

September 9, 2025



City of Peoria

Community Electric Aggregation Notification

Dear Resident or Small Business,

Welcome to your community electric aggregation program. Members of our community voted in favor of municipal aggregation, a program authorizing local officials to purchase electricity from a retail electric generation supplier certified by the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC). Illinois Power Marketing Company d/b/a Homefield Energy (“Homefield”) has been selected as our certified electric generation supplier.

How You Benefit

By participating, you’ll receive the following exclusive pricing on the electric generation portion of your electric utility bill:

Your Electric Utility	Homefield Fixed Price ¹	Term Start	Current Term End	Early Termination Fee
Ameren Illinois	9.49 cents (\$0.0949) per kWh	December 2025	May 2026	None
Ameren Illinois	13.29 cents (\$0.1329) per kWh	May 2026	June 2027	None

Same Reliable Service

Your electric utility will continue to deliver your electricity, maintain the electric lines, and respond to emergencies. You will continue to receive a single, easy-to-read bill from your electric utility with the Homefield generation supply charges included. There is no cost for enrollment, you will not be charged a switching fee, and **you do not need to do anything to participate.**

Opt Out Information

If you do not want to participate in the aggregation program, you must complete **one** of the following by the opt out deadline:

- **WEB** Enter your **Opt Out Code** online at homefieldenergy.com/optout
- **PHONE** Call Homefield Energy at 1-833-200-9834
- **MAIL** Return the enclosed **Opt Out Reply Form**

Opt Out Deadline
September 30, 2025

Enrollment Information

Unless you choose to opt out, you have authorized and agreed to be automatically included in the program pending acceptance of the enrollment request by your electric utility. Participation will commence on your next available meter-read date thereafter. It may take up to 45-60 days for Homefield and the community electric aggregation price to be reflected on your future electric utility bills.

If you are not currently receiving electric generation from Homefield, your electric utility will send you a letter confirming your enrollment. To join the aggregation and receive its exclusive pricing, **no action is necessary when this letter arrives.**

Please refer to the enclosed Terms and Conditions and FAQs (reverse) for more information. Community members with questions regarding the electric aggregation program should **contact Homefield directly** at 1-866-694-1262 any day of the week from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. CST or email homefieldcustcare@vistracorp.com.

Sincerely,

City of Peoria

Community Electric Aggregation - Frequently Asked Questions v.4.25

Who is Homefield Energy?

Homefield Energy is an independent seller of power and energy service and is certified as an Alternative Retail Electricity Supplier by the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) Docket No. 14-0015. Homefield Energy is a certified retail electric supplier committed to providing energy solutions to Southern Illinois. Homefield works directly with communities for their electric municipal aggregation programs – both residential and commercial – to ensure that you get the best products and service. Homefield is affiliated with Dynegy, which has powered the homes and businesses of millions of Americans in the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic and Midwest for over 30 years. Our community is one of hundreds who have chosen Homefield to provide aggregation programs.

How was an electric generation supplier chosen on my behalf?

Community electric aggregation, referred to as municipal aggregation in Illinois, allows cities, townships, and counties to bring citizens together to gain group buying power for the purchase of competitively priced electricity from a retail electric generation supplier certified by the ICC. Residents voted to allow the community officials to contract with an electric generation supplier on their behalf. Homefield has been selected to supply you with exclusive pricing on the generation portion of your electric bill.

¹ What is a fixed price, green, or carbon free product?

Fixed means the price you will receive each month does not change, subject to the Terms and Conditions. If this notification or the associated Terms and Conditions indicate a price for the community is a Green or Carbon Free Fixed Price product:

Green means your electricity is paired with a Renewable Energy Certificate (REC). A REC represents the environmental benefit of electricity generated by a renewable energy resource like wind or solar. For every unit of renewable energy generated, a REC is created. For every kWh you use, Homefield purchases the percentage (%) of RECs associated with this offer from a renewable energy source, supporting renewable electricity production. The % of RECs paired with your electricity is in addition to the state-minimum requirement for Illinois. Carbon Free means the energy you use is backed by Emission Free Energy Certificates (EFECs).

