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Thank you for helping us create a clear and informative Town Hall experience for our community.

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Hunt Military Communities

Air Force Utility Allowance (UA)
Program Town Hall

Installation Briefers (Wing CC Rep & Hunt Rep)
01/29/2026



Air Force UA Program VIDEO

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SgbCvJKdhvA&t=8s>





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Why a Utility Allowance (UA)?

- **Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH) includes two components: one for rent, and one for utilities**
- **Department of Defense policy on Utility Allowance is to:**
 - **Encourage conservation by making residents responsible for their energy consumption (electricity and natural gas)**
 - **Reward Service members who conserve utilities to keep the difference between the cost of their consumption and the UA**
 - **Provide Services with the flexibility to adjust the UA based on actual consumption data and experience with the initial methodology**
 - **Conservation of utilities lowers demand on the grid increasing the resilience of the system to support mission requirements**

- The primary goal of the UA Program is to **promote energy conservation** through positive behavioral changes among residents.
- **Program Design**
 - The UA Program is structured to **account for differences in home energy efficiency**. Homes are grouped into “**like-type categories**”, ensuring comparisons are made only among homes with similar efficiency and thermal characteristics. This approach provides a fair and accurate baseline for usage calculations.
- **Impact on Billing**
 - Because energy efficiency is already factored into the program design, homes **within the same like-type group share similar energy use profiles**. This means efficiency differences are not expected to influence individual residents’ billing outcomes.

Variances in Energy Efficiency of Homes



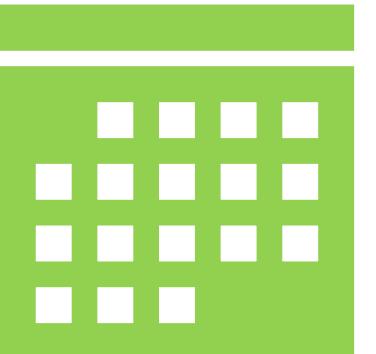
Air Force UA Program Overview



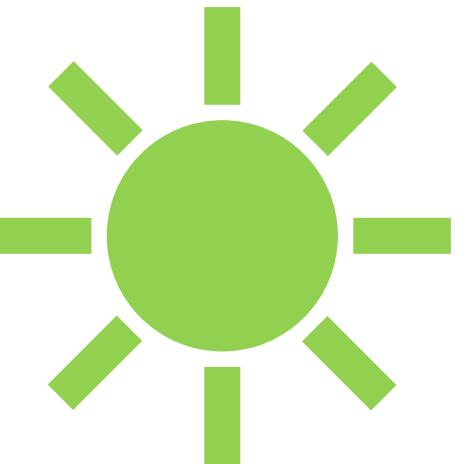
The UA Program is an [OSD mandated program](#) that provides the privatized military partners the opportunity to participate.



The UA Program's baseline calculations use [current weather conditions](#) vs. the previous model that took an average of the year's overall conditions.



[3 months of mock billing](#) will be provided to allow residents an adjustment period to get familiar with the program.



Utility baselines are calculated based on the [current month's weather conditions](#) as well as the commodity rate.



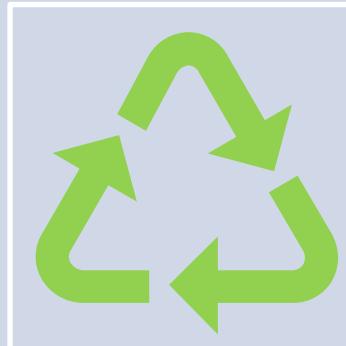
Under LIVE billing, [most Airmen will likely experience no out-of-pocket expenses](#). The utility component of the BAH should cover utility costs for the majority of household's who consume "normal" or average usage. Those with above normal usage will only owe if the payment is above the \$50 threshold.

Benefits of the UA Program for Residents



Accurately calculates energy costs

- Based on monthly averages, and current utility rates to account for seasonal impacts and real-time costs
- Increases Airmen transparency



Promotes energy conservation

- Offers rebate incentive to those who conserve electricity & gas beyond the normal usage range
- 50% of residents will receive rebates for conserving
- Zero out-of-pocket costs for the average utility consumer



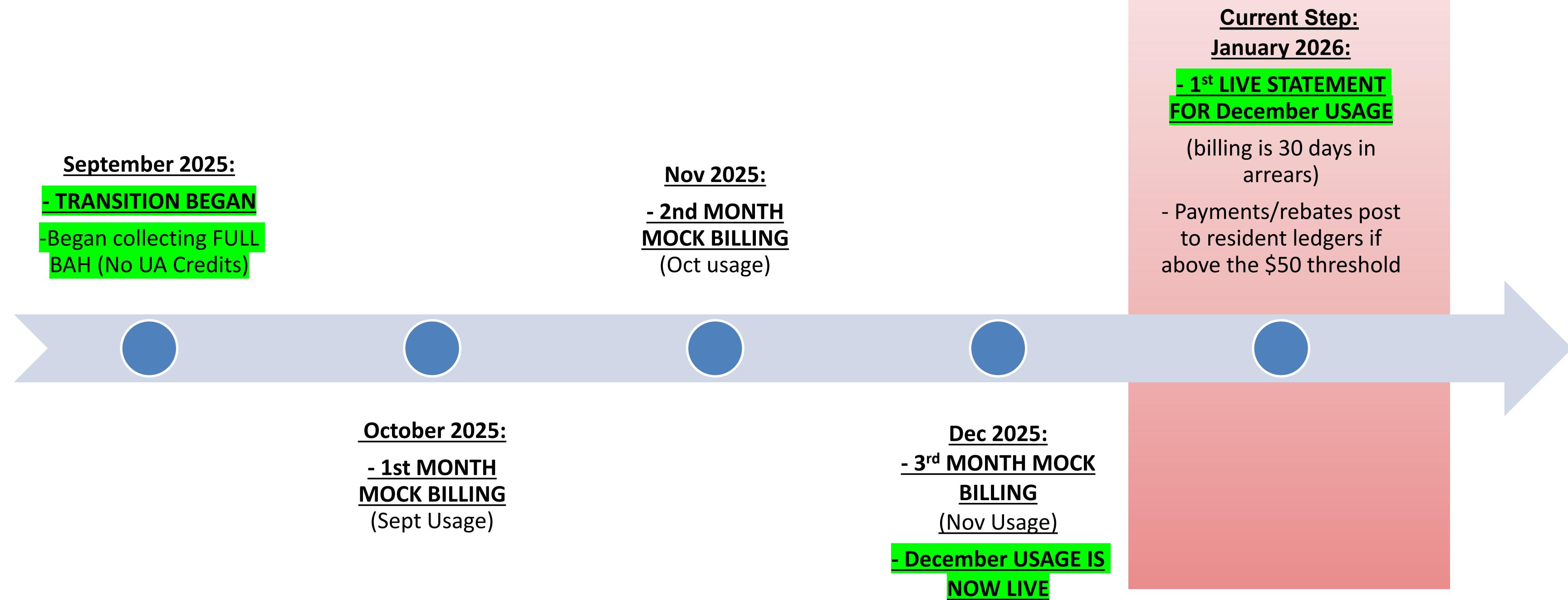
Allows more project funds to be reinvested in homes and communities

