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 ADDRESS 1
 ADDRESS 2
 CITY, STATE ZIP

Dear [Customer First Name],

We understand that Illinois businesses are operating in a challenging economic environment. Inflation, supply chain pressures, labor costs and broader economic uncertainty continue to affect operating decisions and budgets. We also recognize that energy costs affect your business, which is why we want to explain clearly why MidAmerican Energy has filed a request with the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) to update our electric and natural gas rates.

MidAmerican has not requested a general increase in Illinois natural gas base rates since 2009 and electric rates since 2013 – more than a decade ago. During that time, we worked to manage costs, improve efficiency and delay a rate filing for as long as possible. However, the cost to safely and reliably deliver natural gas and electricity today is significantly higher than it was when current rates were set. At the same time, customer growth has remained flat, and electric usage in our Illinois service area has gone down, while labor, construction and material costs have increased due to inflation. Although we have reduced operating and maintenance expenses, our efforts alone are no longer enough to fully cover the cost of providing safe and reliable service under current rates. Even if the proposed increase is approved, MidAmerican’s rates will be among the lowest in Illinois.

Proposed electric rate adjustment

To ease the impact on your bottom line, we’re proposing to phase in the electric portion of the increase over two years. The first phase would occur in 2027, with the remaining phase taking effect in 2028.

Average Monthly Electric Charges

(This includes various riders, but excludes local taxes or franchise fees.)

Rate Name (Your rate is listed on the final page of your bill.)	Current	Proposed Electric Charges	Proposed Phase 1 Increase (2027)	Proposed Phase 2 Increase (2028)
GE – General Energy Service	\$290.01	\$382.86	\$46.42	\$46.42
GET – General Energy Time-of-Use Service	\$343.53	\$428.70	\$42.58	\$42.59
GD – General Demand Service	\$1,774.02	\$2,303.42	\$264.67	\$264.73
GDT – General Demand Time-of-Use Service	\$3,463.24	\$4,521.68	\$529.43	\$529.00
LST – Large Electric Time-of-Use Service	\$28,638.08	\$36,444.69	\$3,904.87	\$3,901.74
VLT – Very Large Electric Time-of-Use Service	\$383,159.77	\$470,935.63	\$43,883.12	\$43,892.74
SL – Street Lighting	\$1,761.67	\$2,247.94	\$243.14	\$243.14
AL – Area Lighting	\$163.83	\$226.81	\$31.49	\$31.49
GER – General Energy Delivery-Only Service	\$164.72	\$207.03	\$21.14	\$21.16
GDR – General Demand Delivery-Only Service	\$1,829.71	\$2,763.48	\$466.77	\$467.00
ALR – Area Lighting Delivery Only	\$336.87	\$508.60	\$85.87	\$85.87

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Proposed natural gas rate adjustment

The proposed adjustment to natural gas rates would take effect in 2027. This table shows the change in delivery rates, plus the estimated supply charge.

Average Monthly Natural Gas Charges

(This includes various riders, but excludes local taxes or franchise fees. Transportation rates do not include supply charges.)

Rate Name (Your rate is listed on the final page of your bill.)	Current	Proposed Gas Charges (2027)	Proposed Increase
SVS – Small Volume Service	\$218.72	\$241.12	\$22.41
MVS – Medium Volume Service	\$3,531.38	\$3,873.68	\$342.30
LVS – Large Volume Service	\$161,213.07	\$180,181.67	\$18,968.60
SVT – Small Volume Transportation Service	\$307.12	\$713.17	\$406.05
MVT – Medium Volume Transportation Service	\$1,068.32	\$2,315.64	\$1,247.32
LVT – Large Volume Transportation Service	\$12,956.55	\$27,482.94	\$14,526.40

Investing in customer safety and reliability

Over the past decade, we've strengthened our system to enhance your safety with projects like:

- ▶ **Electric cables buried** in steep ravines, wooded or otherwise hard-to-access areas to reduce outages and improve restoration times
- ▶ **Major gas system upgrades completed for more than 9,200 customers** in East Moline, Moline, Rock Island and Silvis. We installed more than 88 miles of new gas main lines, 7,700 new gas service lines on customer properties and nearly 500 gas meter upgrades at homes and businesses
- ▶ **Customer service modernization**, like our new mobile app and phone system upgrades, to speed up service and response times

What happens next?

The rate case process allows the ICC to carefully review our request and ensure that any approved rates are fair and reasonable. We welcome that review and believe transparency and accountability are especially important in today's economic environment. If the ICC approves our request, new rates would go into effect in 2027.

Our commitment to you

We know you depend on us for safe, reliable energy that meets your business needs today and in the future – and our electric and gas delivery teams are here to deliver on that commitment.

If you have questions about our proposed rate adjustments, please visit our website at MidAmericanEnergy.com or call us at **800-329-6261**.

Sincerely,



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