

Green Power in New York State



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Green Power is clean power.

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George E. Pataki, Governor



New York is a national leader in promoting the use of renewable and clean energy sources. Now, with Green Power, we can choose to run our homes and businesses with cleaner, renewable sources of energy.

By choosing Green Power, you will help safeguard our natural resources, decrease our dependence on foreign oil and strengthen our economy. I encourage you to take advantage of New York's Green Power program and purchase renewable power. It's the right thing to do.

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Generating a green future

Electricity comes from a variety of sources such as natural gas, oil, coal, nuclear, hydropower, biomass, wind, solar, and solid waste. Green Power is electricity generated from renewable energy sources such as:



Solar

Solar energy systems convert sunlight directly into electricity.



Wind

Modern wind turbines use large blades to catch the wind, spin turbines, and generate electricity.



Biomass

Organic wastes such as wood, other plant materials, and landfill gases are used to generate electricity.



Hydropower

Small installations on rivers and streams use running or falling water to drive turbines that generate electricity.

You have the power to make a difference

For only a few pennies more a day, you can choose Green Power and make a world of difference for generations to come. Green Power:

- Produces fewer environmental impacts than fossil fuel energy.
- Helps to diversify the fuel supply and contributes to more stable energy prices.
- Reduces use of imported fossil fuels, keeping dollars spent on energy in the State's economy.
- Creates jobs and helps the economy by spurring investments in environmentally-friendly facilities.
- Creates healthier air quality and helps to reduce respiratory illness.



If just 10% of New York's households choose Green Power for their electricity supply, it would prevent nearly 3 billion pounds of carbon dioxide, 10 million pounds of sulfur dioxide, and nearly 4 million pounds of nitrogen oxides from getting into our air each year.

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Your Energy... Your Choice

Your electric service is made up of two parts, supply and delivery. In New York's competitive electricity market, you can now shop for your supply of electricity. You can support cleaner, sustainable energy solutions by selecting Green Power for some or all of your supply. No matter which supplier you choose, your utility is still responsible for delivering your electricity safely and reliably, and will provide you with customer service and respond to emergencies.

What happens when you choose to buy Green Power?

The Green Power you buy is supplied to the power grid that delivers the electricity to all customers in your region. Your Green Power purchase supports the development of more environmentally-friendly electricity generation.

You are helping to create a cleaner, brighter New York for future generations. You will continue to receive the safe, reliable power you've come to depend on.

Switching to Green Power is as easy as:

1. Call

Call the PSC's toll-free number **1-866-GRN-POWER** for an updated list of Green Power service providers in your area.

2. Compare

Compare the Green Power programs.

3. Choose

Choose the Green Power program that is right for you.

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Green Power purchases can be arranged through:

(May not provide service in all utility territories)

Agway Energy Services

1-888-982-4929 • www.agwayenergy.com

Amerada Hess

1-800-HessUSA (1-800-437-7872) • www.hess.com
(Commercial and Industrial only)

Community Energy, Inc.

1-866-Wind-123 (1-866-946-3123)
www.communityenergy.biz

ConEdison Solutions

1-888-320-8991 • www.ConEdSolutions.com

Constellation New Energy

1-866-237-POWER (7693) • www.newenergy.com
(Commercial and Industrial only)

ECONergy Energy Company

1-800-805-8586 • www.econnergy.com/green
email: green@econnergy.com

Energetix, Inc.

1-800-544-0182 • www.energetix.net

Energy Cooperative of New York

1-800-422-1475 • www.ecny.org

EnviroGen

1-888-828-8358 • www.envirogen.net

Green Mountain Energy

1-800-810-7300 • www.greenmountain.com

NYSEG Solutions, Inc.

1-800-567-6520 • www.nysegsolutions.com

Pepco Energy Services, Inc.