- Balances financial incentives to residents and helps reduce project operating expenses
- Encourages Project Owner investment in energy-saving initiatives

Air Force UA Program

Air Force UA Policy	
Energy Calculation	100% of the actual average monthly consumption of like-type homes.
Payments	Residents pay out-of-pocket only for above average usage (over the \$50 payment threshold).
Rebates	Residents earn rebates for usage below the average (over the \$50 rebate threshold).
Seasonal Fluctuation Calculations	UA accurately captures cost, including seasonal fluctuations monthly.
Rate Fluctuations	UA accurately captures rates updated monthly.
Impact on Airmen	Residents using above average consumption will pay the difference out of pocket if above the \$50 threshold. Residents using average consumption will pay \$0 out of pocket.

Air Force UA Transition Milestones



IMPORTANT NOTE:

YES Energy UA billing statements will always be delivered ~30 days after the usage period has closed.

This is due to the time needed by the 3rd Party Billing Company to receive the meter and cost data from the Utility Provider and calculate the UA baseline averages for each LTG, along with, payment and rebate allocations.

How are LTG's Determined?



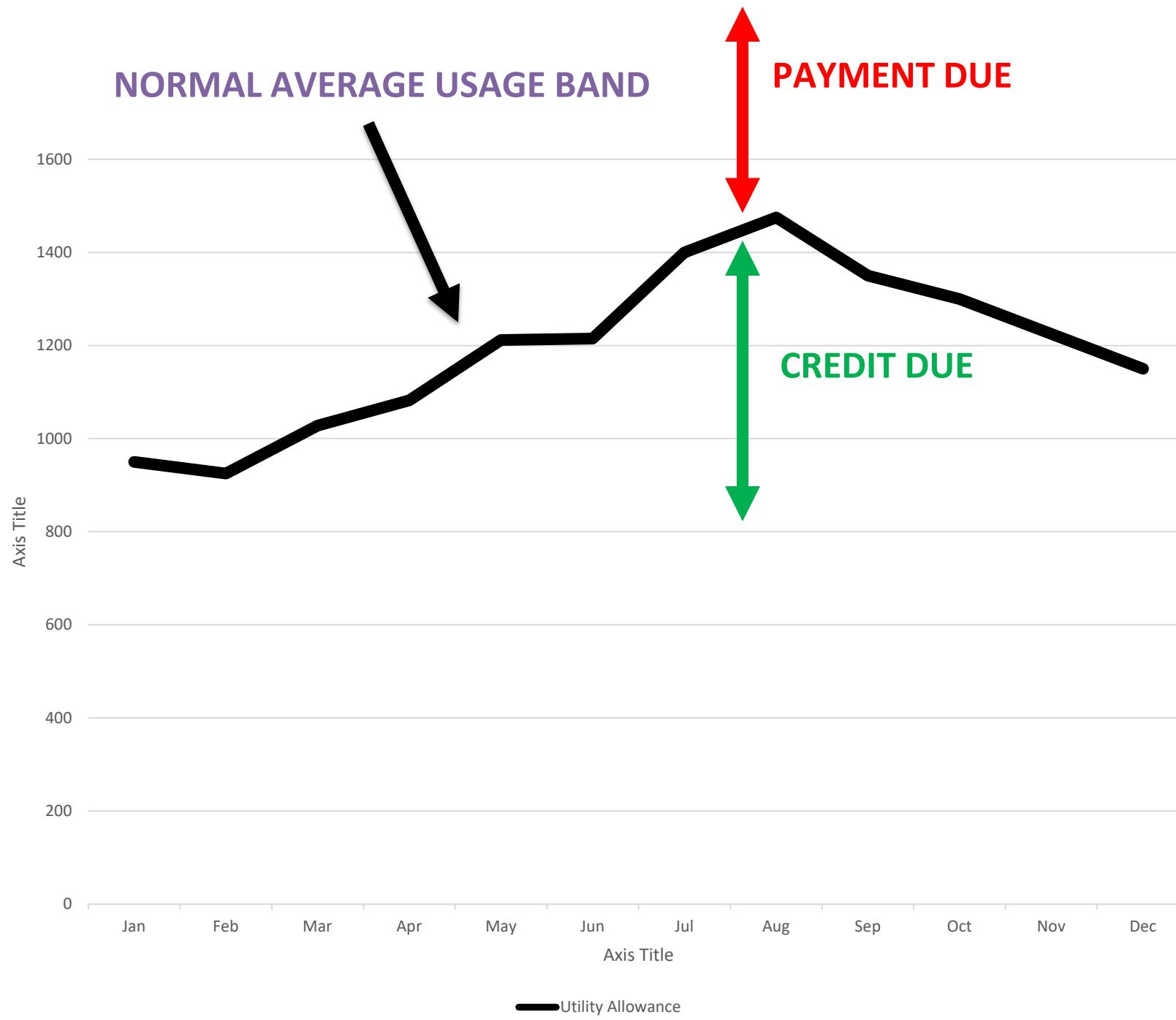
Like Type Groups:

- Homes are grouped together in “**Like Type Groups**” (LTGs) based on factors that influence energy usage including:
 - Size (sqftg, number of bedrooms)
 - Age of the home (year built)
 - Construction style and thermal characteristics
 - Variations in type of heating and cooling equipment
- *****Family size is not a factor*****

Small Like Type Groups:

- For small groups with fewer than 10 homes or unique homes, the baseline average will be determined using:
 - 5 Year Rolling Average Method
 - Per Square Foot Method

The Billing Process



How Are Payments & Credits Determined?

