

## National Grid RFP Announcement for MA Basic Service

Massachusetts Electric Company and Nantucket Electric Company d/b/a National Grid (together "National Grid") has issued a Request for Proposals to serve its Basic Service customers in Massachusetts:

Service	Load	Period
Mass Industrial Customer Group Basic Service	100%	November 1, 2024– January 31, 2025

The schedule for this RFP is as follows:

Process Step	Date
Issue Request for Proposal	August 9, 2024
Submit Respondent Proposal Information	August 23, 2024– 5pm EPT
Submit Indicative Pricing	September 4, 2024 – 10am EPT
Submit Final Pricing (bids valid till 1pm)	September 11, 2024 – 10am EPT
Execute Agreements and Submit solicitation process summary, Agreements and retail rates to MDPU	No later than three business days after receipt of all executed agreements.
MDPU Reviews and Approves both Agreements and Basic Service Rates	No later than five business days after filing of Basic Service Rates
Service Begins	November 1, 2024

National Grid will not evaluate any indicative or final pricing if the Respondent does not have an executed Master Power Agreement(s). The Master Power Agreement must be executed prior to submitting indicative pricing.

National Grid intends to evaluate and select a Supplier(s) on September 11, 2024.

**Effective August 2024**, National Grid Wholesale Electric Supply has created a “new” website to supply information necessary to submit a bid for this service. Please use the following link to access this data: <https://www.nationalgridus.com/Wholesale-Electric-Supply/Basic-Service>

The site contains the following information:

- Request for Power Supply Proposals
- Proposed Massachusetts Master Power Agreement
- National Grid's Massachusetts Wholesale Hourly Loads
- Monthly Customer Counts
- Pricing submission Form
- Municipal Aggregation Data

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