# GREEN MOUNTAIN POWER CORPORATION RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM RIDER

#### AVAILABLE:

Throughout the Company's service territory during periods when program funds are available as determined by the Company.

#### APPLICABLE:

The Residential Electric Assistance Program (the "EAP") is available throughout the Company's service area to residential Customers taking service from the Company under Rate 1, Rate 11, or Rate 61 and who meet all the availability, applicability and eligibility criteria of the EAP, as determined by the Company.

The EAP fee is applicable to all Customer accounts, for each meter used for retail billing, as determined by the Company (excluded meters will include net metering solar credit gross meters and meters used prior to coincidentalized billings). The EAP Fee will not be assessed on street and security lighting rate classes.

### ELIGIBILITY FOR EAP RATE:

A residential Customer taking service under Rate 1, Rate 11 or Rate 61 must apply for the EAP rate in accordance with the EAP procedures determined by the Company from time to time, and must subsequently be deemed eligible for the EAP rate by a third party "Program Administrator," as determined by the Company from time to time, as EAP participants. The Customer must meet all eligibility requirements, including a household gross income at or below 150% of the federal poverty level. An EAP participant must reapply for the EAP rate at intervals determined by the Company from time to time, which at a minimum will be once per year, and must meet all other eligibility requirements to remain an EAP participant.

EFFECTIVE:

On Bills Rendered on or after April 1, 2016

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EAP RATE:

Rate 01

Daily Customer Charge of \$0.362 plus All kWh at \$0.12392

Rate 11

Daily Customer Charge of \$0.477 plus
During Peak Hours:
All kWh at \$0.19589
During Off-Peak Hours:
All kWh at \$0.08351

#### ARREARS FORGIVENESS:

EAP participants are eligible to have all past due balances set to zero at the time that they become EAP participants. Additionally, EAP participants are eligible to participate in an EAP Power Partners program funded by EAP Fees whereby eligible EAP participants will be eligible to receive 50% arrears forgiveness for a past due balance incurred after program enrollment. Participants will agree to enter into a repayment schedule for the remaining past due balance and will be ineligible to participate in the EAP Power Partners for a period of twelve (12) months if the repayment schedule is broken.

EFFECTIVE: On Bills Rendered on or after January 1, 2019

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#### EAP FEE:

A non-bypassable EAP fee shall be charged to all Customer accounts for each meter used for retail billing beginning October 1, 2015 as follows:

Rates 1 3, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17, 61 \$1.00 per meter, per month \$1.67 per meter, per month \$1.67 per meter, per month \$55.50 per meter, per month

\*Rate 63 Customers are Rate 63/65 billed Customers whose usage is above 1,000 kW for 12 consecutive months.

\*\*Rate 65 Customers are Rate 63/65 billed Customers whose usage is below 1,000 kW for 12 consecutive months.

The EAP fees will be used to (i) fund the difference between non-discounted base rates and the EAP rates available to EAP participants, (ii) reimburse the Company for the arrears forgiveness provision of the EAP, and (iii) pay any and all program administrative costs as determined by the Company.

The EAP fees will not be adjusted by base rate changes.

#### ALTERNATIVE REGULATION PLAN:

The EAP rate is subject to the Company's Alternative Regulation Plan Rider ("ARP Rider"), which includes an annual Power Adjustor, an annual Exogenous Change Adjustment and an annual Earnings Sharing Adjustor. The earnings sharing adjustor shall not apply to the EAP fees.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The Company's Terms and Conditions in effect from time to time and the specific provisions of the rate schedule under which the Customer is currently served, are a part of this Rider where not inconsistent with any specific provision hereof.

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