- Establish the **normal usage band** for every like-type group by commodity:
 - Remove Exclusions: Vacant/Partially Occupied Homes, Estimates, Homes with Electric Vehicles, and Civilians
 - Eliminate the Highest 10% and Lowest 10% of Users (If >10 homes in a LTG)
- Compare against the **normal usage band**:
 - Rebate Issued: If your usage is **BELOW** the normal usage band, you will be eligible for a credit
 - Payment Due: If your usage is **ABOVE** the normal usage band, you will need to pay for the extra usage
- Apply the **\$50 Threshold**:
 - Payments/Rebates **BELOW** the \$50 Threshold: **NO ACTION** (unless the cumulative balance exceeds the threshold)
 - Payments/Rebates **ABOVE** the \$50 Threshold: **PAYMENT DUE** or **REBATE ISSUED**
 - At the Baseline: If your usage falls equal to the normal average usage amount, you will owe nothing (covered by BAH)

Sample Bill Calculation



Example Billing Calculation for Usage BELOW the Normal Average Usage Band:

Resident's Actual Monthly Usage = 750 kWh

Monthly LTG Average 1000 kWh

Difference between resident's usage and the normal average usage band:

$750 \text{ kWh} - 1000 \text{ kWh} = (250 \text{ kWh})$

Billing amount is calculated by applying the current effective electric rate to determine the charges for usage below the buffer:

$(250 \text{ kWh}) \times \$0.14326/\text{kWh} = (\$35.82) \text{ REBATE}$

**Payment owed when total payment amount exceeds >\$50
-OR-**

Rebate issued when total rebate amount exceeds > \$50

1st Live Billing Statement

Average **LIVE** Bill Outcomes – December 2025 Service Period (January 2026 YES Statements)

- Total Billable Active Duty Residents = **286**

	ABOVE the Baseline Avg	At the Baseline Avg	BELOW the Baseline Avg
Number of Residents	135 residents	1 resident	150 residents
Average Bill/Rebate Amount	\$32.79	\$0.00	(\$26.90)
Number of Residents >\$50 Threshold	36 residents	0 residents	21 residents
Average Bill/Rebate Amount >\$50 Threshold	\$75.57	\$0	(\$72.88)

The majority of residents in the Community (**87% of residents**) have **NO ACTION** required in this billing period (i.e. below the \$50 payment/rebate threshold).

Hunt Resident Portal

Simplify Your Rebates

Skip the Hassle—Receive Your Utility Rebates via Direct Deposit

Easy ACH Setup for Payments & Refunds

Below are the steps and screenshots from Hunt's RentCafe portal to help residents set up ACH for payments and refunds, including those related to the Air Force Utility Allowance (UA) Program.



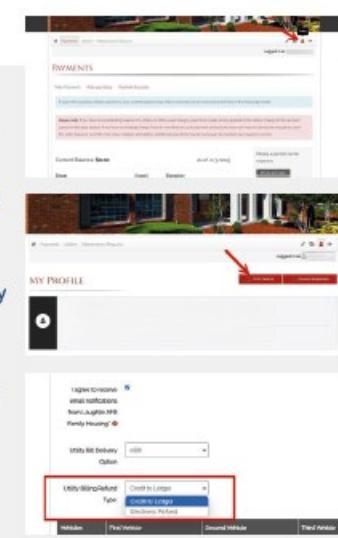
1. Log into the resident portal, go to PROFILE, and select to EDIT PROFILE.

2. Select the drop-down menu for UTILITY BILLING REFUND TYPE. This is where the resident will opt in for "Credit to Refund" or "Electronic Refund."

3. Click to select CREDIT TO LEDGER to opt in for your utility rebate to accumulate on your ledger.

4. Click to select ELECTRONIC REFUND to opt in for your rebate to be paid out once the balance of your utility refund exceeds the \$50 threshold amount.

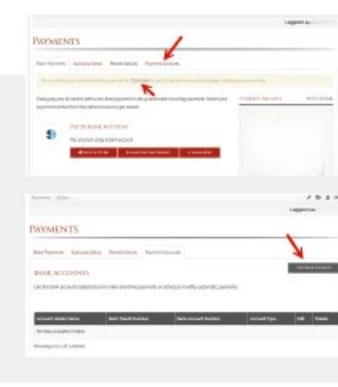
NOTE: You will be required to enter your ACH banking information in order to complete the setup.



Overview of ACH Setup for Residents

1. On the Payments screen, select either the PAYMENT ACCOUNTS tab or CLICK HERE.

2. Select "Add Bank Account." This is where the resident will add routing and account information.



- **How to Register for Auto Payments:**

- Go to PAYMENTS, select AUTO PAY SETUP.
- Select your Payment Account, Start Date, and Payment Percent (in most cases you'll select 100%).

- **How to Opt In for Electronic Refunds:**

- Go to the resident portal, select EDIT PROFILE.
- Click the UTILITY BILLING REFUND TYPE drop-down menu.
- Click to select ELECTRONIC REFUND.

- **IMPORTANT NOTE:** You will be required to enter your ACH banking info to complete auto pay and electronic refund setup.

