## Dear Neighbor,

The City of Boston works to bring affordable, renewable, and price-stable electricity to all its residents - regardless of income. Boston Community Choice Electricity (BCCE) is our City-run program that works to save you money while providing clean energy. BCCE currently offers more renewable energy and costs less than Eversource's Basic Service rate. In just the first six months of 2023, Boston residents on BCCE saved nearly \$60 million dollars, an average household savings of \$340 in comparison to Eversource Basic Service.

BCCE offers three electricity supply products: Optional Basic, Standard, and Optional Green 100.

OPTIONAL BASIC	STANDARD (default)	GREEN 100
\$0.14205/kWh December 2023- December 2025	<b>\$0.14805/ kWh</b> December 2023- December 2025	<b>\$0.17195/ kWh</b> December 2023- December 2025
24% Renewable Energy	39% Renewable Energy	100% Renewable Energy

Both the Standard and Optional Green 100 products offer more renewable energy than Eversource. While the Program cannot guarantee savings, all three BCCE products are less expensive than the Eversource Basic Service rate (\$0.17216/kWh) through at least July 2024. Residents enrolled in the BCCE Standard plan, who use an average of 600 kWh/month, could save nearly \$15 a month on their electricity bill. Consider opting-up to Optional Green 100 which provides 100% local, renewable energy from sources such as wind and solar.

Residents receiving public assistance, and with a household income at or below 60% of the state median income, may be eligible for discounts on their electric bill. Visit **Eversource.com/billhelp** to apply. Participating in BCCE will not interfere with any Eversource credits, payment plans, or discounts. Residents in need of additional assistance should visit **boston.gov/energy**.

Your account will be automatically enrolled into the Standard plan with your May 2024 meter reading. You will see this reflected on your June 2024 Eversource bill. You can opt-up, down, or out at any time with no penalties. To learn more, visit us online at <a href="mailto:boston.gov/bcce">boston.gov/bcce</a>, call 3-1-1, or email <a href="mailto:bcce@boston.gov">bcce@boston.gov</a>.

Boston Community Choice Electricity is an effective, affordable tool to help Boston move towards a just energy transition. Together we have the power to build a greener, healthier Boston for future generations. Thank you for your partnership!

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