

New York Is Facing an Energy Affordability Crisis⁴

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Wants You To Know The Truth

Electricity prices for residential consumers have risen 70% since 2019.¹

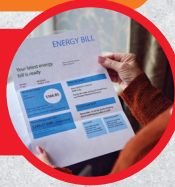


The New York Independent System Operator (NYISO) has expressed concerns about grid reliability in the near future.²



NYSERDA* confirms expenses could exceed more than \$4,100 per household.³

* New York State Energy Research and Development Authority



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please don't hesitate to visit my office or call 516-482-6966.

If you have comments, questions or concerns on this or any state issue,

I want to hear what you think about how I can
best serve you in the state Assembly.





Families and businesses across Long Island are struggling with skyrocketing utility bills.⁵

Assemblyman Daniel Norber is supporting common-sense solutions to bring relief to ratepayers, restore energy reliability and protect taxpayers from costly mandates.



If you have concerns about your utility bills and are unable to reach your provider, please contact our office at **516-482-6966**. We are here to help!


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This is why I support the LOWER Plan, which would:

- ✓ **Return unused NYSERDA funds to ratepayers (A.8876-A)**
Sends surplus state energy funds back to residents as **utility bill credits**, helping lower monthly energy costs.
- ✓ **Allow school districts to opt out of the zero-emission bus mandate (A.2005)**
Gives local schools **flexibility to avoid costly mandates**, helping protect school budgets and local taxpayers.
- ✓ **Protect access to natural gas and other heating options (A.6796)**
Ensures homeowners and businesses can **continue using affordable heating systems**, preventing forced and expensive upgrades.
- ✓ **Require notice when energy supply rates spike (A.1270)**
Requires utilities to **alert customers when rates may jump significantly** and connect them with bill assistance programs.
- ✓ **Develop protections against costly capital improvements** by having developers pay for infrastructure needs associated with new projects.

Fighting for Proposals That Would Improve Energy Affordability, Accountability & Public Protection

Lowering Energy and Fuel Costs

- ✓ End the state sales tax on dozens of everyday items for two years, including (but not limited to) gasoline, personal care products, housekeeping supplies and prepared foods. (A.7417)
- ✓ Establish an energy price refund credit for eligible taxpayers. (A.10394)
- ✓ Reduce the amount a utility can be assessed for costs and expenses by the Department of Public Service. (A.7429)

Energy Transparency and Accountability

- ✓ Require recurring cost-benefit analyses of renewable energy systems and other electricity generation methods. (A.6260)
- ✓ Require monthly reports on the costs and impacts of state energy programs and mandates. (A.6152)

Public Safety and Energy Infrastructure

- ✓ Establish new requirements related to siting and establishing battery energy storage systems. (A.6955)