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The Office of the People's Counsel has prepared this guide to help consumers understand the charges and fees that appear on utility bills in the District of Columbia. Because of the wide variety of possible billing options, your bill may differ slightly from these examples. Please contact OPC's Consumer Services Division for more information.

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# How to Read Your Electric Bill

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#### **BILLING PERIOD** Shows the dates you received service and

the dates you are being billed for.

## **ACCOUNT DETAILS**

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The name registered to the account, the service location and your account number.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Phone numbers for customer service, emergencies and outages, and how to contact OPC.

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A summary of your previous balance, payments received, charges for service used, amount due now and the name of your energy provider. This section also displays important messages about your bill including charges and any discounts that apply.

SUMMARY OF YOUR CHARGES

**ENERGY USE COMPARISON** Displays up to 24 months of energy usage data.

### **PAYMENT COUPON**



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The portion you return with your payment. To expedite processing, your name, your mailing address and the address to mail your payment to Pepco are pre-printed on it.

#### **DETAILS OF YOUR ELECTRIC CHARGES** ELECTRIC SUMMARY Itemization of any changes or adjustments made to This section displays your rate classification, your 10 your account which may include bill payment plans during the current billing period. Your bill may not print this summary if none apply. **DIRECT DEBIT ENROLLMENT** A detailed breakdown of your distribution charges How to have the amount of your monthly bill automatically deducted from your bank account. **ENERGY USAGE HISTORY SUPPLY CHARGES** Details of your daily electric use for the current Details of the cost for Pepco to buy the produced billing period and a 12 month history showing the electricity to serve you. This portion of your bill is average monthly temperature, days in the billing where you can find Pepco's price to compare your cycle and kilowatt hours used.

home's meter number, actual or estimated meter reading, kilowatt hours used and your next meter reading date.

### **DELIVERY/DISTRIBUTION**

8 with the cost of delivering electricity to you.



rate to offers from other companies.

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Jan 14	Feb 14	Mar 14	Apr 14	May 14	Jun 14	Jul 14	Aug 14	Sep 14	Oct 14	Nov 14	Dec 14	Jan 15
46°	41°	43°	56°	58°	67°	75°	83°	81°	73°	63°	46°	38°
29	32	29	29	29	32	30	29	33	29	33	31	30
507	558	453	474	538	876	789	767	781	555	605	639	658

Some customer bills will appear different from this sample Pepco bill. Customers who are eligible for a Residential Aid Credit, the Residential Aid Discount, or customers who have a third party energy supplier will see that information displayed in different locations. If you have guestions about any of these services or whether they appear on your bill, please contact an OPC consumer

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