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5 ways to save — right now!



PSE customer Sandra Miller — Thurston County

Colder weather got you down, and your energy costs up? Here are five easy ways to save energy and money, without sacrificing warmth and comfort.

1. Adjust your thermostat down to the coolest, most comfortable level while away from home or sleeping.
2. Seal up air leaks by securing a rolled up bath towel at the bottom of doorways.
3. Avoid over-drying laundry and clean the lint filter every time you use the dryer.
4. When cooking, match pots and pans to the right-sized burner.
5. Track your home's energy use and find more ways to save when you sign in to your myPSE account and visit the Energy Center.

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Delivering safe, reliable energy

Every year PSE invests millions of dollars in our electric and natural gas system to ensure the safe and reliable delivery of power to your home or business. Projects we completed in 2014 include new transmission infrastructure in Thurston, Pierce, Kitsap and King counties and a new substation in Whatcom County. We also made major improvements to our natural gas system serving customers in King and Pierce counties. See what we're doing in your neighborhood.

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Keep meters clear of snow and ice

Snow and ice can damage your natural gas meter and leave you in the cold! Use a broom to gently remove them, and never shovel snow against the meter or pipes. When ice thaws, don't allow water to drip onto the meter equipment and refreeze. If you see ice build-up or suspect a problem, call PSE at **1-888-225-5773**.

You may qualify for bill-payment and weatherization assistance

Depending on income and household size, you may be eligible for free energy-efficient improvements to your house, apartment or manufactured home, as well for payment assistance with your heating bill. A lower-income recipient can receive up to \$1,000 in credits from the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) and another \$1,000 in credits from PSE's Home Energy Lifeline Program (HELP). For additional information, call toll-free **1-866-223-5425**.

Diverse resources for your electricity

The electricity generated for you uses a diverse mix of resources. The fuel mix resources used for generating electricity delivered in 2013 are shown in the following chart:

2013 Electricity Fuel Mix

Coal	24%
Hydroelectric	41%
Natural Gas	25%
Nuclear	2%
Other*	1%
Wind	7%
Total	100%

*Biomass, landfill gas, petroleum and waste. Source: Published by the Washington Department of Commerce, November 2014, with data reported by PSE in April 2014.