

Owen County Rural Electric
Cooperative Corporation

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. SCOPE

This schedule of rules and regulations is hereby made a part of all contracts for electric service received from Owen County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, hereinafter referred to as the Cooperative, and applies to all service received, whether such service is based upon a contract, agreement, signed application or otherwise. No employee or director of the Cooperative is permitted to make an exception to rates and rules. Regulations are on file in the Cooperative's Office and can be obtained there or from Cooperative Personnel. All rules and regulations shall be in effect so long as they do not conflict with Energy Regulatory Commission Rules and Regulations.

2. REVISIONS

These Rules and Regulations may be revised, amended, supplemented, or otherwise changed from time to time after approval by Owen County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation's Board of Directors and the Energy Regulatory Commission. Such changes, when effective, shall have the same force as the present Rules and Regulations. The Member shall be informed of any changes as soon as possible, after adoption by the Board of Directors, through the Cooperative's monthly Newsletter or direct mailing.

3. SERVICE AREA

The Cooperative furnishes electric power supplied in portions of Owen, Grant, Pendleton, Gallatin, Scott, Boone, Kenton, Campbell and Carroll Counties.

4. AVAILABILITY

Available to all Members of the Cooperative for all farm and home uses, subject to its established rules and regulations. Approval of the Cooperative must be obtained prior to installation of any motor having a rated capacity of five (5) horsepower or more.

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12. BILLING

The Cooperative's billing period is on a monthly basis and shall be flexible so as to allow various billing cycles based upon the date of the monthly meter reading. Each month, the Cooperative shall render an electric service statement to each consumer for approximately thirty (30) days of service. The consumer shall pay the net amount of bill within ten (10) days of the date bill was rendered. If payment is not received by the Cooperative within fifteen (15) days of the date bill was rendered, the gross amount (as defined in the Rate Schedule) shall be due. Failure to receive the bill will not release the consumer from payment obligation; (also see # 21, Discontinuance of Service, and # 35, Collection of Delinquent Accounts).

13. DEPOSITS

A deposit or suitable guarantee approximately equal to two times the average monthly bill may be required of any member before service is supplied, if the Cooperative deems it necessary to insure payment for the service it will render. Upon termination of service, the deposit may be applied against unpaid bills of the member and if any balance remains after such application is made, said balance is to be refunded to the member.

Interest shall be computed on said deposits at the rate of 6% annually. Said interest may be applied against unpaid bills of the member and any balance remaining after such application shall be refunded to the member.

14. BUDGET BILLING

Budget billing is available to all residential consumers who have been receiving service at their present address for at least one year. Monthly payments are based on the number of kilowatt hours used during the previous year.

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16. LOCATION OF METERS

Meters shall be easily accessible for reading, testing and making necessary adjustments and repairs and shall be located at site designated by Owen County R.E.C.C. personnel.

17. SEASONAL SERVICE CONNECTS AND DISCONNECTS

A Service charge will be made for all seasonal connects or disconnects made under 807 KAR 50:015, Section 10 (2). Service charge for connect or disconnect made during normal working hours - \$20.00; service charge for connect or disconnect made after normal working hours - \$50.00. This shall apply to such seasonal accounts as barns and camps.

18. CONSUMER'S RESPONSIBILITY

All meters, service connections and other equipment furnished by the Cooperative shall be and remain the property of the Cooperative. The member shall exercise proper care to protect the property of the Cooperative on its premises and in the event of loss or damage to the Cooperative's property arising from neglect of the Member to care for same, the cost of the necessary repairs or replacements shall be paid by the Member.

