLICABLE TAXES WILL BE BILLED as part of the Program's power supply charge. You will be responsible for identifying and requesting an exemption from the collection of taxes by providing appropriate documentation.

^{*}Rate may increase as a result of a change in law that results in a direct, material increase in costs during the term of the contract.

^{**}GreenUp options are available for \$0.022-\$0.038 per kWh in addition to National Grid's Basic Service rate.

TAX EXEMPT SMALL BUSINESS CONSUMERS <u>must</u> email or fax a copy of their Energy Exemption Certificate directly to First Point at <u>enroll@firstpointpower.com</u> or (877) 206-4855 (fax) in order to maintain their tax exempt status.

OPTIONAL GREEN 50 OR OPTIONAL GREEN 100 PRODUCT – You may OPT-IN to the additional 50% MA Class I RECs or the 100% MA Class I RECs product <u>at any time</u> by visiting <u>colonialpowergroup.com/pembroke</u> or calling First Point at (888) 875-1711 and asking to be enrolled.

IF YOU WISH TO JOIN THIS PROGRAM you may OPT-IN at <u>colonialpowergroup.com/pembroke</u> **OR** call First Point at (888) 875-1711 and ask to be enrolled. If you are currently contracted with your own supplier, you should confirm with them that you will not incur any early termination fees or penalties for leaving their supply.

IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE you must OPT-OUT at <u>colonialpowergroup.com/pembroke</u>, click the OPT-OUT button and follow the instructions specified **OR** call First Point at (888) 875-1711.

THROUGHOUT THE LIFE OF THE PROGRAM each subsequent contract may vary by rate, term and possibly supplier. You will be automatically enrolled in the next contract at the new aggregation rate unless you opt-out. The new aggregation rate may be higher or lower than the current rate and the voluntary renewable energy content may change. There will be advance notice of each automatic renewal to inform you of your supply options should you choose to opt-out.

TO ACCESS NATIONAL GRID'S BASIC SERVICE RATES please visit:

- Residential Rates nationalgridus.com/media/pdfs/billing-payments/electric-rates/ma/resitable.pdf.
- Commercial Rates nationalgridus.com/media/pdfs/billing-payments/electric-rates/ma/commtable.pdf.
- Industrial Rates <u>nationalgridus.com/media/pdfs/billing-payments/electric-rates/ma/indtable.pdf.</u>

Basic Service rates change twice a year or more, depending on rate class. As a result, the aggregation rate may not always be lower than the Basic Service rate. The goal of the aggregation is to deliver savings over the life of the Program against National Grid Basic Service. However, future savings cannot be guaranteed.

Colonial Power Group, Inc. is an energy consulting company chosen on a competitive basis by the Town of Pembroke to facilitate the Community Choice Power Supply Program. For more detailed information, call us toll-free at (866) 485-5858 ext. 1.

RENEWABLE ENERGY CONTENT – Required and Voluntary Percentages by Year

Community Choice Power Supply		Year	Required by State*		Voluntary**		TOTAL
			MA Class I	Other	MA Class I	Other	IOIAL
Town of Pembroke	STANDARD (default)	2025	27%	36%			63%
		2026	30%	39%			69%
		2027	33%	43%			76%
		2028	36%	45%			81%
	OPTIONAL GREEN 50	2025	27%	36%	50%		113%
		2026	30%	39%	50%	\	119%
		2027	33%	43%	50%	<i>P</i>	126%
		2028	36%	45%	50%		131%
	OPTIONAL GREEN 100	2025	27%	36%	73%		136%
		2026	30%	39%	70%		139%
		2027	33%	43%	67%		143%
		2028	36%	45%	64%		145%
National Grid BASIC SERVICE		2025	27%	36%			63%
		2026	30%	39%			69%
		2027	33%	43%			76%
		2028	36%	45%			81%

^{*}Required by State – Mandatory minimum percentage of renewable energy resources required by MA law.

^{**}Voluntary – Additional renewable energy that exceeds the minimum required by the state in the specified year. For additional detail on MA renewable energy requirements, please visit mass.gov/info-details/program-summaries.