

Village of Glenwood Electric Aggregation Program
Q+A “Cheat Sheet:” suggested responses to commonly asked questions

Is this a scam?

No, not a scam. We are continuing our electric aggregation program at exactly the ComEd rate which has just declined to 6.913¢. The Village did not receive bids below the ComEd rate, and is continuing the program.

What do I need to do?

1. **If your notice says, “Electric Aggregation Notice,”** your account will be switched to MC Squared and you need do nothing. You will receive a ComEd switch notice in July confirming the change. You can choose to opt out by: 1) calling 877-831-0306, or 2) returning the pre-paid opt out form you received.
2. **If your notice says, “Informational Content Only: Account Returns to ComEd,”** You need do nothing and your account will move to ComEd. You are still considered part of the Aggregation Community. In July you will receive a notice from ComEd confirming your drop back to ComEd service.
3. **If your notice says, “Remain at ComEd, No Action Required,”** your account will remain at ComEd, and you need do nothing.
4. **If your notice says, “Electric Aggregation: Opt In Notice,”** your account will remain with your current privately-contracted supplier; you need do nothing.

I thought electric aggregation was a savings program. Will I save money on this program?

No, but you will never pay more than the ComEd rate. The Village received competitive bids for a standard program, but all pricing was higher than ComEd. The Village will receive a civic contribution for local projects at zero added cost to you and the Village.

Someone came to my door to sign me up.

Beware! No one from ComEd, MC Squared, or the Village will ever call or visit you at home to sign you up. Never reveal your ComEd account information to solicitors who say they represent the Village or ComEd.

Why are some accounts at ComEd and some at MC Squared Energy?

First, there is no difference to you: the price is exactly the same for all. Suppliers analyze every meter; depending on complex usage patterns, certain accounts are selected to remain at ComEd and others switch to MC Squared. All pay the exact same rate; additionally, the Village will receive a small reserve fund at zero cost to residents.

But I’m still confused and have more questions:

Understood: This is different from the initial aggregation program. Our electric consultant will gladly answer your questions. You may email at sdurling@NIMEC.net or call 800-727-3820. Leave your name and callback number and your call will be returned very shortly.

[Glenwood staff is encouraged to email the Village’s consultant Sharon Durling at sdurling@nimec.net. Provide resident name, number and any info. She will call the resident and confirm the follow-up call with you.]

Important to know: the ComEd rate changes slightly every month, therefore the Village program rate with MC Squared will, in lockstep, vary monthly. The cost to generate power is variable.

For more detail about aggregation, different suppliers or the ComEd rate, visit www.PlugInIllinois.org, a website established by the Illinois Commerce Commission for consumers to learn about power rates in Illinois.