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MAQUOKETA MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC
UTILITY CUSTOMER UPDATES

SPRING INTO ENERGY SAVINGS

Spring is right around the corner and with the start of a new season comes a fresh opportunity to find ways to manage your energy usage. Here are just a few simple things you can do to improve the energy efficiency and comfort of your home as warmer temperatures arrive:

- **Service your air conditioner.** Easy maintenance such as routinely replacing or cleaning air filters can lower your cooling system's energy consumption by up to 15 percent.
- **Open windows.** Opening windows creates a cross-wise breeze, allowing you to naturally cool your home without switching on air conditioners.
- **Use ceiling fans.** Cooling your home with ceiling fans will allow you to raise your thermostat four degrees.
- **Cook outside.** On warmer spring days, keep the heat out of your home by using an outdoor grill instead of indoor ovens.
- **Set the thermostat.** On warm days, setting a programmable thermostat to a higher setting when you are not at home can help reduce your energy costs by approximately 10 percent.

Source: energy.gov



As much as half of the energy used in your home goes to heating and cooling. So making smart decisions can have a big effect on your utility bills - and your comfort.

Maquoketa Municipal Electric Utility offers a variety of programs to help you manage your usage and costs:

- Central AC Tune-Up
- Heating & Cooling Improvements
- Heat Pump Technology & Rebates
- Smart Thermostat Rebates
- ENERGY STAR Appliance Rebates

Visit our website for more information.

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK!

Join us on Facebook to stay connected and be the first to know about important announcements and helpful resources. We'll post about service updates, energy-saving tips, community engagement activities and more.

We look forward to engaging with you online!

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You can help your neighbors through Project Share – an ongoing assistance program created to help qualified households pay a portion of their utility bills. You can add a regular PS contribution to your monthly utility payments or make a direct donation. Your contribution is voluntary, flexible, and tax-deductible.

To participate, simply fill out this coupon and return it with your donation to the utility office.

Dear Maquoketa Municipal Electric Utility:

I'd like to help a neighbor in need with a contribution to Project Share.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

❑ I will contribute $ _____ per month to Project Share. I understand this amount will be added to my bill.

❑ I have enclosed a $ _____ donation to Project Share.

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