1-888-277-5809 • www.pepcoenergy.com
(NYC Commercial and Industrial only)

Select Energy

1-888-758-6888 • www.selectenergy.com
(Commercial and Industrial only)

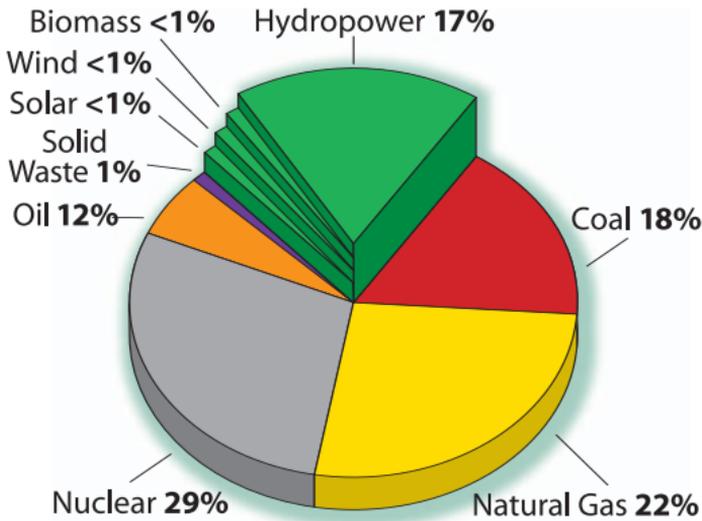
Sterling Planet

1-877-457-2306 • www.sterlingplanet.com

Check the New York State Public Service Commission's AskPSC.com Web site or call **1-866-GRN-POWR** for the most up-to-date listing of Green Power service providers to see which providers offer Green Power in your area.

Buying Green Power will help New York State change electricity generation to cleaner, more environmentally-friendly energy sources.

Producing more of our electricity with renewable energy sources will help improve air quality and make us less dependent on fossil fuel and foreign imports.



This pie chart shows the mix of energy sources that was used to generate New York's electricity in 2003. Buying Green Power will help to increase the percentage of electricity that is produced using cleaner energy sources.

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Using New York's power to change the future

Energy conservation, energy efficiency and renewable energy are critical elements in New York's economic, security and energy policies.

New York State is committed to ensuring that we all have access to reliable electricity by helping consumers use and choose energy wisely. Recently, the state launched two initiatives—one designed to educate the public about the environmental impacts of energy production, and one to encourage the development of Green Power programs.

The Environmental Disclosure Label

One of the benefits of New York's competitive market is that you now have access to information that enables you to take into account the environmental impacts of the energy you purchase. You receive an Environmental Disclosure Label in your electric bill twice a year. The labels show the mix of fuels used to generate the electricity you buy and the related air emissions. Knowing about electricity generation, fuel sources and their environmental impacts will help you make informed choices.

The labeling program should also encourage generators and Green Power service providers to consider increasing the availability of Green Power in New York's competitive energy marketplace.

New York State Renewable Energy Service Initiatives

The New York State Public Service Commission is supporting development of renewable energy service programs in utility service territories across the state. These programs are spurring the development of new sources of renewable energy and the sale of Green Power to New York consumers.

As a result, Green Power service providers are now offering a variety of renewable energy service options. Most New York consumers now have the opportunity to choose Green Power.

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For more information:

New York State Public Service Commission
1-866-GRN-POWR (476-7697)
www.AskPSC.com

New York State Energy Research
and Development Authority (NYSERDA)
1-866-NYSERDA (697-3732)
www.NYSERDA.org

Long Island Power Authority (LIPA)
1-800-490-0025
www.LIPOWER.org

Central Hudson Gas and Electric
1-800-527-2714
www.chenergygroup.com

Consolidated Edison
1-800-752-6633
www.coned.com

New York State Electric and Gas
1-800-35-NYSEG (356-9734)
www.nyseg.com

Niagara Mohawk, A National Grid Company
1-800-642-4272
www.niagaramohawk.com

Orange and Rockland
1-877-434-4100
www.oru.com

Rochester Gas and Electric
1-877-RGE-WIND (743-9463)
www.rge.com



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