

WHY IS MY ELECTRIC BILL HIGHER?

This is a national issue.

Higher energy costs are impacting everyone, including electric utilities. Fuel prices have more than doubled, and supply chain constraints are limiting new energy projects. These issues are creating many challenges for utilities to provide affordable power.



Fuel Costs Have Increased

Natural gas is a primary fuel which is burned at power plants to create electricity. The price of natural gas has more than doubled over the last year, making it more expensive to create electricity. High costs are expected until the U.S. and global markets can increase natural gas production or customer demand decreases.

You Need Affordable Power

Many people struggle to pay more for electricity, so we strive to keep costs affordable. Please know that we are working hard to manage our costs.

Fort Pierce Utilities Authority does not profit from the sale of electricity or any utility service. The increased price of natural gas has required an increase to our Power Cost Adjustment until the price of natural gas goes back down. We are revisiting this price with our governing board every two weeks to ensure the most flexibility and the fastest possible return to lower prices.



If you have questions about your bill, please contact our Customer Service Team at (772) 466-1600, Ext. 3900.