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Franklin Square Fountain

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# CHOOSE WHEN TO PAY your PECO bill

## Convenient time frames are available for your convenience

Timing is everything. Avoid late fees, bounced checks, or missing payments by picking the best time frame for paying your monthly PECO bill. That way your paycheck, retirement deposits or other sources of income can arrive before you need to pay your PECO bill.

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## 5 WAYS TO GET READY FOR COLDER WEATHER

- **SEAL** gaps around windows, recessed lights and exposed pipes
- **INSTALL** tight-fitting, insulating drapes or shades
- **SCHEDULE** service for your heating system
- **REPLACE** your HVAC filter once per month
- **CLOSE** your fireplace damper unless a fire is burning

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## PECO COMMUNITY PARTNER



This month, Center City's only mini-golf course becomes **Spooky Mini Golf**—with lights, haunting music, fog and surprises, through October 31. Plus, on October 30, bring the little ones to **Trick-or-Treat Street**—presented by Fox Rothschild, for the best trick-or-treating experience. *Knocking on doors not required!*

Find additional information and purchase tickets in advance at [historicphiladelphia.org](http://historicphiladelphia.org).

## LEARN THE SOUNDS OF FIRE SAFETY

**Is there a beep or a chirp coming out of your smoke or carbon monoxide alarm?**

- A continuous set of three loud beeps—beep, beep, beep—means smoke or fire. Get out, call 9-1-1, and stay out
- A single chirp every 30 or 60 seconds means the battery is low and must be changed
- All smoke alarms must be replaced after ten years
- Chirping that continues after the battery has been replaced means the alarm is at the end of its life and the unit must be replaced
- Make sure your smoke and CO alarms meet the needs of all your family members, including those with sensory or physical disabilities



**On the cover:** Built in 1838, The Franklin Square Fountain is the oldest refurbished and functioning public water fountain in the United States, and is the longest surviving fountain in one of William Penn's original five squares. In 2006, Historic Philadelphia, Inc. restored the fountain, including the vintage marble and surrounding wrought iron fence. The LED light show was added in 2019. *Photo by Jeff Fusco*

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