

**ELECTRIC SERVICE TARIFF:**

**FLATBILL**

**SCHEDULE: FLAT-5**



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**AVAILABILITY:**

Throughout the Company's service area from existing lines of adequate capacity.

**APPLICABILITY:**

Applicable to residential customers who have been in their current residence over the previous 12 months, have had their electricity priced on the "Residential Service" or "FlatBill" tariff over the previous 12 months and are currently in good financial standing with Georgia Power.

Applicable to customers who have been in their current facility over the previous 12 months, have had their electricity priced on the "General Service" or "FlatBill" tariff over the previous 12 months, use less than 3,000 kWh monthly, have a maximum 30-minute measured demand of less than 30 kW and are currently in good financial standing with Georgia Power.

Flat Bill offers will not be made to accounts where the monthly calculated amount is less than twenty-five (\$25) dollars. All customers must have separately metered dwellings or facilities. Service shall not be resold or shared with others.

**TYPE OF SERVICE:**

Single or three phase, 60 hertz, at a standard voltage.

**TERM OF CONTRACT:**

Service hereunder shall be for a period of one year. There is no true-up in customers' bills at the end of the contract period. All eligible "FlatBill" offers will be updated with their previous year consumption, and contracts will automatically renew for the following year, unless the customer notifies the Company otherwise.

A customer who withdraws from the program prior to the end of the 12 month contract period may be required to pay an additional amount. Specifically, if the amount of electricity such customers actually used results in a billing amount under the "Residential Service" or "General Service" tariff that is greater than the amount for which they have been billed under the "FlatBill" tariff, such customers must pay that difference. Customers will not receive any refund or credit for amounts paid under the FlatBill tariff if the amount of electricity actually used results in a billing amount under the "Residential Service" or "General Service" tariff that is less than the amount for which such customers have been billed.

If a customer's monthly usage as compared to the same month in the previous year, excluding the effects of weather, is 50% greater, then the Company may return the customer back to the traditional tariff for the remaining months of the "FlatBill" contract. The return to the standard tariff will operate under the same provision concerning customer withdrawals as stated above.

**BILL FORMULA:**

**Monthly Bill** = [Expected Monthly kWh \*(Energy Charges) \* (1+ Risk Adder %)] + Basic Service Charge

**Annual Bill** = The sum of the 12 monthly bills

**"FlatBill" Monthly Amount** = Annual Bill / 12

**Minimum Monthly Bill:** = "FlatBill" Monthly Amount

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### DEFINITIONS:

**Expected Monthly kWh** - Customer's expected monthly energy consumption is calculated based on the customer's historical metered usage adjusted for normal weather and consumption changes in customer behavior.

**Energy Charges** - Expected energy charges from the appropriate rate schedule including Environmental Compliance Cost Recovery (ECCR), Nuclear Construction Cost Recovery (NCCR), the appropriate Demand Side Management (DSM) Schedule and Fuel Cost Recovery (FCR) charges and other applicable schedules.

**Risk Adder %** - The adder is used to compensate Georgia Power for the risk associated with weather-related consumption as well as the risk associated with non-weather impacts. This adder will not exceed 10%.

**Basic Service Charge** - Expected Basic Service Charges from the appropriate rate schedule including ECCR charges, NCCR charges, the appropriate DSM Schedule and other applicable schedules.

**Normal Weather** - Based on Georgia's seasonal heating degree-days and cooling degree-days.

### BILL DETERMINATION:

Steps:

1. Determine the customer's expected 12 months of metered usage adjusted for normal weather.
2. Adjust the usage to account for expected non-weather related changes.
3. Apply the appropriate energy charges and schedules (including ECCR, NCCR, the appropriate DSM Schedule, and FCR) to expected usage in each month.
4. Apply the risk adder.
5. Apply the appropriate Basic Service Charge (including ECCR, NCCR, and the appropriate DSM Schedule) in each month.
6. Apply the appropriate Municipal Franchise Fee in each month.
7. Calculate the annual bill by summing all of the monthly charges.
8. Calculate the monthly flat bill amount by dividing the annual bill by 12.

### ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE COST RECOVERY:

The monthly amount calculated in the above rate includes the provisions of the Company's effective Environmental Compliance Cost Recovery Schedule, including any applicable adjustments.

### NUCLEAR CONSTRUCTION COST RECOVERY:

The monthly amount calculated in the above rate includes the provisions of the Company's effective Nuclear Construction Cost Recovery Schedule, including any applicable adjustments.

### DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT SCHEDULE:

The monthly amount calculated in the above rate includes the provisions of the Company's effective DSM Residential or Commercial Schedule, including any applicable adjustments.

### FUEL COST RECOVERY:

The monthly amount calculated in the above rate includes the provisions of the Company's effective FCR Schedule.

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### **MUNICIPAL FRANCHISE FEE:**

The monthly amount calculated in the above rate includes the provisions of the Company's effective Municipal Franchise Fee Schedule, including any applicable adjustments.

### **SENIOR CITIZEN - LOW INCOME ASSISTANCE:**

The FlatBill calculation will incorporate any applicable Senior Citizen discounts specified in the Residential tariff and the FCR Schedule.

### **GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

The bill calculated under this tariff is subject to change in such an amount as may be approved and/or amended by the Georgia Public Service Commission under the provisions of applicable riders and other schedules.

Service hereunder is subject to the Rules and Regulations for Electric Service on file with the Georgia Public Service Commission.