

Brookline Green Electricity

The Town has renewed its Brookline Green Electricity (BGE) contract for two years.

If you participate in “Brookline Green”, “Brookline Basic” or “Brookline All Green” offerings, no action is necessary to receive the new rates (most residents and businesses participate in one of these).

If you participate in “Brookline Green 65”, you must affirmatively re-enroll or you will be returned to Eversource Basic Service in December 2022. You will receive instructions on how to re-enroll in the mail in early November.

BGE program’s new prices will be fixed for two years, from December 2022 through December 2024. BGE’s new electricity supplier will be NextEra Energy.

How to Tell if You are Already Participating

Brookline electricity customers can confirm that they are enrolled in BGE by looking at the Supply Services Section of a recent electric bill. If it says “Direct Energy – Town of Brookline”, then that account is enrolled. If it says something else such as Basic Service Fixed or other names, then that account is not enrolled. Starting with the electricity bill participants receive for December 2022, the Supplier name will change to BGE’s new supplier “Brookline Green Electricity c/o NES”.

To see which BGE option you are using, check the price per kWh listed in the Supplier section. This will show the current price, which will change starting December 1, 2022.

- Brookline Green: 11.615 cents/kWh
- Brookline Basic: 10.715 cents/kWh
- Brookline Green 65: 12.665 cents/kWh
- Brookline All Green: 13.715 cents/kWh

How to Join if You are Not Yet Participating

Residents and businesses can enroll in BGE Program or switch rate options at any time. To make a switch use the online form at <https://brooklinegreen.com/> or by calling the BGE Program at (800) 931-6221. [Brooklinegreen.com](https://brooklinegreen.com/) shows the current program rates from December 2022 onward. It can take one or two billing cycles for the supplier change to appear on the utility bill.

Questions?

Please contact BGE’s Program representative with questions at **(800) 931-6221**.

Please be Aware

No one affiliated with the BGE Program will call you or visit your home. Anyone doing so and claiming to be affiliated with the BGE Program is inaccurate.

The Town wants to reiterate that we partner with the following entities only, in regards to our BGE Program. Any other company claiming to have a partnership or agreement with the Town is false and should be reported to Town Hall.

- Good Energy, for consultant and outreach efforts
- Direct Energy, our current electrical supplier through November 30, 2022
- NextEra Energy Services, our upcoming electrical supplier starting December 1, 2022

New BGE Prices:

	Brookline Basic	Brookline Green (Most popular option)	Brookline All Green
Prices			
Residential	14.781 ¢/kWh	16.361 ¢/kWh	18.681 ¢/kWh
Small Business			
Large Business			
Voluntary Renewable Energy Content	-	Adds voluntary renewable energy (MA Class I RECs) to total: 90% renewable in 2022 & 23 100% renewable in 2024	Adds 100% voluntary renewable energy (MA Class I RECs)
Duration	Dec. 2022 to Dec. 2024	Dec. 2022 to Dec. 2024	Dec. 2022 to Dec. 2024

The BGE Program cannot guarantee savings compared to utility Basic Service for the duration of the Program pricing because future Basic Service rates are unknown.

The products labeled “Green” contain additional Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) above that required by MA law. The additional RECs qualify for MA Class I designation from generation located within, or delivered to, New England.