



TOWN OF LEXINGTON

COMMUNITY CHOICE ELECTRICITY AGGREGATION PROGRAM NOTIFICATION LETTER

August 27, 2024

Dear Lexington Electricity Service Customer,

We are writing with information about **Lexington's Community Choice** electricity program. The program will **increase the amount of renewable energy in your electricity to 100%**. The program also includes other renewable electricity options. It will impact the Supply portion of your Eversource electric bill.

If you received this letter and you do nothing, you will be AUTOMATICALLY enrolled in Lexington's Community Choice Program.

Your opt-out request must be postmarked by [September 30, 2024](#), to avoid automatic enrollment in the program.

If you do not opt out, you will be enrolled in the 100% Green option at a price of [13.998 ¢/kWh](#), and you will receive 100% of your electricity from renewable sources.

Lexington's Community Choice Program is a form of group electricity purchasing known as electricity aggregation. In an aggregation, the Town uses the bulk purchasing power of the community to choose an electricity supplier for the community and to determine the amount of renewable energy in the community's electricity supply.

Lexington has signed a contract with First Point Power to supply the Town with electricity that is 100% from renewable sources, which are both within and outside of New England. You may also choose to receive electricity that is 100% from renewable sources in the New England region, or to receive just the minimum from renewable sources required by state law. Please see the back of this letter for pricing information. ►

The Lexington's Community Choice Program price will not change until December 2026, while Eversource's Basic Service price, which you have now, changes seasonally. Price stability also makes the program different from many commercial offers that you may receive by mail or by phone.

Because Eversource's future prices are not known, Lexington's Community Choice Program cannot guarantee savings compared with Eversource's Basic Service prices over the contract term with First Point Power.

Your Relationship with Eversource

- If you participate, Eversource will remain your electric utility. You will continue to receive your electric bill from them and call them if the power goes out. But you will see First Point Power listed as your electricity supplier on your Eversource bill, and the Lexington Community Choice Program price will be used to calculate the Supply charge on your bill.
- If you do not participate, the Supply charge on your Eversource bill will continue to be calculated using Eversource's Basic Service price.

If you are eligible for a low-income discount or fuel assistance, you will continue to receive those benefits as a participant in Lexington's Community Choice Program.

Lexington's Community Choice Program

Your New Electricity Supply Price **13.998 ¢/kWh**

This price is fixed until December 2026. Compare to Eversource's prices on the back. ►

Customer Support

1-844-379-9935

lexington@masspowerchoice.com

MassPowerChoice.com/Lexington

Don't Want to Participate?

You don't have to. There is no penalty or fee to opt out of the program, and you may opt out at any time.

If you choose not to participate, you will remain an Eversource Basic Service customer.

To opt out before being enrolled, do one of the following before **September 30, 2024**:

- Sign & return the enclosed reply card.
- Opt out online at MassPowerChoice.com/Lexington.
- Call customer support at **1-844-379-9935**.

Program Options & Pricing

To choose either the New England Green option or the Basic option, please visit MassPowerChoice.com/Lexington and click “Your Options” or call customer support with Lexington’s program consultants at [1-844-379-9935](tel:1-844-379-9935).

Lexington’s Community Choice Program options:				You will be enrolled here ▼						If you do not wish to participate:		
	Lexington Basic Minimum renewable energy required by law			Lexington 100% Green 100% renewable energy from a mix of sources <i>(MA Class I RECs + National Wind RECs = 100%)</i>			Lexington New England Green 100% from renewable sources all within the New England region <i>(100% MA Class I RECs)</i>			Eversource’s Basic Service Minimum renewable energy required by law		
Price	13.081 ¢/kWh*			13.998 ¢/kWh*			15.654 ¢/kWh*			15.772 ¢/kWh - Residential 15.677 ¢/kWh - Sm business 12.114 ¢/kWh - Lg business		
Price period	Enrollment - December 2026			Enrollment - December 2026			Enrollment - December 2026			August 1, 2024 - January 31, 2025, residential & small business. August 1 - October 31, 2024, large business.		
	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026	2024	2025	2026
Renewable energy added voluntarily by Lexington												
				<i>Voluntary renewable energy amounts decrease as the amount of renewable energy required by the state increases.</i>								
From new resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs)				-	-	-	20%	20%	20%	76%	73%	70%
From wind projects outside of New England (National Wind RECs)				-	-	-	56%	53%	50%	-	-	-
Renewable energy required by the State of Massachusetts**												
From new resources in the New England region (MA Class I RECs)				24%	27%	30%	24%	27%	30%	24%	27%	30%
From other clean or renewable sources				38%	36%	39%	38%	36%	39%	38%	36%	39%
Exit terms												
Leave any time. No exit charge.				Leave any time. No exit charge.				Leave any time. No exit charge.				Leave any time. No exit charge. However, large business customers may receive a billing adjustment charge or credit.

* Lexington’s Community Choice Program prices include a \$0.001/kWh administrative fee. Program prices could increase as a result of a change in law that results in a direct, material increase in costs during the term of the electricity supply agreement.

** The Commonwealth of Massachusetts requires that all electricity supply products include a minimum of 62% from clean or renewable energy resources in 2024, 63% in 2025, and 69% in 2026. To meet these requirements, First Point Power must purchase electricity from MA Class I renewable energy projects and from other clean or renewable sources such as nuclear and trash-to-energy. Lexington Basic meets the minimum requirement. Lexington 100% Green and Lexington New England Green exceed it.

Frequently Asked Questions

I have received this letter, and also I have recently signed a contract with an electricity supplier. What should I do? You may have signed your contract after this mailing list was created. In that case, you must opt out if you wish to retain your current contract. If you do not opt out, your account will be enrolled in Lexington’s program, which may trigger early termination fees from your electricity supplier.

I have a tax-exempt account. How can I retain my account’s tax-exempt status? Taxes will be billed as part of the program’s power supply charge. Customers are responsible for identifying and requesting an exemption from the collection of any tax by providing appropriate tax-exemption documentation to First Point Power. Visit MassPowerChoice.com/Lexington for more information.

If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to visit MassPowerChoice.com/Lexington or to contact customer support at lexington@masspowerchoice.com or [1-844-379-9935](tel:1-844-379-9935). Our Town consultants will be happy to help you.

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Town Manager Sustainability & Resilience Officer

OPT-OUT REPLY CARD



LEXINGTON'S COMMUNITY CHOICE PROGRAM

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Signature

Date

Opt-Out Instructions

You do not need to take any action to participate in Lexington's Community Choice Program.

If you DO NOT wish to participate, you MUST opt out.

To opt out using this card:

1. Sign and date this card.
2. Place the card in the enclosed envelope.
3. Drop the envelope in the mail.

This card must be signed by the Customer of Record whose name appears on this card. The envelope must be postmarked no later than **September 30, 2024**, to opt out before being enrolled automatically. You may also opt out online at MassPowerChoice.com/Lexington or by calling customer support at **1-844-379-9935**. You may also opt out anytime after enrollment.