AUTO PAY SETUP

HOW TO SET UP AUTO PAY FOR VARIABLE CHARGES ON THE WEB

Set Up, Change, or Cancel Auto Pay

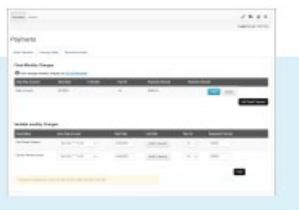
Log into the Hunt Resident Portal, and once you have reached the home screen, select:

Payments > Auto-pay Setup

Once you have arrived to the Auto-pay Setup page, follow these easy steps:

01 Select Payment Account

Under the Variable Monthly Charges section, select the account you want to use for the payment. Select your Start Date, End Date (optional), Pay On (1st-5th), and Payment Percent. *In most cases, you'll select 100%.



Complete this step for the options you want to setup auto pay for. Example: Electric & Gas.

02 Review Summary and read through Terms & Conditions

A confirmation window will appear where you can review the summary. Once you have carefully read through the summary and Terms and Conditions, select the 'I have read and accepted the Terms and Conditions' button and submit.



Please carefully read through the summary and the Terms and Conditions before submitting.

03 Confirmation

A confirmation email will be sent to your email address.



Helpful Information:

1. Residents must have a Payment Account set up before setting up Auto Pay.
2. Auto Pay can be set up at any time. Payment date options are the 1st - 5th of each month.
3. Auto Pay for utilities will make payments to utility charges without manual intervention as long as:
 - a. Utility charges are present on the ledger.
 - b. The auto-pay setup was not given an end date.
4. If applicable, Active Duty residents will be able to set up Auto Pay only for their utility charges as their rent is covered by their BAH.

HMC EV Charging Policy



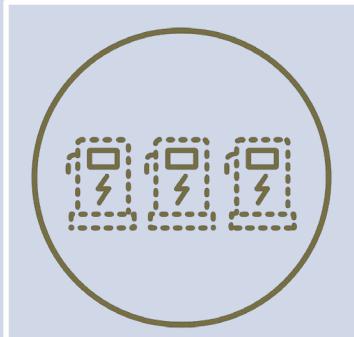
In-home EV charging is not permitted

- As outlined in your Community Guidelines.
- Aligns with the Department of the Air Force EV policy (17MAR23).



Prioritizing safety

- Older housing/infrastructure may have limited capacity.
- House fires caused by unauthorized charges and overloaded circuits.
- Unsecured homes and trips hazards created by extension cords and cables.



Evaluating a possible future solution

- Collaborating with partners to assess feasibility while safeguarding infrastructure integrity.
- Evaluating community charging options that deliver greater cost-saving benefits than public charging stations.

High User Outreach

- Our team will proactively reach out to individuals identified as high users in their LTG to offer support/resources.
- The online **Energy Assessment Checklist**:
 - A convenient tool designed to help you evaluate your energy usage and identify opportunities to conserve!
 - **Estimated Time to Complete?** 10-15 minutes.
 - **What Happens?** Once you submit the form, an analysis of your responses will be completed and recommended next steps will be provided via email within 15 minutes.
 - **Click Here to Access:**
<https://www.huntmilitarycommunities.com/home-energy-assessment-checklist>

Energy Assessment Checklist

Welcome to the Hunt Energy Assessment Checklist! This easy-to-use tool is designed to help you evaluate your home's energy usage and identify opportunities for improvement. By completing this assessment, you'll gain valuable insights into how you can enhance your energy efficiency and potentially reduce your costs.

Taking just 10-15 minutes to complete this assessment can lead to significant long-term benefits for both your wallet and the planet. Ready to get started?

CLICK HERE TO BEGIN YOUR ENERGY ASSESSMENT!

Home Energy Assessment Checklist

Name **Email**
Address **Community**

Welcome to the Hunt Energy Assessment Checklist! This convenient tool is designed to help you evaluate your home energy usage and identify opportunities for improving your energy conservation efforts. By completing the checklist, you'll gain valuable insights into your energy consumption, uncover potential savings, and learn how to enhance your home's efficiency.

• **Estimated Time to Complete?** 10-15 minutes. Please ensure you have access to any relevant information about your appliances and usage patterns.

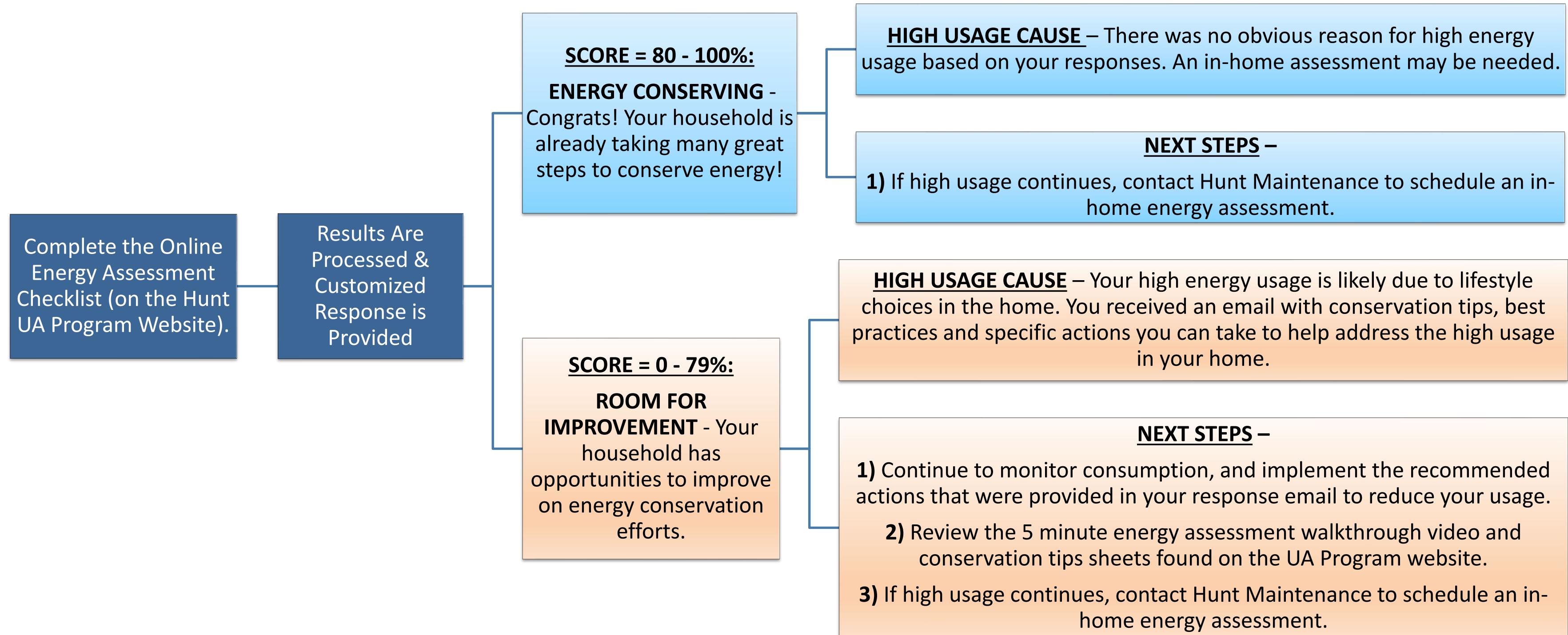
1 General Household Questions **2 HVAC** **3 Water** **4 Lighting** **5 Lifestyle** **6 Maintenance**

