



# Worcester Community Choice Electricity Aggregation Program Launching Soon!

Worcester Community Choice Aggregation is a form of municipal group electricity purchasing permitted by state law. Worcester will use the bulk buying power of the community to:

# ✓ Increase community sustainability and reduce Worcester's carbon footprint

Participants will receive at least double the amount of locally produced renewable energy, compared to the state required minimum amount, at approximately the same average yearly price as National Grid's Basic Service.\*

## **✓** Provide stable electricity supply costs

Prices will remain fixed for longer than National Grid's Basic Service price (which changes every six months or less), making the program different from many commercial electricity supply offers in the marketplace.\*

### **✓** Protect consumers

The program is a city-vetted, consumer-friendly alternative to existing electricity supply offers that Worcester residents and businesses may be receiving in the mail or by phone. There will be no hidden costs, and participants will be able to leave the program at any time.

\* Please note: While the program aims to be equal to or lower than the average of the regularly fluctuating National Grid prices, it cannot guarantee that it will be equal to or lower than National Grid's Basic Service price because future Basic Service prices are unknown.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CURRENT PROGRAM TERMS, RATES, AND OPTIONS AT

WorcesterCommunityChoice.com

Program participants will be automatically enrolled in:

#### **Worcester Standard Green:**

20% of local renewable electricity on top of the state-required minimum!

Or you can choose:

#### **Worcester 100% Green:**

100% renewable electricity

#### Who can participate?

The Worcester Community Choice Aggregation Program will be open for automatic enrollment (per state law) to all electricity customers in Worcester who are on National Grid's Basic Service. Those customers will soon receive a postcard and a letter from the City with more details. Non Basic Services electricity customers may also join the aggregation – learn how at WorcesterCommunityChoice.com.

#### Can I Opt-Out?

Participation in the Worcester Community Choice Electricity Aggregation is not required. You will be able to opt out before being enrolled (with your February 2020 electricity meter reads), as well as any time after enrollment, with no fee or penalty.

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