

New York Municipal Power Agency

Case 24-E-0463

NOTICE OF PROPOSED TARIFF REVISION

Please take notice that the New York Municipal Power Agency, on behalf of The City of Salamanca Board of Public Utilities has requested authorization to increase the charge to our customers used to support the Independent Energy Efficiency Program, Inc. (“IEEP”) from 1 mil (1/1000 of a dollar) per kWh to 2 mils per kWh. This proposal, now under review before the New York State Public Service Commission (“Commission”), would increase the average overall bill by approximately \$8–\$16 per year. After due deliberation, at a May 21, 2024 meeting, the IEEP Board of Directors determined that this increase is necessary and voted to increase the funding level from 1 to 2 mils per kWh. Even after the increase, your rates will remain some of the lowest in the state.

The IEEP has been able to produce laudable results without increasing the program’s funding for nearly 20 years. However, due to many factors, an increase in funding is now necessary. Inflation has caused construction costs to increase dramatically since the IEEP’s funding mechanism was established. A decision to raise rates is never taken lightly. The proposed rates, as approved by the governing board of the IEEP was determined to be the minimum required to continue to provide and expand the suite of program offerings to best serve our customers.

The filing before the Commission is available online at the Department of Public Service website, www.dps.ny.gov, by clicking on “File Search” (located under the heading “Commission Files”) and entering “24-E-0463” in the box labelled “Search by Case Number.” If you wish to comment on the proposal you can reach out to us at: 225 Wildwood Ave., Ste. #6 Salamanca, NY 14779 or by email at bpuinfo@salmun.com. If you would like to comment to the Commission directly, you can go to www.dps.ny.gov, click on “File Search” (located under the heading “Commission Files”), enter “24-E-0463” in the box labelled “Search by Case Number,” and then click on “Post Comments” located at the top right of the page.

Alternatively, comments may be mailed to the Hon. Michelle L. Phillips, Secretary, Public Service Commission, Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, New York 12223-1350.

Dated: November 1, 2024