Is your heating system running constantly during heating season?

N/A Yes No

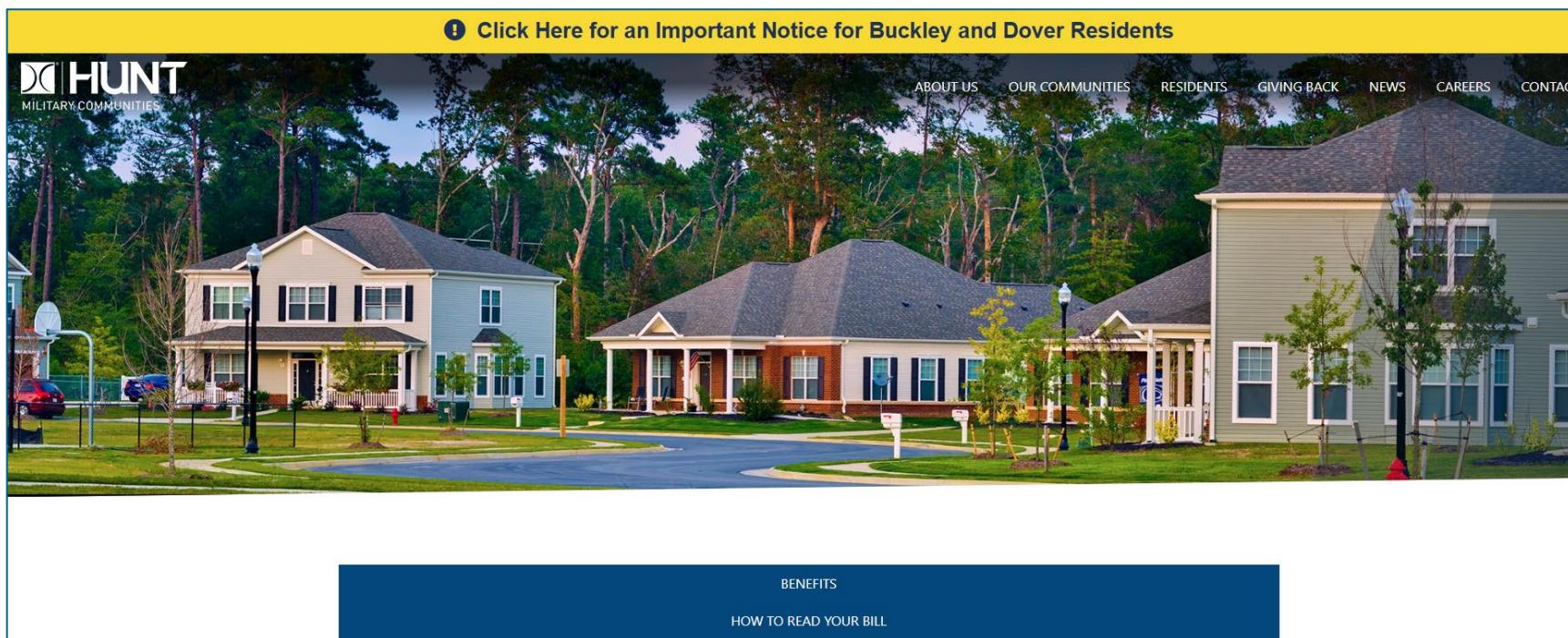
For heating, what temperature is your thermostat usually set to?

High Usage Concern – Energy Assessment Process



Dedicated Air Force UA Program Website

URL: <https://www.huntmilitarycommunities.com/resident-utility-program>



Click Here for an Important Notice for Buckley and Dover Residents

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BENEFITS

HOW TO READ YOUR BILL

FAQs

What is the Air Force Utility Allowance Program?

Why did my installation decide to implement this program?

How does the Air Force UA Program work?

What are the benefits of the Air Force UA Program?

How to Read Your Bill

Click the link below to see a sample bill with an explanation of each section.

CLICK HERE TO UNDERSTAND YOUR BILL

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Videos

Below are brief videos showing an overview of how monthly utility services will be billed for active duty residents under the UA Program & best practices for conserving energy and reducing your household's utility bills.



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YES Energy Resident Billing Service

Hunt Military Communities has partnered with YES Energy, a leading energy and metering company, for the administration of the resident utility conservation program.



Account Payments

A variety of convenient payment options including automatic payments available on the Hunt Resident Portal.



Statements and Notices

The new and improved monthly statements are now easier to read and understand. Statements will continue to be mailed to your home each month and will also be available electronically in your YES online web portal.



Customer Assistance- Available Now!

Contact the YES Customer Service Center for help managing your utility account. We have a dedicated group of employees standing by to help you with any questions you have regarding this transition or your utility account.

