

Summer Energy Savings

Keeping energy costs low over the summer is not impossible, but you will want to make some adjustments at home.

Follow these tips to keep costs in check:

- Set ceiling fans to turn counterclockwise so they push down cool air and create a breeze.
- Grill out instead of using an oven or stove.
- Wash clothes in cold water and lay them out to dry.
- Clean or replace the filter in your air conditioner.
- Seal up cracks or gaps around windows and doors to keep cool air inside your home.
- Turn the AC up or turn it off if you are going to be away from home for more than four hours.



For more ideas on keeping costs low, visit mlgw.com/Residential/EnergySavingTools.



MLGW's 2021 Water Quality Report

Want to check out the facts about the source and quality of your drinking water? The 2021 Water Quality Report is online at mlgw.com/waterquality.

MLGW Hosted Power Supply RFP Update

Memphis Light, Gas and Water leadership and its consultants, GDS Associates, Inc., provided an update on MLGW's Power Supply request for proposal (RFP) attended by Memphis City Council and MLGW Board members.

MLGW embarked on an extensive evaluation of power supply options starting with the development of an integrated resource plan in 2020 and pursuing the RFP process in 2021 to help determine savings and potential power suppliers.

On June 9, 2022, at the Benjamin L. Hooks Library stakeholders received an RFP progress update on potential savings and findings. Final recommendations will be available in August 2022.



Watch a recording of the June 9 meeting on MLGW's YouTube channel: youtube.com/MLGWwysToSave. Learn more about the RFP process at mlgw.com/powersupplyinfo. To submit feedback or questions, email: powersupply@mlgw.org.

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Rising fuel rates could lead to higher summer bills

TVA and the utility industry across the globe are experiencing fuel-market challenges in the face of high natural gas and coal prices, summer supply concerns and an increase in electricity demand.

Due to increasing TVA fuel rates combined with increasing summer electricity consumption, MLGW customers will see summer electric bills increase substantially.

Customers will see significant increases from June to July and for the entire summer season relative to last year.

Between June and September, customers could see 20% to 40% increases on average, depending on consumption. This translates to estimated bill impacts of between \$30 to \$60 per month.

While customers cannot control the market, they can save energy to save money. To find more energy conservation tips, visit mlgw.com/conserve.