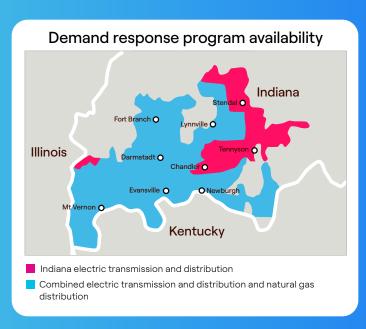
CenterPoint Energy Aggregated Demand Response Program

Earn payments for reducing energy consumption







Enel and CenterPoint have joined forces to offer a new demand response program for commercial, institutional, and industrial organizations in Indiana. This initiative enables organizations to earn incentive payments for making targeted energy reductions that help CenterPoint maintain local grid reliability.

Enel, the world leader in demand response, connects organizations in Indiana to this exclusive program and ensures they maximize earnings while minimizing operational disruption. Tap into a new revenue stream and support your local electric grid – enroll today!

Program options

Program year	Year-round (June 1 – May 31) with summer, fall, winter, and spring periods
Program hours	24/7
Payments	Capacity & Energy: earn \$40,000/MW-yr in capacity payments and no penalties
Dispatch notification	At least 2 hours prior to event; Enel usually sends out a "High Alert" notice multiple days in advance
Dispatch duration	4 hours maximum
Expected number of dispatches	The maximum number of emergency events that may be called is 5 in the summer, 5 in the winter, 3 in the fall, and 3 in the spring, for a total of 16 maximum events during a single program year
Participation requirements	Must be able to reduce demand within a two-hour window when notified of an upcoming event
Generator eligibility	Properly permitted generators are eligible
Audit requirement	A minimum of 1 audit per program year is required; will be scheduled during weekday business hours

Frequently asked questions

What is demand response?

Demand response programs provide an opportunity for commercial, institutional, and industrial organizations to earn incentive payments while helping maintain a reliable electric system. When utilities experience supply and demand constraints, they dispatch Enel's demand response network, which is made up of local organizations that have agreed to reduce energy usage during these times of high demand.

Program participants earn payments for agreeing to be on standby and curtailing electricity consumption when called upon in response to these events.

What are the benefits?

- Maximize payments to your bottom line: Enel manages your participation from start to finish, ensuring you earn the highest possible financial reward. Since 2011, our customers have earned more than \$1.9 billion in payments.
- Improve your facilities' resilience: In addition to the payments, participants receive advanced notification of grid stability issues, enabling them to proactively protect their facilities from potential power outages.
- Support your community: Your participation helps maintain reliable, low-cost electricity in your community.

How do we participate?

Enel makes participation easy. We take care of the complex details so you can focus on running your business.

- Our expert team will work with you to identify your energy reduction potential and create a strategy that delivers maximum value with minimum impact on your operations. We outline these measures in a customized Energy Reduction Plan.
- 2. In some cases, we install necessary metering devices at your facility to establish communication with our Network Operations Center (NOC), so we can monitor your energy consumption levels in real time.
- Your site is then enrolled and ready to respond when a dispatch begins. Provided your site has Enel metering, log into <u>apps.enelx.com</u> any time during a dispatch to view your real-time performance.
- 4. Throughout the process, we fully manage enrollment, measurement, verification and payments on your behalf.

What can we expect during a demand response dispatch?

- Notification: When the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) anticipates emergency conditions on the grid, it dispatches the Enel network into action.
 Enel will notify you via email, phone, strobe light, or SMS, depending on your preferences, to inform you when the dispatch will begin.
- Response: At the start of the dispatch, your facility
 will reduce its electricity usage according to your
 predetermined Energy Reduction Plan either manually
 or, if requested, automatically by Enel's NOC.
- Support: Before, during, and after a dispatch, our NOC remains in communication with your facility. Our staff is available 24x7x365, supporting you to ensure that you achieve the highest possible levels of performance and payments.

What types of energy reductions can we make?

Enel has extensive experience creating energy reduction strategies that work within the operational limitations of a wide variety of facilities, including cold storage, manufacturing, food processing, universities, malls, office buildings and more. We can also help to implement full control systems that allow your electric load to be toggled remotely.

Common reduction strategies include:

- Modify manufacturing processes
- · Adjust HVAC equipment
- Dial back pumps
- · Change settings in industrial freezers
- · Reduce non-essential lighting

Customers often facilitate dispatch participation by simply shifting many of their energy-intensive processes by a few hours. Ask us about our experience working with customers like you.

How do we sign up?

Our experts are standing by to speak with you about your organization's demand response opportunity. Submit your information here to get started.