Reach this team by phone 24/7 at 1-888-363-0493

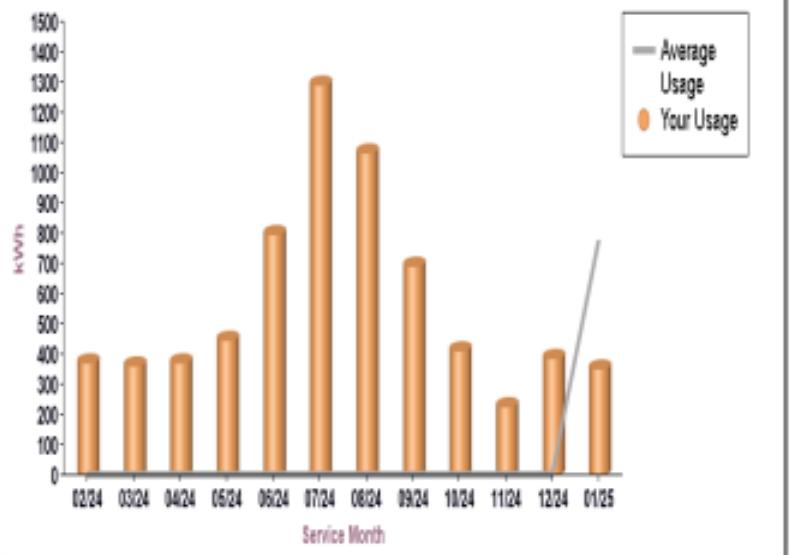


YES Energy Resident Billing Service

Statement Enhancements:

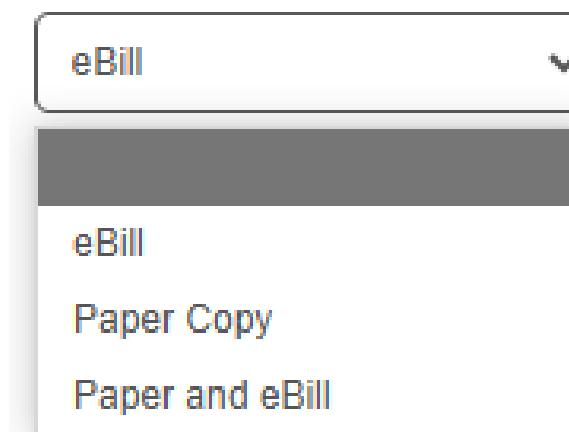
- Combining all Electric and Gas Details into a single page. 12-month Chart displayed on the back of the statement.
- Difference Column on Back Chart to show positive and negative values.

Your Electric Usage (*indicates estimation)					
Month	Your Usage kWh	Amount	Baseline	Difference	Your Charge
02/24	371.00	\$52.93	0.00	371.0000	\$52.93
03/24	360.00	\$51.36	0.00	360.0000	\$51.36
04/24	371.00	\$52.93	0.00	371.0000	\$52.93
05/24	444.00	\$63.35	0.00	444.0000	\$63.35
06/24	793.00	\$113.14	0.00	793.0000	\$113.14
07/24	1291.00	\$184.20	0.00	1,291.0000	\$184.20
08/24	1063.00	\$151.67	0.00	1,063.0000	\$151.67
09/24	691.00	\$98.59	0.00	691.0000	\$98.59
10/24	411.00	\$58.64	0.00	411.0000	\$58.64
11/24	224.00	\$31.96	0.00	224.0000	\$31.96
12/24	386.00	\$55.07	0.00	386.0000	\$55.07
01/25	351.00	\$50.08	775.56	-424.5600	\$-60.58



Delivery of Statements

- Utility Billing Delivery Option preference can be selected on the Hunt Resident Portal under My Profile.
- Options Include: eBill, Paper and eBill, or Paper Copy.

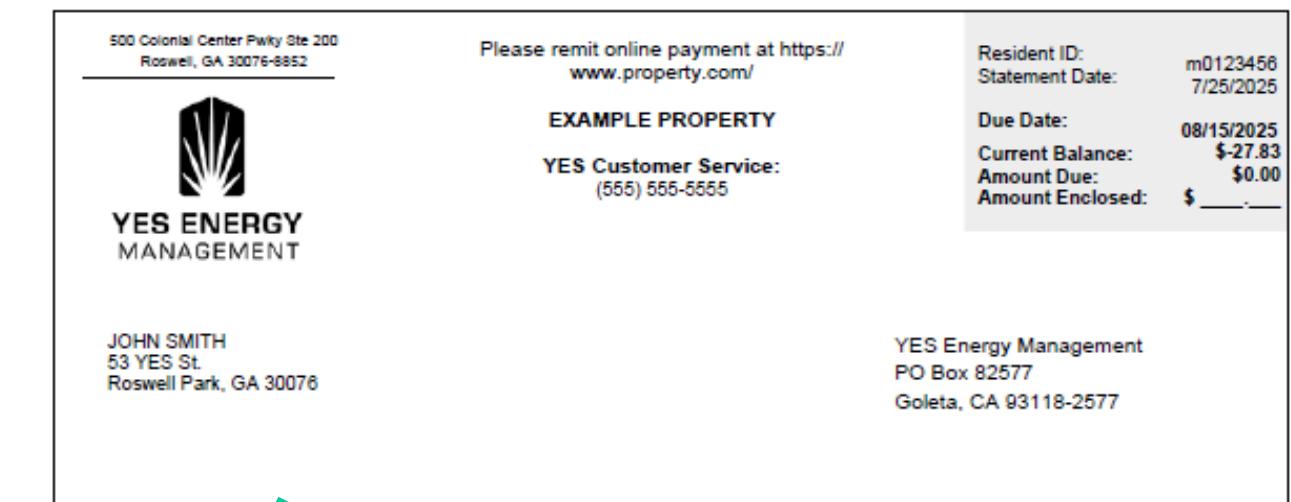


SAMPLE STATEMENT FRONT

The top portion of the statement is the tear-off stub with payment details.
Legend stating if there is an amount to pay, nothing to pay, or if a refund is due.

The left-hand side contains:

- Customer service contact details.
- Portal website address.
- Community name.
- Resident ID and portal registration code.



