



Beat the Heat, Not Your Wallet!

Experiencing higher-than-normal power bills this summer?
Here's what you can do!

DISPUTE YOUR BILL



Call Georgia Power (888) 660-5890 or use the chat agent on their website and say, "I dispute my bill."



Compare your power usage from last year to this year with your online Georgia Power account and statements.

FILE A COMPLAINT WITH THE GA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION (GPSC)



Complete the complaint form online.



File a Complaint

<https://bit.ly/3AgtPY4>



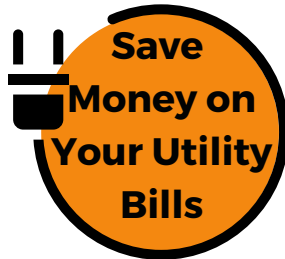
Sign up to speak at a GPSC Energy Committee hearing (every other Thursday at 9:30 a.m.). Bring two power bills (the recent bill and your bill for the same time last year) and share your experience.



Provide Testimony

<https://bit.ly/3SF0nRA>

CHECK OUT OUR RESOURCES



For more info, visit: <https://georgiawatch.org/protect-yourself> or scan the QR code above.

SHARE YOUR STORY



<https://bit.ly/3SDXFfw>



Call our helpline at **(866) 33-WATCH (2824)**, and press 1.



Complete our online form.



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Having trouble with utility bills?

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TIPS TO SAVE



Unplug electronics not in use or use power strips.



Insulate your pipes.



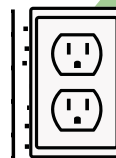
Use caulk to seal up windows inside and out.



Put a door sweep under doors that lead to outside.



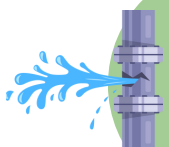
Turn your water heater down to 120°F.



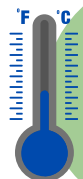
Put foam insulators between the sockets and walls.



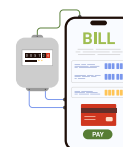
Weatherize your windows.



Repair leaky ducts and pipes.



Set your thermostat to 68° (in winter) and 78° (in summer).



Know your billing and rate plan.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



Older adults at least 65 years of age with a total household income of \$24,280 or less are eligible for a discount of up to \$14.00 off the monthly gas base charge.



Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP):

This is a federally-funded program that helps low-income households with their home energy bills.



HopeWorks (GA Power):

This program helps qualified customers save money on their energy bills with free energy-efficient improvements.



United Way:

Call United Way at 211 to see what financial assistance programs are available in your area.

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