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# EnergyLines

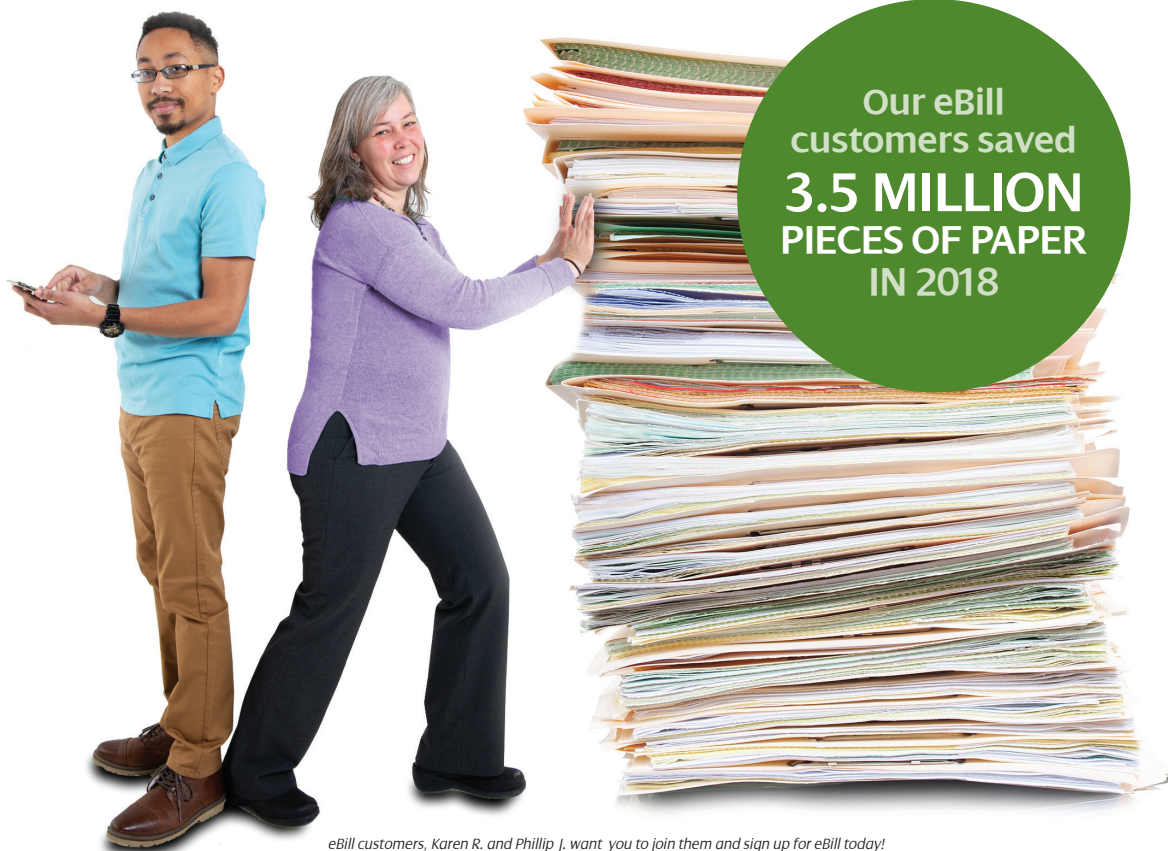
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## Our customers celebrate Earth Day every day with eBill. You can, too!

When you sign up for **eBill**, our paperless billing service, you help make New York a greener place to live and work.

With **eBill**, you can view your bills online, print your bill only when you need to, and group multiple bills to make one payment. We'll even notify you when your bill is due so you won't miss a payment.

Join thousands of your neighbors in making a simple change toward a cleaner New York by signing up for eBill today at [rge.com](http://rge.com).



*eBill customers, Karen R. and Phillip J. want you to join them and sign up for eBill today!*

## Keeping your power on and your air clean

Every day, we invest in our electricity and gas systems so the power you depend on is there when you need it. We also make investments to keep New York clean and are currently increasing our fleet of 38 electric vehicles to 47, helping to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions even more.

New York's environment is one of our state's greatest assets. We are committed to protecting it now and for future generations to come.



*Lowering our carbon footprint with electric vehicles*

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# Understand and manage your energy use



We offer FREE and convenient online tools to help you understand your energy use and manage costs.

Visit [rge.com](http://rge.com) for:

**Energy IQ Test** - Learn how to use energy wisely so you can manage your energy without sacrificing comfort. See if you're already making energy-wise decisions in your home, or if you have opportunities for improvement.

**Energy Saving Tips** - Make changes in your home or business to help you better manage your energy use. Get tips for heating and cooling, lights, appliances, water heating – and more.

With this energy efficiency information, advice and support, you can start saving now!

## Don't dig into trouble, know what's below

Whether you're a contractor or homeowner, a safe job starts with **Call Before You Dig**. This free, statewide service identifies any underground utilities and protects yourself and others from injury.



**It's easy.** Call **811** or visit [digsafelynewyork.com](http://digsafelynewyork.com) at least two days (but not more than 10 days) before starting your project.

**It's free.** Utility representatives will visit the site to mark the location of underground electric, gas, water and any other utility-owned facilities.

**It's the law.** Accidentally digging into underground utilities can cause personal injury, environmental harm and costly damage.

## Look up ... look out!

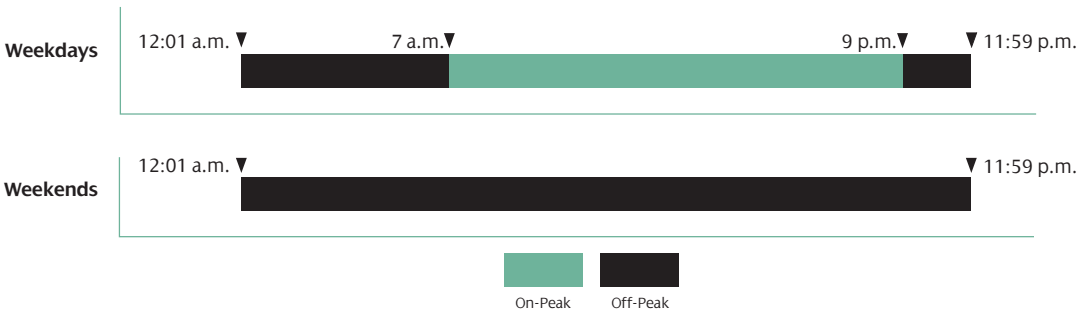
If you're headed outdoors with a list of home improvement projects, remember to watch overhead.

When working around the outside of your house, remember aluminum siding, gutters and ladders conduct electricity. If any of these touch an overhead power line, the results could be deadly.

If your project includes trimming trees, please don't trim near power lines.

## Are your timers set to save money?

On March 10, Daylight Saving Time (DST) began. If you're a **RG&E Residential Time-of-Use electricity service customer**, be sure any timers you use to control equipment or appliances during lower cost service hours are always synchronized with the clock in your RG&E electric meter.



The clocks in our Time-of-Use meters automatically adjust for DST.