

## **EPCOR Natural Gas Limited Partnership (EPCOR)- Southern Bruce – January 1, 2026 Natural Gas Price Changes**

EPCOR applied to the OEB to change the prices it will charge customers in Southern Bruce effective **January 1, 2026**.

The OEB approved the following commodity rates effective **January 1, 2026**.

Gas Commodity Charge<sup>1</sup> (including quarterly adjustment) = **19.6926¢/m<sup>3</sup>**

Annual Commodity Rate Impact for an Average Consumer (using 2,149 m<sup>3</sup>/year)=  
**\$34.29**

The OEB approved 2026 Distribution Charges.<sup>2</sup> Total Annual Bill impact due to changes to 2026 Distribution charges for an Average Customer = **\$19.82**

There are temporary rate riders being implemented in January 1, 2026.<sup>3</sup> The annual bill impact due to temporary rate riders = **\$33.57**

Total Annual Impact for an Average Customer = **\$87.68**

The main reason for the commodity rate change is an increase in the forecast price EPCOR - Southern Bruce expects to pay for natural gas over the next 12-month period and the difference between actual gas commodity prices and the prices that were estimated last quarter.

**Note:** Natural gas rates are based on a forward-looking forecast for the next 12 months. Forecasts are never perfect, so the billed price is normally either higher or lower than the actual market price. The difference is tracked and passed on to consumers as a credit or a charge in subsequent quarterly rate adjustment applications.

### **EPCOR Southern Bruce Residential Rates (per month)**

Effective January 1, 2026

<b>Rate Description</b>	<b>System Gas Customers</b>		<b>Direct Purchase Customers</b>	
	<b>New Rate</b>	<b>Annual Increase or Decrease</b>	<b>New Rate</b>	<b>Annual Increase or Decrease</b>
Gas Supply (¢/m <sup>3</sup> )	19.6926¢	\$34.29	N/A	N/A
Monthly Charge: Fixed Charge (\$/month)	\$29.57	\$6.84	\$29.57	\$6.84
Delivery to You: First 100 m <sup>3</sup> Next 400 m <sup>3</sup> Over 500 m <sup>3</sup> (¢/m <sup>3</sup> )	30.6018 29.9990 29.1129	\$12.98	30.6018 29.9990 29.1129	\$12.98
Federal Carbon Charge (¢/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.0000¢	No change	0.0000¢	No change

<sup>1</sup> As approved through EB-2025-0317

<sup>2</sup> EB-2025-0178, Decision and Order, December 8, 2025

<sup>3</sup> Ibid.

Facilities Carbon Charge (¢/m <sup>3</sup> )	0.0000¢	No change	0.0000¢	No change
<b>Annual Increase / Decrease in the Bill*</b>	<b>\$54.11</b>		<b>\$19.82</b>	
Temporary Rate Adjustments	\$33.57		\$33.57	
<b>Total Annual Bill Impact*</b>	<b>\$87.68</b>		<b>\$53.39</b>	

\*Based on typical consumption of 2,149 m<sup>3</sup> per year.