

ELECTRIC RATES AND PROVISIONS

SCHEDULE REH and RLH

RESIDENTIAL ELDERLY/DISABLED: SHORELINE RESIDENTIAL LOW-INCOME: SHORELINE

SCHEDULES REH/RLH are for qualified low-income residential customers in the City of Shoreline.

Summer Billing Cycles (April - September)	Winter Billing Cycles (October - March)
ENERGY CHARGES:	
First 10 kWh per day at 1.78¢ per kWh	First 16 kWh per day at 1.78¢ per kWh
All additional kWh per day at 3.14¢ per kWh	All additional kWh per day at 3.14¢ per kWh
Base Service Charge: 4.87¢ per meter per day	
North City Undergrounding Charge: All kWh at 0.03¢ per kWh	
Aurora 1 Undergrounding Charge: All kWh at 0.07¢ per kWh	

Section 21.49.040

- A. Schedules REH and RLH are available for separately metered residential service provided to Shoreline customers who show satisfactory proof that they have a City Light residential account and reside in the dwelling unit where the account is billed and that they:
1. For Schedule RLH, receive Supplemental Security Income pursuant to 42 USC § 1381-1383; or
 2. For Schedule RLH, reside in a household in which the annual income of all household members together does not exceed two hundred (200) percent of the poverty level for the number of individuals in the household as computed annually by the U. S. Government or the City; or
 3. For Schedule REH, reside in a household in which the annual income of all household members together does not exceed seventy (70) percent of the Washington State median income for the number of individuals in the household as computed annually by the State or the City and are:
 - a. Blind, or
 - b. Sixty-five (65) years of age or older, or
 - c. Disabled and receive funds from a disability program as a result of a disability that prevents them from working consistent with the requirements of 42 USC Section 401 et seq, or
 - d. Require medical life support equipment which utilizes mechanical or artificial means to sustain, restore, or supplant a vital function.

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- B. Applicants for Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH shall verify the information required to certify their eligibility for residential rate assistance and shall provide other data as is deemed appropriate upon forms and in the manner determined by the City's Human Services Department.
- C. Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH and any other form of residential rate assistance established by the Department are not available to those otherwise eligible persons who own their dwelling unit and who use electric heat as defined in Seattle Municipal Code Section 21.52.210 (Ordinance 109675, Section 2) but who have not completed or who are not in the process of completing the energy conservation measures required for participation in the Comprehensive Residential Weatherization Program described in Seattle Municipal Code Section 21.52.260 (Ordinance 109675, Section 8). Customers who own their own dwelling unit and who use electric heat have one (1) year from the date of application for Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH to complete the energy conservation measures. Eligibility for residential rate assistance may be continued by the Department, however, if the Department determines that the customer's failure to complete the required energy conservation measures is the fault of the City in failing to furnish or properly administer the Low Income Electric Program set forth in Seattle Municipal Code Chapter 21.52.250 (Ordinance 109675, Section 7).
- D. Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH shall not apply to any subsidized unit operated by the Seattle Housing Authority, the Housing Authority of the County of King, or the Federal Government where utility allowances are provided.
- E. Normal residential service under Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH shall be limited to single-phase.
- F. If Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH are applied to transient occupancy in separately metered living units, billing shall be in the name of the owner on a continuous basis.
- G. Duplexes using a single meter prior to October 13, 1978 shall be considered as a single residence for the purpose of applying Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH. For a new duplex or a larger service to an existing duplex, each residence shall be separately metered.
- H. If an electric water heater providing potable water is served under Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH, it shall be a storage-type insulated tank heated by elements which are thermostatically controlled. The maximum element wattage shall not exceed five thousand five hundred (5,500) watts.
- I. All electric service provided for domestic uses to a single residential account, including electrically heated swimming pools, shall have all consumption of electricity added together for billing on Schedules REC, RLC, RES, RLS, RET, RLT, REH and RLH.