#### 1. Account Number

Your 10-digit account number.

#### 2. Due Date

Date your bill amount is due.

#### 3. Amount Due

Amount that is due for this month's bill.

#### 4. Contact Us

Phone number, website or P.O. Box if you need to reach us.

#### 5. Message Board

Helpful information about easy ways to manage your account and save energy or money.

#### 6. Meter Readings

This is the reading obtained either remotely or manually from your meter at the time of billing. An 'estimated' next to either number denotes that the read for that month was estimated.

## 7. Electric Units Billed (kWh)

The number of electricity units you have used in one reading period. One kWh is the amount of power to use a 40-watt light bulb for 25 hours.

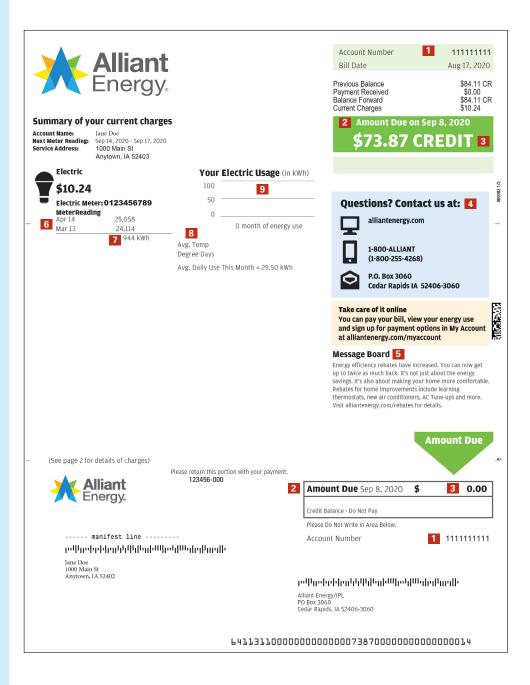
#### 8. Degree Days

Energy consumption indicator, based on the average outdoor temperature.

#### 9. Energy Usage

Compare your usage this month to the previous 13 months.

# Your Inflow Outflow bill explained





#### **Electric energy charges**

#### 1. Winter/Summer Step

During certain months of the year, the price per kWh decreases as you use more energy. If you use enough kWh to qualify, you'll see the lower rate reflected as a "Step."

Bills that cover both Winter & Summer dates may experience rates from both periods.

### Dates for Winter & Summer periods are as follows:

Winter: September 16 - May 15 Summer: May 16 - September 15

#### Calculate the sum of your steps:

1st Step = Number of days in billing month x 16.438 (max of 500 kWh) x step rate

2nd Step = Number of days in billing month x 23.014 (max of 700 kWh) x step rate

3rd Step = All remaining kWh energy x step rate

#### 2. Energy Cost

Energy Cost is billed per kWh used and adjusts monthly according to changes in fuel prices. It helps cover the cost of producing and purchasing power.

## 3. Energy Efficiency Programs Charge

We offer numerous programs to help you reduce your energy use, as mandated by the State of lowa. The charge is adjusted annually, covers the costs to deliver energy efficiency and is based on your energy use.

#### 4. Renewable Energy Charge

This helps bring more renewable energy to customers by recovering the cost wind farms currently under construction in lowa.

#### 5. Regional Transmission Service

This is billed per kWh used and adjusts based on third-party costs to move electricity from generation sites to distribution substations in communities.

### 6. Energy Efficiency Programs Credit

Amount credited per kWh based on the energy we receive from you.

#### 7. Renewable Energy Credit

Amount credited per kWh based on the energy we receive from you.

#### 8. Inflow Energy Charge

Amount charged per kWh based on your retail rate schedule.

#### 9. Outflow Energy Credit

Amount credited per kWh based on your retail rate schedule.

#### 10. Previous Unused Outflow Energy Credit

Any carryover of the Outflow Energy Credit from the previous billing month.

#### 11. Billed Energy Amount

Net kWh billed for the billing period after reconciling Inflow Energy Charge and Outflow Energy Credit.

#### 12. Outflow Energy Credit to be Carried Forward

If Outflow Energy Credit exceeds Inflow Energy Charge, the credit will be carried forward to the next billing cycle and show up on the next "Previous Unused Outflow Energy Credit."

#### 13. Forfeit of Carry Over Credit

The carry over credit balance that would be forfeited in your final bill month.

# Energy charges and calculations explained

Rate: 400 - Electric Resider			Billed for: 32 Days					
Billing	Meter	Current	Previous	Metered				
Period Nu	mber	Reading	Reading	Units	Multiplier		Usage	
	456789	25,058	24,114	944 kWh	1	944	kWh	
Delivered			07.010					
	456789	28,893	27,212	1,681 kWh	1	1,681	kWh	
Received								
Winter 1st Step			16.438000 kWh	V 22 days	X \$0.09969	\$52	44	
Winter 2nd Step			13.062000 kWh	,	X \$0.09969 X \$0.07721	\$32 \$32		
Energy Cost			944.000 kWh	,	Λ ψυ.υ//21	\$21		
Energy Efficiency Programs	Charge		944.000 kWh				.60	
Demand Response Program			944.000 kWh				.32	
Renewable Energy Charge	io Oriali	JC .	944.000 kWh				.57	
Regional Transmission Serv	rice		944.000 kWh			\$28		
rtogional tranomicolori cort	Sub	Subtotal Inflow Energy Charge Amount			\$140.02			
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Winter 1st Step			16.438000 kWhr	X 32 days	X \$0.09969	\$52	.44 CR	
Winter 2nd Step		-2	23.014000 kWhr	X 32 days	X \$0.07721	\$56	.86 CR	
Winter 3rd Step			-7.829000 kWhr	X 32 days	X \$0.03932	\$9	.85 CR	
Energy Cost			-1513.000 kWhr	X \$0.02247		\$34	.00 CR	
Energy Efficiency Programs	Charge		-1513.000 kWhr	X \$0.0017		\$2	.57 CR	
Demand Response Program	ns Char	ge ·	-1513.000 kWhr	X \$0.0014		\$2	.12 CR	
Renewable Energy Charge			-1513.000 kWhr	X \$0.00272		\$4	.12 CR	
Regional Transmission Serv	rice		-1513.000 kWhr	X \$0.03031		\$45	.86 CR	
		Subf	total Outflow Er	ergy Credit	Amount	\$207	.82 CR	
Inflow Energy Charge						\$140	.02	
Outflow Energy Credit						\$207	.82 CR	
Previous Unused Outflow E	nergy		uhtatal Inflaur	Outflow E	nergy Amount			1.74 C
			ubtotal IIIIOw	Odillow Li	nergy Amount		Ψ+13	
Billed Energy Amount Outflow Energy Credit To B	le Carr	ied					\$0	0.00
orward								9.54 C
orfeit of Carry Over Credit							\$419	
Basic Service Charge			32.000 [	Days X \$0.4				3.68
				Subtotal (	Other Charges		\$13	3.68
ocal Option Tax			\$1	3.68 X 1%			\$0	).14
Monthly Parallel Generation Cash Out			168 kWh X \$-0.0213				\$3.58 CF	

#### 14. Basic Service Charge

This is a fixed daily amount that covers the cost of your service and meter, including the installation and maintenance of utility equipment.

#### 15. Local Option and State Taxes

These lines include applicable sales tax and other local option taxes. Depending upon your community, you may have local option sales tax, school tax and/or municipal tax.

#### 16. Monthly Parallel Generation Cash Out

The amount of kWh Alliant Energy pays for generation greater than the customer load.

