

Three Things You Need To Know**1) We're rebating provincial taxes on electricity bills for families, farms, and small businesses**

If passed, proposed legislation would provide an eight per cent rebate to five million electricity consumers eligible for the Regulated Price Plan (RPP), including:

- Residential consumers
- Multi-unit residential buildings and other facilities used as residential rental units such as long-term care homes and school residences
- Small businesses
- Farms

Commented [MG1]: I'd be clear this is a pre-tax rebate, need to ensure people understand when the rebate is applied

2) We're reducing remote and rural delivery charges by 20 Per Cent for the most rural and remote

The Rural or Remote Rate Protection (RPPP) program reduces electricity costs for approximately 330,000 customers located in rural or remote areas.

Ontario is proposing increasing program funding by \$110 million, bringing total program funding up to approximately \$285 million for eligible customers.

This proposed funding increase to the RRRP and the eight percent rebate would result in electricity relief for eligible consumers of approximately \$45 per month

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3) We're empowering more than one thousand new manufactures to reduce their bills by one third

The Industrial Conservation Initiative (ICI) provides a strong incentive for large electricity consumers to reduce their electricity consumption during peak hours to lower their bills by up to one-third. By reducing the province's peak demand, the Industrial Conservation Initiative reduces electricity system costs by deferring the need to build peaking generation

Currently, electricity consumers with monthly peak demand exceeding 3 megawatts (MW) are eligible to participate. Ontario is proposing to expand the ICI program to include customers with monthly peak greater than 1 MW.

Ontario is also proposing to remove sector specific restrictions, meaning consumers in all commercial, institutional and industrial sectors over the newly lowered threshold would now be eligible.