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Mr. Cru Stublely  
Interim Secretary to the Commission  
Public Service Commission of Wisconsin  
P.O. Box 7854  
Madison, WI 53707-7854

**RE: 6690-UR-127 – Application of Wisconsin Public Service Corporation for Authority to Adjust Electric and Natural Gas Rates**

Dear Mr. Stublely:

Enclosed for filing is the bill insert Wisconsin Public Service Corporation (the Company) is sending to all of its customers in Wisconsin regarding the price change request for its electric and natural gas services. The Company began distributing the bill insert on July 29, 2022.

Please contact me at (414) 221-3685 or richard.stasik@wecenergygroup.com with any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

Richard F. Stasik  
Director – State Regulatory Affairs

Enclosure

# Next steps

Your bills will continue to be calculated using current rates until new rates are approved by the PSCW. Next steps in the process:

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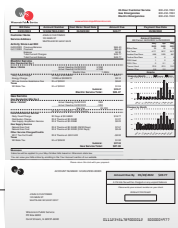
The PSCW will conduct a thorough review of our proposal and will hold a public hearing at a date, time and location to be determined.

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After taking our information and public testimony into account, the PSCW will set new rates. They may be higher or lower than what we requested.

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If approved, we anticipate new electric and natural gas rates taking effect in January 2023.

Visit [psc.wi.gov](http://psc.wi.gov) or call 608-266-5481 to learn about the hearing schedule in docket 6690-UR-127. In lieu of testifying at the public hearing, you can submit comments online by going to the "For Consumers" section of the PSCW website.

## For more information

If you have questions about our proposal, visit [wisconsinpublicservice.com](http://wisconsinpublicservice.com) or contact us at 800-450-7260 (residential customers) or 877-444-0888 (commercial and industrial customers).



## Learn about our 2023 rate proposal

Wisconsin Public Service (WPS) filed a proposal on April 28, 2022, with the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSCW) to set 2023 rates for electric and natural gas utility operations. This insert provides an overview of our request.



WPS-220132-07-GJ-GH-365M



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# Our overall request

- \$73.9 million (6.2%) increase for electric rates (including changes in fuel costs).
- \$30.3 million (8.3%) increase for natural gas rates.

The impact of the requested increase on your bill will vary depending on your rate class and amount of electricity and natural gas you use.



## Reasons for the request

### Electric

- ➔ Capital investments in renewables, battery storage and natural gas generation. Many of these projects have already been approved by the PSCW.
- ➔ Reliability investments, including grid-hardening projects to bury power lines and strengthen the delivery network against severe weather.
- ➔ Changes in wholesale business with other utilities.

### Natural gas

The requested increase will help maintain the safe and reliable service that our customers expect.

# What this means for you

## Electric »

Customer class	2023 increase
Residential*	\$5.96 or 6.06% per month
Small commercial/ industrial**	\$17.16 or 6.92% per month
Large commercial/ industrial***	6.99% annually

\* Assumes customer using 660 kilowatt-hours (kWh) per month.

\*\* Assumes customer using 2,000 kWh per month.

\*\*\* Assumes large commercial and industrial firm electric customer. Identifying any large commercial or industrial electric customer as a typical customer is difficult because there are many combinations of rate components that impact bills, which can vary significantly.

## Natural gas »

Customer class	2023 increase
Residential*	\$3.36 or 5.78% per month
Small commercial/ industrial**	\$7.62 or 6.85% per month
Large commercial/ industrial***	4.94% annually

\* Assumes customer using 838 therms per year.

\*\* Assumes customer using 1,900 therms per year.

\*\*\* Assumes large interruptible commercial natural gas customer using 6 million therms per year. Identifying any large commercial or industrial natural gas customer as a typical customer is difficult because there are many combinations of rate components that impact bills, which can vary significantly.