How will I benefit by participating in the program?

Aggregation programs are intended to provide price stability. Savings are not guaranteed but may occur in months when the community aggregation price is less than your electric utility's Price to Compare (PTC).

What is my current utility Price to Compare (PTC)?

To learn more, visit the ICC's website at: www.pluginillinois.org. If you are currently receiving utility service, you can choose to continue to receive utility service without penalty.

What does it mean to opt out?

Opt out means that you can decide to not participate. If your opt out is received by the deadline, your pending enrollment will be canceled, you'll remain on your electric utility's standard service offer for the generation charges of your bill, and you will not receive further aggregation notifications from Homefield until the end of the current term, or other period required by the ICC.

What happens if I do not opt out?

If your opt out is not received by the opt out deadline you will be automatically included in the community aggregation program.

Can I opt out of the program after the opt out deadline?

Yes. You may leave the aggregation program at any time. You will not be charged an early termination or cancellation fee if you choose to leave the program at later date for any reason.

What are my energy supply choices if I opt out?

If you opt out or leave the program prior to the current term end you will be returned to your electric utility for tariffed service and might not be served under the same rates, terms, and conditions that apply to other customers served by the utility. This may take

1-2 billing cycles depending on your meter-read dates. Homefield may offer non-aggregation offers in your electric utility service territory or you may shop for an alternative retail electric generation supplier. A list of electric suppliers certified by the ICC are available free of charge upon request from the Illinois Power Agency or www.pluginillinois.org.

Can I rejoin the program at a later date?

Yes. If you opt out or otherwise leave the program and meet the eligibility requirements outlined in the Terms and Conditions, you may call Homefield to return to the program at any time.

What happens at the end of the current term?

Per Illinois regulations, aggregation participants must be presented with the opportunity to opt out of the program every time there is a material change in the aggregation program. This program does not automatically renew and prior participation does not constitute eligibility for subsequent terms. If still eligible prior to the end of the current term and the aggregation is renewed for a subsequent term whether with Homefield or another supplier, you will receive a new opt-out notification communicating the terms and conditions of service and the new exclusive price. You can choose to opt out, rejoin, or remain in the program.

Why am I receiving this notification if I previously opted out?

Opt out notifications are sent to all eligible accounts listed on the utility's aggregation list at the start of a new term regardless of any opt out from a prior term or program. If you receive a new opt out notice, you must take affirmative action to opt out once again.

Can I still have my bill payments automatically deducted?

Yes. How you pay your electric utility bill will not change.

Will Homefield continue budget billing my supplier charges?

Your electric utility includes supplier charges in your monthly budgeted amount and will continue to provide that service. Contact your electric utility directly to enroll in a utility budget billing plan.

Who is NOT eligible for an electric aggregation program?

The following customer accounts are not eligible for this program: 1) accounts with service addresses outside the geographic boundaries of the contracted community or participating communities 2) small commercial accounts with usage greater than 15,000 kWh per year or 3) accounts enrolled with your electric utility's free service tariff. Customers receiving service from another competitive supplier, accounts on a special arrangement with the utility such hourly service customers, those with overdue payments, and eligible residents who were not sent this notification will NOT be automatically included in the program but may call Homefield to opt in at any time. If your account subsequently becomes ineligible after enrollment or has an outstanding balance, Homefield reserves the right to return the account to the electric utility's standard service offer. To the extent possible, Homefield may attempt to identify if it serves another program for which you are eligible.

Can I participate if my account is net-metered?

Yes. If your account is taking service under a net-metering tariff you are eligible to participate and will continue to receive the benefits and any compensation owed through your electric utility per the utility tariff and state rules. However, 83 Ill. Adm. Code 470.210(b) requires us to advise net-metering customers, pursuant to Section 16-107.5(d)(3) and (e)(3) of the PUA, that they may forfeit credits for electric supply service and delivery service, or both, if they participate in a municipal aggregation. Homefield does not provide credit or any compensation for excess generation.

How can I report a power outage or problem with my service?

You will continue to call your electric utility for power outages, problems with your service, or questions about your monthly bill.