

# Rider 32 – Energy Cooperative

*(load response service cooperative)*



This energy-saving program is proven. So are the results.

Tailor an energy-saving plan to your needs, and manage it with EnergyTracker® software from ComEd.

Rider 32 – Energy Cooperative is a shared effort between ComEd and business customers who are committed to effectively managing electricity usage. When you agree to participate in this program, you will enjoy increased financial benefits in exchange for a substantial reduction in energy usage during peak load periods. In addition, you will have the ability to better manage electricity usage year-round with ComEd's proprietary EnergyTracker® software.

You can participate in this load response program if you are a Rate 6L customer, can reduce electrical load, and can commit for a minimum five-year contract. Incentive payments are based on a seasonal average of all performance hours, which is approximately 35 dollars per kilowatt. Cash or billing credit incentives are delivered at the end of each calendar year, based on maximum overall cooperative performance in reducing energy usage.

With this program, ComEd can tailor an electricity load response plan to suit your needs. In addition, ComEd provides its EnergyTracker electricity management software at no charge with minimum requirements and your commitment. EnergyTracker can help monitor electricity usage all year long.

When alerted by your account manager, or by fax or e-mail, you must be able to reduce your electricity load within at least one hour of notification and for a period lasting from a minimum of two hours to a maximum of six hours.

Electricity usage-reduction activities may include shutting down perimeter lighting, idling elevator banks and/or cycling air conditioning equipment. See the Program Highlights chart on the other side of this page for more details.

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<b>Requirements</b>	Participants must be non-residential customers taking service under Rate 6L, and must commit to a five-year contract. ComEd will provide EnergyTracker® electricity management software at no charge with minimum requirements and your commitment.
<b>Payment Amount</b>	Payment level is an average 35 dollars per kilowatt of reduced energy usage based upon a seasonal average of all load response hours. Participants will receive a lump sum payment at the end of each calendar year. The actual amount of payment is dependent upon overall performance of the cooperative.
<b>Notice</b>	Participants receive at least one hour notice prior to each load response event.
<b>Frequency</b>	Participants will be asked to reduce energy use no more than three consecutive days out of every five continuous business days, and for no more than 120 total hours per season.
<b>Duration</b>	For each load response event, participants will be asked to reduce energy use no less than two hours and no more than six hours.
<b>Penalties</b>	There are no penalties for non-compliance for a specific load response event; however, non-compliance will reduce the seasonal average energy reduction level, which will be reflected in the payment level.  Early contract termination fees will apply in accordance with the tariff.
<b>Additional Information</b>	If no load response event is requested during the season, participants will be compensated at the contracted performance commitment level.

See your ComEd Account Manager for more details or call 1-877-4-ComEd-1 (1-877-426-6331).

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