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## Find relief from summer energy bills.

#### Visit BGE.COM/Save

Learn how to control your savings with a wide variety of tips, tools and programs. Browse information by season, or for year-round savings!

#### Explore the BGE Smart Energy Savers Program®

Whether you are a homeowner or business owner, this program offers a variety of options to save energy, money and the environment. Visit **BGESmartEnergy.com**.

#### Join PeakRewards<sup>™</sup>

Help reduce energy usage during peak demand periods and receive up to \$200 in bill credits in your first year of participation. Plus, you'll get a smart thermostat installed at no additional cost — a \$269 value!

#### **BGE's My Account is your source for savings** You have the power to save energy and money with My Account. With access to energy savings tips and tools specific to your home, managing your energy use is easy. Visit **BGE.COM/EnergyUse**.

#### Participate in Energy Savings Days

This voluntary program helps you earn summer bill credits when you reduce your electricity usage from 1 pm – 7 pm on designated days. Visit **BGE.COM/EnergySavingsDays**.

### Upgrade your palace

The best way to increase comfort and value this summer starts with a Home Performance with ENERGY STAR® audit. Rebate offers, averaging \$2,500, will help you make home improvements that can save you up to 20% annually in reduced energy costs. Home energy audits are valued at \$400, but eligible BGE customers can get the audit for just \$100. To schedule your energy audit or to learn more, visit **BGESmartEnergy.com/SENHPwES** or call **877.685.7377**.



EmPOWER Maryland programs are funded by a charge on your energy bill. EmPOWER programs can help you reduce your energy consumption and save you money. To learn more about EmPOWER and how you can participate, go to BGESmartEnergy.com.

## Start, stop or move your service

BGE makes it easy to switch your service when you move. Whether you're a new or returning customer, you can activate your gas and electricity quickly and conveniently online at **BGE.COM/StartStop**. After the online form is completed, you will receive an email confirmation when your request has been processed.





## Cal Ripken Sr. Foundation

BGE is proud to support the Cal Ripken, Sr. Foundation as our 2019 Cause Initiative. Together, BGE and Cal Ripken, Sr. Foundation have helped at-risk youth throughout Maryland by providing character education programming and positive adult law enforcement mentors through the Badges for Baseball program. In addition, the foundation also unveiled the Eddie Murray Field at BGE Park in West Baltimore in 2017. This year, BGE will be partnering with the foundation on a multi-purpose field project in the Cherry Hill community of Baltimore. For more information or to donate, visit **ripkenfoundation.org/donate**.

## Customer choice

Customer Choice is the power to choose your own electricity and natural gas supplier. As your energy delivery company, we encourage you to visit **BGE.COM/CustomerChoice**, to learn more about your energy supply options, how to choose and switch and compare supply prices. Whether you choose a new supplier or not, BGE will continue to deliver your gas and electricity, maintain the gas and power lines, restore your power after an outage and provide emergency service.

To provide you with more energy information directly from licensed gas and electricity suppliers, the Maryland Public Service Commission has authorized BGE to provide them with a customer list that only includes account names, account addresses and billing addresses. Phone numbers are not included on the list. If you do not want your information shared, you can exclude yourself from the list by visiting the supplier contact opt out section on **BGE.COM/CustomerChoice** or by calling **800.685.0123**.

## Dig safe

In recognition of National 811 Day, August 11, BGE reminds you to call 811 before you dig. Smart digging means always calling Miss Utility at 811 at least two full business days (but not more than 10 days) before you begin excavations on any project from home landscaping and gardening to large construction jobs.

With one free call, representatives will visit your proposed dig site and mark the locations of underground electrical wires, gas pipelines and other utilities. Calling 811 before you dig is the first step in preventing damage to underground utilities that can cause serious injuries, disruptions of a neighborhood's critical services, and expensive penalties and repair costs. For additional information, visit **BGE.COM/811**.

