

Top 10 energy-saving tips for summer

1. Set your air conditioner thermostat as high as comfortable – we recommend 78°F or higher.
2. Switch to compact fluorescent light bulbs in fixtures that are used the most.
3. Have your central air conditioner tuned up and clean or replace filters for more efficient operation.
4. Run only full loads in the dishwasher and run it at night on hot days.
5. Set your water heater to 120°F.
6. Wash clothes in cold water and clean the lint filter in the dryer after every use. Try to do laundry in the evenings or on weekends to avoid peak load usage.
7. Set the temperature of your refrigerator between 37°F and 40°F.
8. Use a microwave, toaster oven or outdoor grill instead of the oven.
9. Unplug small appliances like coffee makers, microwaves and TVs when not in use.
10. Visit our Web site at **rockymountainpower.net/utsaver** for more tips and information on cash incentives to trim your energy bill and make your home more energy efficient.



Let's turn the answers on.



Utah, now you have more power to control your energy bill.

From May 1 through September 30, your Rocky Mountain Power bill will be once again calculated based on a tiered pricing structure, which is referred to as a "summer tiered rate." The benefits of this program are simple: to help you save energy and keep your energy bill low.

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Rates that encourage more energy efficiency.

Over Utah's warm summer months, your electric bill will work this way. The energy charge for usage up to 400 kilowatt hours (kwh) per month will be about 7.5 cents per kwh. The next 600 kwh will be about 8.5 cents per kwh, and any additional kwh over 1,000 will be about 10 cents per kwh. So the less you use, the less you pay. It's also designed to give you clear signals about the higher cost of increasing energy usage.

Even though these rates have been in effect for several years, we want you to know how this rate structure affects your electric bills. For instance, the average residential customer in Utah who uses 750 kwh per month this summer will see a monthly bill of about \$67, as compared to a winter average of about \$63. The average residential customer in Utah who uses 2000 kwh per month this summer will see a monthly bill of about \$198, as compared to a winter average of about \$164.

UTAH RESIDENTIAL SERVICE SUMMER TIERED RATES (5/1 – 9/30)

kwh rate up to 400 kwh	7.5¢/kwh*
kwh rate 400 to 1000 kwh	8.5¢/kwh*
kwh rate > 1000 kwh	10¢/kwh*

*Prices exclude any applicable taxes and rate surcharges.

We can help you save energy.

We have many simple ways you can lower your energy use. You'll find plenty of tips that can save you money this summer listed on this brochure. You'll find even more on our Web site. For information on Rocky Mountain Power's energy efficiency programs and incentives, visit rockymountainpower.net/utsaver.

Examples of programs available to help save you energy and money.

Home Energy Savings – This program provides cash back on energy-efficient appliances, home improvements, and heating and cooling equipment/services that will keep your home comfortable and save you money.

Refrigerator recycling – Say “See ya later, refrigerator” and earn a \$30 cash incentive from Rocky Mountain Power. You can save up to \$150 per year on your electricity bill.

Home Energy Analysis – You'll find this simple survey online or call **1-888-221-7070** and get the survey with a postage-paid return envelope. We'll send you back customized recommendations on how to save energy.

Utah weatherization services – The Utah Department of Community & Culture offers weatherization services at no cost to income qualifying households. For information, please call 1-877-488-3233.