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We are writing to inform you that the collection for electric power supply costs will be increasing our electric utility rates with the utility invoice that reflects the billing period of May 13th, 2025, to June 13th, 2025, and a due date of July 25th, 2025. The average customer impact will be an increase in their total electric bill of \$8.20 for each 1,000 KWH of consumption. While the average electric bill increase for the Borough will be eight percent (8%), individual customer impacts will depend on the customer's level of consumption and most impacts will fall between six and ten percent (6-10%) increase range.

Significant increases in capacity costs are occurring with the increased use of *ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE* (AI) throughout the United States. The growing demand is pushing the electric grid to its limits, particularly during extreme weather events as well. In addition, infrastructure power supply costs are increasing. *The Borough of Mont Alto has not increased residential electricity rates since 2013.* This challenges the Borough to review current costs and projected costs in the next several years and how it will affect our community.

We understand that rate increases can impact your budget, which is why we are giving as much notice as possible and to inform you of the changing electric demands facing the Borough of Mont Alto and the entire United States.

A sample calculation of a utility invoice is located on the back of this notification.

Thank you for your understanding as the Borough of Mont Alto navigates the new era of technology.

Sincerely,

Borough of Mont Alto

Mont Alto Electric Committee

Mr. Richard Lee – President Mont Alto Borough Council

Chairman – Electric Committee

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Below are two calculator examples to show what the current pricing (light yellow highlight) is for a usage of 1000 kWh vs what the increased pricing (dark yellow highlight) will look like for a usage of 1000 kWh.

Current Charge Calculator (Effective since June 2013 Utility Bill)

			Retail Rate	Total Charge
nmetercons	1000			
Customer Charge				\$7.20
First 150 kWh	150		\$0.0943	\$14.15
Next 350 kWh	350		\$0.0870	\$30.45
Over 500 kWh	500		\$0.0808	\$40.40
PPA kWh	1000		\$0.0095	\$9.50
ntranamt				\$101.70

Increased Charge Calculator (Effective in the July 2025 Utility Bill)

			Retail Rate	Total Charge
nmetercons	1,000			
Customer Charge				\$10.00
First 150 kWh	150		\$0.0908	\$13.62
Next 350 kWh	350		\$0.0908	\$31.78
Over 500 kWh	500		\$0.0908	\$45.40
PPA kWh	1,000		\$0.0095	\$9.50
ntranamt				\$110.30