

# NEWS FROM YOUR BPW



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well hello,  
**march**

## 10 Energy Saving Tips for Spring

1. Service air conditioner
2. Open windows
3. Use ceiling fans
4. Cook outside
5. Install window treatments
6. Caulk air leaks
7. Bring in sunlight
8. Set thermostat
9. Seal ducts
10. Switch on bathroom fans

## REMINDER ABOUT WATER METERS

Water meters are the customer's responsibility per city ordinance 3-710. If a water meter becomes damaged due to cold temperatures, the customer shall be held accountable. Once BPW is notified of the damaged water meter, it will be replaced, and he/she will be billed for the replacement.

## Medical Conditions Notice

We care about our customers! In the event of power line maintenance or a widespread power outage, we will do our best to restore the electricity to customers with serious medical conditions first. If you have a medical condition that the loss of power would negatively affect your health, please contact your physician and have them send a letter to the BPW stating the necessity of uninterrupted electricity to support your in-home medical equipment, such as dialysis, oxygen, and CPAP machines. The BPW will maintain this information and do our best to restore your power as quickly as possible to ensure your safety and peace of mind.

## SPRING FORWARD



**SIGN UP  
FOR  
PAPERLESS!**

## xpress BILL PAY

### ALREADY HAVE AN XPRESS BILL PAY ACCOUNT?

- Step 1: Go to [www.xpressbillpay.com](http://www.xpressbillpay.com) and log in
- Step 2: Click "View Bill" under the account you would like to be paperless
- Step 3: Locate the "Paperless (Off)" button
- Step 4: Click the button to turn "Paperless (On)"

### REGISTER AND SIGN UP FOR PAPERLESS:

- Step 1: Go to [www.xpressbillpay.com](http://www.xpressbillpay.com)
- Step 2: Click "Sign Up" on the top of the screen
- Step 3: Fill in your email and password, then click in the "I'm not a robot" box and follow prompts
- Step 4: Complete the short registration form and click "Next"
- Step 5: Go to your inbox and open the verification email, click "Verify Email" and "Continue" to log in
- Step 6: Select your billing organization
- Step 7: Enter your account number and last name, then click in the box to opt in for paperless and select "Locate Bill" and select "Locate Account"





World Water Day takes place each and every year on March 22<sup>nd</sup> and aims to underline the importance of water. While this may sound simple – and in many people’s eyes, a bit daft – the lack of clean water around the world, alongside the damaging effects of global warming, water pollution and damaged water tables, is more important to understand than ever. The initiative is spearheaded by the UN, alongside UNESCO, the World Water Council and the WWF – the one with pandas, not the one with Macho Man Randy Savage and Hulk Hogan. Using the day as a basis for longer-term action, the UN aims to ensure that everyone in the world has access to safe water by 2030, while not impacting the environment.

### Simple Ways to Save Money on Your Water Bill

1. Store cold **water** in the fridge.
2. Take shorter showers.
3. Don't let the **water** run when shaving or brushing your teeth.
4. Install a low-flow shower head.
5. Run full loads of dishes and laundry.



### TIME TO TUNE UP YOUR HOME’S COOLING SYSTEM AND GET \$30

These inspections aren’t free without cost, but fortunately there is a **\$30 EnergyWise Cooling System Tune-Up** incentive/rebate available to homeowners who take that first step in preparing their cooling system for this summer’s heat and humidity. BPW customers are eligible to apply for this \$30 incentive. The incentive/rebate form can be found on our website [auburnbpw.com](http://auburnbpw.com).

### THE BPW OFFICE & SERVICE CENTER WILL BE CLOSED

AT

12:00 NOON:

FRIDAY  
APRIL 2, 2021



Office Hours: 7:30 am to 5:00 pm M-F  
Service Center Hours: 7:30 am to 4:00 pm M-F