

San Bernard Electric Cooperative, Inc. **PO Box 1208** Bellville, Texas 77418

Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative K



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JOHN Q. PUBLIC 1111 COUNTRY RD ANYTOWN, TX 99999-999 5 180

Page 1 of 2 Account # 1234567 **Statement Date** 08/10/2022

Service Summary					
Previous Balance	\$180.00				
Payment Received - Thank You	\$180.00 CR				
Balance Forward	\$0.00				
Current Amount Due	\$250.00				
Total Amount Due	\$250.00				

Message From SBEC				

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Account # 1234567 (3) Address: 1111 COUNTRY RD

Service Type: RESIDENCE Readings Meter Balance Current (4) Rate Days **KWH Used** Meter No. **From Previous Present Forward** Charges Multiplier 1N1111111111 RES1 07/06/22 218563 220205 1642 08/06/22 \$.00 \$250.00 x \$0.0285 = (9) Delivery Charges 1,642 kWh \$ 46.80 (10) G&T Charge 1,642 kWh x \$0.0965 =\$ 158.45 (11) Base Charge 33.00 (12) Area Light Charge 10.90 (13) Round Up .85 Dec (14) Current Charges \$ 250.00

COMPARISONS	Days	Total kWh	Avg kWh	Avg Temp
CURRENT BILLING	30	1642	55	63
PREVIOUS BILLING	31	1318	43	71
LAST YEAR BILLING	30	1876	63	62

Return this portion with your payment





	Account Number		1234567
(15)	Current Amount Due	08/30/2022	\$250.00
	Amount if Paid After	08/30/2022	\$262.00

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Address & Phone Update

Pay your bill 24/7 at sbec.org with Smarthub By Phone: call 844-201-7199 and use your account # San Bernard Electric Cooperative, Inc. PO Box 1208 Bellville, Texas 77418

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WHAT TO DO IF YOUR POWER IS OUT

Check your fuses and breakers to ensure the problem is not within your electrical system.

If you have determined the outage is on SBEC equipment, report it by calling your local SBEC office or 800-364-3171. Dispatchers are here 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. During major outages, your call may be answered by our automated outage reporting system which uses your home telephone number. You should notify our office of any phone number change as an incorrect number may not be recognized by our system.

Generation and Transmission

These two charges reflect the amount SBEC pays to purchase power from our wholesale power provider, South Texas Electric Cooperative (STEC). This charge is passed on with no mark-up to the member.

Distribution Charge

The dollars SBEC retains to distribute electricity to your location. This is used for operation and maintenance of the electric system.

Delivery Charge is based on actual kWh consumption (electricity you use).

Base Charge is based on costs associated with having power available at a location whether or not electricity is used.

Meter Multiplier

The meter reading must be converted to usage by applying the multiplier. Some larger residential and commercial accounts with a higher energy load may have a multiplier other than 1.

Roundup

Members helping members by rounding up their bill to the nearest dollar. The extra change goes in the fund to help other members in need. To opt out call your local SBEC office. To apply for assistance with your electric bill a member must qualify. For an interview or more information contact the Bellville Office at 979-865-3171.

Contact Us

Monday – Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm (except holidays) PO Box 1208 Bellville, Texas 77418 800-364-3171 or 979-865-3171

Before You Dig Call 811

For your safety, Texas law requires you to call before you do any excavation/digging. Notify Texas811 48 hours before starting your work.

Disconnect/Reconnect/NSF Fees

Request for disconnection/reconnection of service is done during normal business hours.

Service Connect Fee-Reconnect Fee: \$60.00
Trip fee (if necessary): \$60.00
After hours service fee: \$120.00
Non-Sufficient Funds (NSF) fee: \$27.50
Customers will be on a CASH ONLY basis if two checks are

Energy Conservation Tips

returned unpaid by the bank.

<u>Heating & Cooling Systems:</u> Have them checked annually by a licensed professional. Set thermostat to 68 in winter and 78 in summer. Clean or replace return air filters monthly. <u>Water Heater:</u> Set temperature to 130

For more energy conservation information contact SBEC's Member Service department or visit www.togetherwesave.com

Payment Options (at no-cost to you)

ONLINE at sbec.org

Smarthub Member Portal is your full service option for payments, paperless billing, view daily usage, sign up for notifications by email or text, sign up for Auto Pay (recurring payments) and more.

Smarthub Pay Now is a one-time payment option. Account number needed.

MOBILE APP: Download for IOS and Android. Search for Smarthub by National Information Solutions.

AUTOPAY: have the balance debited from your checking/savings account or credit card on the due date.

PAY-by-PHONE toll free at 844-201-7199 and use your account number. (Recurring Pmt Signup, Update Phone#) **BY MAIL** please allow ample time for mail to arrive by the due date. We are not responsible for the mail service.

IN PERSON at any SBEC Office (Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

NIGHT DROP located by the drive-thru window of any SBEC office (available 24 hours)

To comply with industry standards credit card payments, credit card AutoPay enrollment and changes must be processed by the member through SBECs's Pay-Phone system or online using Smarthub.