



Your Budget Amount May Be Changing

In August, your Budget Plan account is reviewed and adjustments are made to reflect estimated natural gas costs for the Budget Plan year, which runs from August through July of the following year (*even if you may have joined at any time in between*).

Budget charges are subtracted from the actual charges incurred during the year to determine any remaining balance or credit for the period you were enrolled.

- If your budget charges were **GREATER THAN** the actual charges, the credit balance (shown as a negative value in the "Difference") will appear on your August bill and reduce the total amount due.
- If your budget charges were **LESS THAN** the actual charges, the difference will be added to an estimation of your natural gas usage to calculate your new Budget Plan amount.
- If your bill reflects a zero dollar amount due, no payment is necessary.

Your monthly Budget Plan payments are adjusted to reflect changes in your natural gas usage and anticipated natural gas prices for the upcoming budget year. This amount is divided into 12 monthly payments.

Annual Budget Review Summary

Refer to your August bill for a summary of the following information regarding your Budget Plan account.

Actual Charges

Beginning balance plus total natural gas and other charges incurred during the Budget Plan year.

Budget Charges

Total budget charges billed during the Budget Plan year.

Difference

The difference between the actual charges and budget charges billed. This may be reflected as a negative number, or credit, on your bill if your budget charges were greater than your actual charges.

New Budget Plan Amount

Includes your estimated natural gas usage, adjusted for anticipated changes in natural gas prices, divided over 12 months.

Questions?

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