



**INFORMATION  
ABOUT YOUR  
NATURAL GAS RATE**



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## Notice of proposed rate increase

MidAmerican Energy is asking the Iowa Utilities Commission for an increase in natural gas base delivery rates, with proposed final rates expected late summer 2027. The requested increase in annual revenue for all customer classes combined is approximately \$54.9 million, or 9.7% of total annual revenue, including the cost of gas. The increase is based on MidAmerican's actual and forecasted system investments and expenses, including our estimated rate case expense.

## Notice of proposed adjustment mechanism

MidAmerican is proposing a mechanism that makes annual adjustments to delivery charges to account for differences between expected and actual natural gas use. Weather can affect how much gas people use from one year to the next. This mechanism ensures that customers only pay the actual cost of providing their gas service – not extra because of weather swings.

Through this mechanism, if customers pay more than our cost, the difference would be returned through future bill credits; if customers pay less than our cost, the difference would be collected gradually through a bill surcharge.

This mechanism does not change base rates to be approved in this case and does not affect the price of natural gas itself. Customers will continue to control their bills through how much gas they use.

## How the process works

The proposed increase in gas rates may be docketed by the Commission for investigation, which suspends the effective date of the proposed final rates. As allowed by Iowa law, MidAmerican will implement a temporary gas rate increase of approximately \$43.8 million, or 7.7% of total annual revenue, including the cost of gas, effective on July 17, 2026. In addition, with the implementation of temporary rates, the factors for one adjustment mechanism, Clause CIC - Capital Investment Charge, will be reduced to zero.

The temporary gas rates will remain in effect until the Commission completes its thorough review of the proposal. The Commission will then order final gas rates, which may be different from those proposed. The increase will become effective on a date set by the Commission. If the final gas rates are lower than the temporary rates, or the temporary rates are not based upon previously established regulatory principles, MidAmerican will refund the difference to customers with interest. There will be a subsequent proceeding following the conclusion of the rate case where the Commission will consider whether MidAmerican's actual costs and revenues are reasonably consistent with the projected costs and revenues used to set final rates and shall adjust the rates accordingly.

## PROPOSED NATURAL GAS RATE CASE SCHEDULE

- ▶ Rate Case Filing – July 7, 2026
- ▶ Temporary Rates Begin – July 17, 2026
- ▶ Final Base Rate Change – estimated late summer 2027

## ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS

MidAmerican offers a variety of discounts and rebate programs for our customers to save money and energy. Find helpful energy efficiency tips and more at [MidAmericanEnergy.com/EE](https://www.midamericanenergy.com/EE).

## MANAGE YOUR BILL

**Budget Billing:** To manage your budget with the convenience of a predictable monthly bill, sign up for our free Budget Billing program.

**Convenient Online Tools:** Pay your bill, monitor energy usage or sign up for outage alerts on our website or new mobile app. Creating an account login is easy.

**Payment Assistance:** If you are having trouble paying your bill, please contact us right away. We can discuss a payment arrangement that will allow you to pay over time, or we can help you find local agencies that may provide assistance.

For bill-related questions, please call **888-427-5632** or visit [MidAmericanEnergy.com](https://www.midamericanenergy.com).

## UNDERSTAND YOUR RATE

Learn more about our rates at [MidAmericanEnergy.com/rates-tariffs](https://www.midamericanenergy.com/rates-tariffs). For questions about these proposed rate changes, please call **888-427-5632** or email [onlinecustomerservice@midamerican.com](mailto:onlinecustomerservice@midamerican.com). Written explanations of all current and proposed rate schedules are available upon request and will be sent to you at no cost.

## CUSTOMER RIGHTS

You have the right to file a written objection to this proposal and to request a public hearing to determine whether the rate increase should be allowed. Requests can be mailed to: Iowa Utilities Commission, 1375 E. Court Ave., Des Moines, IA 50319-0069, emailed to [customer@iuc.iowa.gov](mailto:customer@iuc.iowa.gov) or submitted online via the comment form at [iuc.iowa.gov/customer-assistance/how-do-i-file-comment-objection-or-letter-support-open-docket](https://efs.iowa.gov/customer-assistance/how-do-i-file-comment-objection-or-letter-support-open-docket) at <https://efs.iowa.gov/>. The Commission should be provided with any facts that would assist in determining the justness and reasonableness of the requested increase. The docket number of the proposal is Docket No. RPU-2026-0001. This written objection will be made available to the Office of Consumer Advocate, which represents the public interest in rate cases before the Commission.

