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Cobden officials reminded village residents that Ameren Illinois's electric supply price is currently 1.3 cents per kilowatt-hour less than the village's electric aggregation rate of 6.285 cents.

Homefield Energy of Collinsville supplies electricity to Arthur and nearly 325 other Illinois communities for their electric aggregation programs. Electric supply prices in nearly all of them rose above Ameren Illinois's in June. The utility's electricity price will be adjusted again in June 2019. Homefield's parent company, Vistra Energy, declined to equalize the village's price with Ameren Illinois's.

Electric aggregation participants can opt out at no cost by calling Homefield toll-free at 866-694-1262. Officials noted that electric aggregation rules require participants who opt out and remain with Ameren longer than two months to remain with the utility supply for a total of 12 months. They can return to the village's program after that.

Residents are encouraged to review their annual electric usage and compare their bills annually. Consumers can find their usage information by creating a confidential account from the left side of Ameren Illinois's homepage at [www.amerenillinois.com](http://www.amerenillinois.com). Additional information is available by calling Homefield's customer care center toll-free at 866-694-1262.