ACCOUNT DETAIL-									
Service Address 53 YES St. Roswell Park, GA 30076		Resident Name JOHN SMITH		Resident ID m0123456					
Community Name Example Property		Due Date 08/15/2025							
Like-Type Group C3		Utility Type	Previous Reading 138,763.40	Current Reading 138,781.80	Your Usage kWh 28.3900				
Average Usage, \$176.22									
Customer Service Daily 24 Hour Service 555-555-5555		Credit Due (Normal Usage Zone)		Payment Due					
Your Usage, \$163.32									
Website https://www.property.com/		Utility Type		Previous Reading 8,284.00	Current Reading 8,313.00				
Remit Payment To Resident Portal - https://www.property.com/		Your Usage CCF 29.0000		Rate \$/CCF 1.4031200	Your Usage Amount \$40.69				
Average Usage, \$34.18									
YES System Information Property ID: exprop		Credit Due (Normal Usage Zone)		Payment Due					
Resident ID/Registration Code: m0123456									
Community Message Thank you for conserving responsibility!									
**Please see the back of your statement for an important message.									
Previous Balance \$-19.44									
Usage(under) or over the Normal Usage Zone ELECTRIC 05/22/2025 - 06/22/2025 -14.90									
Usage(under) or over the Normal Usage Zone GAS 05/23/2025 - 06/23/2025 6.51									
Current Month Payments \$(0.00)									
Current Balance \$-27.83									
No Payment or Credit Due At This Time.									
Payments not received on or before the due date, will be subject to a late fee.									

Calculated UA

Rebate or Payment

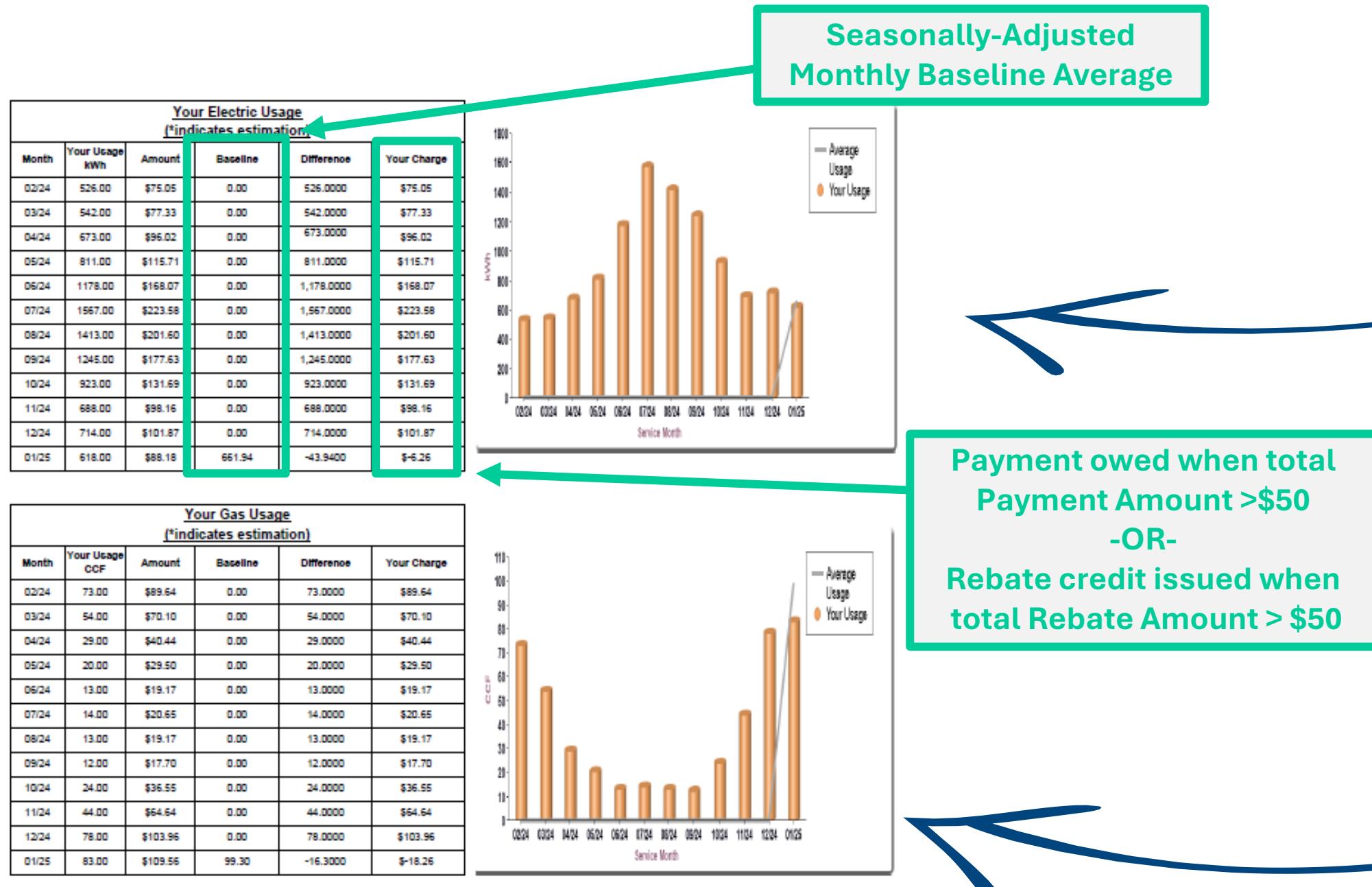
The main body lists:

- Meter information.
- Utilities invoiced.
- Baseline and dollar charges/credits.

NOTE: ANY PAST DUE BALANCE ON THIS STATEMENT IS STILL APPLICABLE

SAMPLE STATEMENT BACK graph and usage table in detail)

**Rates listed include all applicable charges, fees, and rate discounts as determined by the local utility provider. If your usage is indicated as *EST, your actual usage could not be obtained and your usage has been estimated and adjusted to fall within the average of your LTG for the period.



