THE KEY TO YOUR NEW HOME
Purchasing a new home is a big step for you and your family. It's also a major investment. And the key to ensuring that you get the greatest value is to buy an ENERGY STAR® certified home.

To earn the ENERGY STAR certification, a new home must meet strict requirements set by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. These requirements result in benefits for you, such as:

- **Lower energy bills**—Energy savings of up to 30 percent compared to typical new homes
- **Enhanced performance**—Improved comfort, indoor air quality and durability
- **Environmental protection**—Using less energy helps prevent air pollution

For more information, including a list of ENERGY STAR homebuilders, please visit aps.com/newhomes.

BE THE COOLEST HOUSE ON THE BLOCK
Your air conditioner works hard all summer not only cooling your home from the sun’s heat, but also from the heat generated by your indoor lights. Incandescent bulbs emit up to 90 percent of their energy as heat—and that means your AC has to work overtime to keep your home cool and comfortable.

CFLs and LEDs operate cooler, producing 75 percent less heat than incandescent bulbs. Not only do they use less energy, which saves you money, but they also last much longer.

To find a participating retailer that offers instant APS discounts on LEDs, please visit aps.com/lighting.

RELIABLE ENERGY FOR YOUR FUTURE
Dozens of times a day, all day, every day, millions of people across Arizona perform the simple act of flipping a switch and allowing light to fill a room. And almost always without giving a second thought to the science, the technology and even the magic that provides the power for that light and for countless other wonderful things.

Because they’ve learned to take their power for granted. And you know what? That’s just fine by us. Because that means we’re doing our job. And while we provide the power that our customers need today, we’re also focused on what they’ll need every day moving forward.

We’re committed to your future. So just as sure as the lights will continue to come on at the flip of a magical switch, we’ll continue to do everything in our power to help you get the most out of your energy.

Your Energy, Your Options
Here’s a great option … sign up for text or email alerts to stay in the know on power outages, bill payments and energy use. Visit aps.com/options.
COMMUNITY CORNER

At Your Service

Ever get that nagging feeling that you’ve forgotten something important? Not to worry, we’ve got you covered with this dynamic duo: AutoPay and paperless billing. By combining these two billing options, you’ll always be on track, on schedule and on budget when it comes to your account.

When you sign up for paperless billing, we’ll send you a monthly email alert letting you know your bill is ready to view online. And managing your account is even easier when your bill is automatically deducted from your bank account with AutoPay.

With AutoPay and paperless, you can:
- Make sure your bill is paid on time, every time
- Get added security with no checks or mail
- Conveniently view and print past statements
- Monitor your account usage history online

Get more peace of mind by signing up for either or both of these programs in one easy step at aps.com/autopay.

We are partnering with Phoenix Children’s Hospital (PCH) and Telemundo to host the first annual KTAZ Telemundo Telethon on May 18, a fundraiser benefitting the Hospital’s Hope Fund.

Since its inception in 1983, PCH has grown to become the sixth largest children’s hospital in the nation. It is the largest provider of pediatric healthcare services to low-income children in Arizona, operating under the values of family-centered care, service, communication, collaboration and leadership.

PCH’s goal for the telethon is to raise $150,000 which will help them purchase state-of-the-art equipment, fund family-centered services, launch new clinical programs, educate and train staff and most importantly, ensure that no child is ever turned away.

We are honored to partner with both Telemundo and PCH in supporting the hospital’s mission to provide hope, healing and the best healthcare for children and their families. Please consider making a life-saving donation today at phoenixchildrens.org.

Sincerely,

Stacy Derstine
VP Customer Service and Chief Customer Officer

WHO KNEW?

More than 40 percent of your energy bill is spent on cooling costs. You can lower those costs by changing out your air filters once a month.

SAFETY FIRST

Your energy meter is a valuable tool for your home and you should always exercise caution and stay safe around it.

- Never tamper with an electric meter—it may cause fire or personal injury
- Keep areas around electric meters free of any vegetation or debris
- Never touch an electric meter while resetting a breaker

MONTHLY ENERGY COSTS

40%

- Cooling Energy Costs
- Other Energy Costs

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