

# Residential Natural Gas Service Rates

Here are the residential natural gas rates, effective January 1, 2010.

Customer Class Code	Fixed Charge* \$ per day	Fixed Charge* \$ per month	Volumetric Local Distribution Service Charge* (\$/therm)	Gas Supply Acquisition Charge (\$/therm)	Natural Gas Costs** (\$/therm)
Rg-3	\$0.2301	\$7.00	\$0.3060	\$0.0368	**
Rg-T***	\$2.4903	\$75.75	\$0.2256	-	-

\*See currently effective tariff sheets for unbundled rate components.

Visit our Web site at [wisconsinpublicservice.com](http://wisconsinpublicservice.com) or call us for current tariffs.

\*\*Per therm gas cost rate may change each month.

\*\*\*Residential Gas Transportation Service is subject to rate schedule GT.

## Other Services and Programs

Backup services, balancing services, nominated firm, contracted services and others may be available. Please contact WPS for information regarding eligibility and availability.

## What You Can Do to Manage Costs

At WPS, we realize that energy costs make up a significant portion of your monthly budget. For this reason, we are committed to helping our customers manage their energy use and costs. When you visit [wisconsinpublicservice.com](http://wisconsinpublicservice.com), you'll find a wealth of tools and information to help you learn about your energy use and how to better manage it. You can also visit [focusonenergy.com](http://focusonenergy.com) for information on energy-saving programs and rebates offered through Focus on Energy.

## For More Information

If you have any questions about the rate changes, please contact 24-Hour Customer Service at **800-450-7260**. For more information about WPS, visit our Web site at [wisconsinpublicservice.com](http://wisconsinpublicservice.com).



# IMPORTANT

## Information About Your Rates



An explanation of changes to your electric and natural gas rates.



On December 22, 2009, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (the Commission) approved new electric and natural gas rates for Wisconsin Public Service. Across all customer classes, retail electric rates will remain the same and natural gas rates will increase by about 3.08% beginning January 1, 2010. 2010 electric rates also reflect a partial refund of \$0.00165 per kWh for fuel costs that were over-collected by WPS in 2009.

Although the net effect on customers will vary by customer class, we estimate that an average residential electric customer using 630 kilowatt-hours of electricity each month will see an increase of about \$0.50 per month. Some customers will see an electric decrease. An average natural gas customer using 900 therms of natural gas annually will see an increase of approximately \$2.74 per month.

The need for the electric increase primarily includes the increased costs of the 99 megawatt Crane Creek wind farm in Howard County, Iowa, energy efficiency programs administered through Wisconsin's Focus on Energy, and increased employee benefit costs. The natural gas increase is primarily due to the increased costs of the Focus on Energy energy efficiency programs and employee benefits.

## Residential Electric Service Rates

Here are the residential electric rates, effective January 1, 2010.

Most of our residential customers have Standard Service.

Standard Service		
Customer Charge		
Single Phase (Urban)	\$0.1874/day	\$5.70/mo.
Three Phase (Urban)	\$0.3189/day	\$9.70/mo.
Single Phase (Rural)	\$0.2301/day	\$7.00/mo.
Three Phase (Rural)	\$0.3616/day	\$11.00/mo.
Energy Charge		
Urban		\$0.11983/kWh
Rural		\$0.12052/kWh

Optional Time-of-Use — Two-Tier		
Customer Charge		
Single Phase (Urban)	\$0.1874/day	\$5.70/mo.
Three Phase (Urban)	\$0.3189/day	\$9.70/mo.
Single Phase (Rural)	\$0.2301/day	\$7.00/mo.
Three Phase (Rural)	\$0.3616/day	\$11.00/mo.
On-Peak Energy (Urban)		\$0.21867/kWh
Off-Peak Energy (Urban)		\$0.06310/kWh
On-Peak Energy (Rural)		\$0.21867/kWh
Off-Peak Energy (Rural)		\$0.06310/kWh
Water Heater Control Charge	\$0.1578/day	\$4.80/mo.

Optional Time-of-Use — Three-Tier		
Customer Charge		
Single Phase (Urban)	\$0.1874/day	\$5.70/mo.
Three Phase (Urban)	\$0.3189/day	\$9.70/mo.
Single Phase (Rural)	\$0.2301/day	\$7.00/mo.
Three Phase (Rural)	\$0.3616/day	\$11.00/mo.
On-Peak Energy		\$0.26022/kWh
Standard		\$0.11983/kWh
Off-Peak Energy		\$0.07230/kWh

Response Rewards		
Customer Charge		
Single Phase (Urban)	\$0.1874/day	\$5.70/mo.
Three Phase (Urban)	\$0.3189/day	\$9.70/mo.
Single Phase (Rural)	\$0.2301/day	\$7.00/mo.
Three Phase (Rural)	\$0.3616/day	\$11.00/mo.
On-Peak Energy		\$0.21853/kWh
Off-Peak Energy		\$0.07230/kWh
Critical Peak Price		\$0.45000/kWh

Controlled Space Heating		
Customer Charge		
Energy Charge	\$0.2048/day	\$6.23/mo.
Energy Charge		\$0.06630/kWh