



Residential Service

MDPU Tariff No. 235

AVAILABILITY

Service under this rate is available **for Residential purposes in a single, private dwelling or a single apartment**. Incidental commercial uses on the same premises (not exceeding 20% of the total energy use as determined by the Department) may be permitted under this rate at the Department's discretion depending upon metering requirements and the nature of the commercial load characteristics.

COST-OF-SERVICE

- **\$0.0820 per kwhr for Energy Charge**
- **\$0.0665 per kwhr for Distribution Charge**

The cost-of-service per Kwhr \$0.1485 does not include the 10% Discount, Transmission, PPA or PASNY charges.

DISCOUNT

A 10% discount will be applied to that portion of the bill determined per the cost-of-service section (Energy & Distribution Charge) of this tariff if payment is made on (or before) the discount day that is printed on the customer's bill. **There is no discount allowed on the purchased power adjustment or when arrears are due and unpaid.**

FARM DISCOUNT

An **additional 10% discount** is available under this rate for all residential customers that **are properly certified by the Department of Food and Agriculture (DFA)** for a one-year period commencing upon their application date with the DFA. If after one year they have not properly recertified themselves with the DFA, they will not be eligible for this rate application.

CUSTOMER CHARGE

\$4.00 per billing period.

The cost of providing customer-related services such as metering, meter reading and billing. These fixed costs are not affected by the actual amount of electricity you use.

CONNECTION PERIOD

The minimum connection period for service under this rate is six months during which all billing provisions of this rate, including the minimum charge, shall apply.

PURCHASED POWER ADJUSTMENT (PPA)

A purchased power adjustment, **either a charge or credit**, shall be applied to all kilowatt-hours sold under this rate as provided in the purchased power adjustment. The early payment discount does not apply to the purchased power adjustment.

PASNY CREDIT

A credit on a Residential bill for Sterling's pro rata share of hydroelectric power from the **Power Authority of the State of New York (PASNY)**.

TRANSMISSION CHARGE ADJUSTMENT (TCA)

A transmission charge adjustment (TCA), applicable to all rate schedules, shall be applied to all kilowatt-hours sold under this rate as provided in the TCA. The early payment discount does not apply to the TCA.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The SMLD'S Terms and Conditions in effect from time to time, where not inconsistent with the specific provisions hereof, are a part of this rate.

EFFECTIVE On all bills rendered after February 1, 2023.