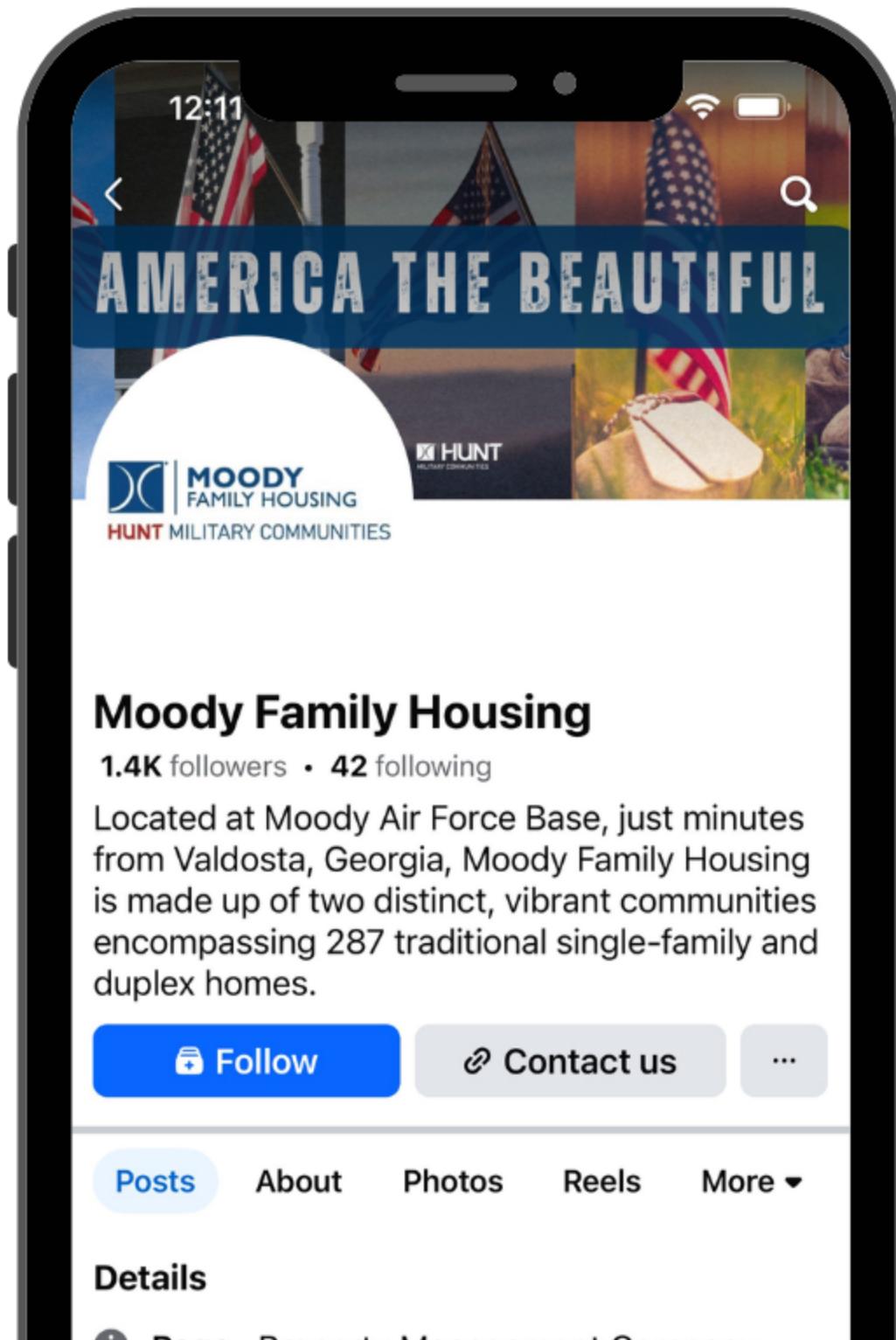
12-month graph:

Residence consumption. Like type unit baseline. Normal Usage Average



YES Energy Resident Billing Service

**LIVE DEMO OF UTILITY ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT
ON THE HUNT RESIDENT PORTAL**



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QUESTIONS?





Reference Slides



Air Force UA Transition Milestones – (Continue) Colquitt Electric Accounts

Active Duty Residents:

- All Active-Duty residents are required to sign a release form allowing Colquitt Electric to transfer electric accounts to Hunt
 - The RECP Program requires Hunt to have all commodity services in the projects name to bill RECP.
 - This is a Colquitt Electric requirement to sign a release form to transfer accounts under Hunt.
 - Primary account holder is required to sign the release. Should match the name on the utility bill.
 - If primary account holder is currently deployed, a signed Power of Attorney is acceptable. Name on release form must match name on POA.

Civilians:

- Civilians are not eligible for the RECP program
 - Not required to sign release form
 - Will continue to have electric account setup with Colquitt electric and pay them directly for service.

Energy Conservation Tips



Lighting

- Replace incandescent bulbs with LEDs where possible. If left on constantly, an LED light could last for up to 50,000 hours, or 6 years, which is 50 times longer than a regular 60-watt incandescent bulb.
- Clean lighting fixtures regularly. Dust on lamps, reflectors, and light bulbs impair lighting efficiency.



Heating/Cooling

- Leave window shades, drapes and/or blinds closed during the day
- Replace filters more frequently if there are pets in the home.
- Use ceiling fans. Also run kitchen and bath exhaust fans long enough.
- Open windows during moderate weather of spring and fall



Electronics

- Unplug infrequently or seasonally used power supplies
- Buy ENERGY STAR®-labeled electronics. Consolidate multiple power supplies on a single power strip



Appliances

- Gas flames from your stove should burn with a clear blue color. A yellow flame may indicate your burner isn't operating efficiently.
- Carefully time your preheat period when baking.
- Defrost the freezer regularly.
- Wash clothes in cold water whenever possible.

Resources for Residents

- Resources for High Users:
 1. Conservation Tip Sheets
 2. Self Energy Assessment Checklist
 3. Energy Assessment Walkthrough Video (5 min video on property website)
 4. In-Home Energy Assessment
 5. Maintenance Service for Equipment Concerns
 6. Preventative Maintenance for A/C and water heaters upon resident request