To submit a comment or objection online, visit [efs.iowa.gov](https://efs.iowa.gov) and click “Sign Up” to create an account. Login and click “Submit a Comment or Objection in a Docket” to access the submission form. Fill out the submission form and enter Docket No. RPU-2026-0001 before submitting.

## CONSUMER COMMENT MEETINGS

The Commission encourages MidAmerican customers to participate in comment meetings regarding the requested gas rate increase. The consumer comment meetings may be in person or virtual. These meetings are the best opportunity to provide verbal feedback directly to the Commission and other parties involved in the rate case. Please find the current comment meetings schedule below.

Details about participating virtually in consumer comment meetings will be available on the Commission’s website at [iuc.iowa.gov](https://www.iuc.iowa.gov).

LOCATION	DATE AND TIME
<b>Cedar Rapids</b> Hilton Garden Inn 4640 N. River Blvd. NE	Sept. 8, 2026, 6 p.m.
<b>Des Moines</b> Holiday Inn Des Moines – Airport Conference Center 6111 Fleur Dr.	Sept. 9, 2026, 6 p.m.
<b>Sioux City</b> Sioux City Convention Center 801 Fourth St.	Sept. 10, 2026, 6 p.m.
<b>Virtual Meetings</b> Visit <a href="https://www.iuc.iowa.gov">iuc.iowa.gov</a>	Sept. 9, 2026, noon

## Monthly gas bill impacts for a typical customer

**i** The highlighted row represents your rate class

The table on the right shows the impact of the proposed gas rate increases in dollars and percentages for a typical customer in each rate class. The table also shows overall gas impacts for both temporary rates and final rates.

Only some charges on your gas bill are impacted by this requested rate increase. The charges that are impacted include items labeled: “Basic Service Charge,” “Delivery Charge” and “Meter Charge.”

Charges that are not impacted include: “Gas Supply Charge” and “Energy Efficiency Charge.”

Please note that the amount of the increase you will see on your gas bill may differ depending on your natural gas usage and the final rates approved by the Commission.

Customer Class	Current Rates		Temporary Rates – 2026		Proposed Final Rates – 2027	
	Gas Usage (therms)	Current Monthly Gas Bill	Typical Monthly Bill	Typical Bill Overall Change Pct.	Typical Monthly Bill	Typical Bill Overall Change Pct.
<b>Gas Service Rates</b>						
Small Volume (SV) Service Residential	60	\$55.60	\$57.86	4.06%	\$58.49	5.20%
Small Volume (SV) Service Nonresidential	182	\$137.92	\$143.41	3.98%	\$144.91	5.07%
Medium Volume (MV) Service Residential	4,438	\$2,839.22	\$2,989.66	5.30%	\$3,030.47	6.74%
Medium Volume (MV) Service Nonresidential	2,866	\$1,841.35	\$1,942.43	5.49%	\$1,970.06	6.99%
Large Volume (LV) Service	457,363	\$264,665.20	\$271,018.52	2.40%	\$272,766.78	3.06%
Seasonal Gas (SG) Service	4,406	\$2,636.02	\$2,920.24	10.78%	\$2,999.39	13.78%
Interruptible (INT) Service	3,809	\$2,461.30	\$2,613.70	6.19%	\$2,655.03	7.87%
<b>Transportation Service Rates</b>						
SV Transportation	812	\$726.07	\$804.66	10.82%	\$825.69	13.72%
MV Transportation	17,983	\$11,418.73	\$12,043.80	5.47%	\$12,211.44	6.94%
LV Transportation	457,363	\$264,830.20	\$271,211.14	2.41%	\$272,966.78	3.07%
SG Transportation	34,479	\$20,144.19	\$22,227.63	10.34%	\$22,787.63	13.12%
INT Transportation	3,809	\$2,626.30	\$2,806.32	6.85%	\$2,855.03	8.71%
<b>Monthly Metered Transportation Service Rates</b>						
Small Transport	812	\$577.07	\$631.20	9.38%	\$645.69	11.89%
Medium Transport	3,992	\$2,590.83	\$2,752.13	6.23%	\$2,795.84	7.91%