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21. DISCONTINUANCE AND REFUSAL OF SERVICE (Continued)

- A. For noncompliance with its rules and regulations. However, the Cooperative shall not discontinue or refuse service to any customer or applicant for violation of its rules and regulations without first having made reasonable effort to induce the customer or applicant to comply with the rules and regulations as filed with the Energy Regulatory Commission. After such effort on the part of the Cooperative, service may be disconnected or refused only after the Member shall have been given at least ten (10) days written notice of such intention, mailed to his/her last known address.
- B. When a dangerous condition is found to exist on the Member's or Applicant's premises, the service shall be discontinued without notice or refused, provided that the Cooperative notify the customer or applicant immediately of the reasons for the discontinuance or refusal and the corrective action to be taken by them before service can be installed or restored.
- C. When a customer or applicant refuses or neglects to provide reasonable access to the premises for the purposes of installation, operation, meter reading, maintenance or removal of the Cooperative's property, the Cooperative may discontinue or refuse service only after the customer or applicant shall have been given at least fifteen (15) days written notice of such intention.
- D. The Cooperative shall not furnish service to any applicant when such applicant is indebted to the Cooperative for service furnished until such applicant shall have paid such indebtedness.
- E. The Cooperative may refuse or discontinue service to a Member or Applicant if the customer or applicant does not comply with State, Municipal, or other codes, rules and regulations applying to such service.

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21. DISCONTINUANCE AND REFUSAL OF SERVICE (Continued)

F. THE COOPERATIVE MAY DISCONTINUE SERVICE UNDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

For non-payment of bills. However, the Cooperative shall not discontinue service to any member for non-payment of bills (including delayed charges) without first having made reasonable effort to induce the Member to pay same. The customer shall be given at least ten (10) days written notice, but the cut-off shall not be effective for twenty-seven (27) days after the mailing date of the original bill. Such termination notice shall be exclusive of and separate from the original bill. If, prior to discontinuance of service, there is delivered to the Cooperative office, or to its employees empowered to discontinue service, payment of the amount in arrears, the discontinuance of service shall not be made, or where a written certificate is filed signed by a physician, a registered nurse, or a public health officer, stating that in the opinion of the person making the certification, discontinuance of service will aggravate an existing illness or infirmity on the affected premises, service shall not be discontinued until the affected resident can make other living arrangements or until thirty (30) days elapse from the time of the Cooperative's notification to the Member in writing of the existence of local, state and federal programs providing for the payment of the Cooperative bills under certain conditions and of the offices to contact for such possible assistance. The written notice for any discontinuance of service shall advise the customer of his rights and his rights to dispute the reasons for such discontinuance.

22. INTERRUPTION OF SERVICE

The Cooperative shall use reasonable diligence to provide a regular and uninterrupted supply of current, but in case the supply of current should be interrupted or disturbed for any cause, the Cooperative shall not be liable for damage resulting therefrom.

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38. SECURITY LIGHTS (Continued)

The lighting equipment shall remain the property of the Cooperative. The Consumer shall protect the lighting equipment from deliberate damage. The consumer shall allow authorized representatives of the Cooperative to enter upon the Consumer's premises and to trim trees and shrubs as necessary for maintenance of the lighting equipment and for removal of the lighting equipment upon termination of service under this schedule.

39. FUEL ADJUSTMENT

In case the rate under which the Cooperative purchases power at wholesale is adjusted in accordance with a fuel cost adjustment provision in the Cooperative's wholesale power contract, the Cooperative's energy charge shall be adjusted each month by the same amount per KWH as the fuel cost adjustment per KWH in Cooperative's wholesale power bill, plus an allowance for line losses. The allowance for line losses will not exceed ten percent (10%) and is based on a twelve-month moving average of such losses. This fuel clause is subject to provisions in 807 KAE2:055

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44. UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC SERVICE (Continued)

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service for the foreseeable future.

2. All single-phase conductors installed by the utility shall be underground. Appurtenances such as transformers, pedestal-mounted terminals, switching equipment and meter cabinets may be placed above ground.
3. Three-phase primary mains or feeders required within a subdivision to supply local distribution or to serve individual three-phase loads may be overhead unless underground is required by governmental authority or chosen by the Applicant, in either of which case, the differential cost of underground shall be borne by the Applicant.
4. If the Applicant has complied with the requirements herein and has given the Cooperative not less than 120 days written notice prior to the anticipated date of completion (i.e., ready for occupancy) of the first building in the subdivision, the Cooperative shall complete the installation 30 days prior to the estimated completion date. (Subject to weather and ground conditions and availability of materials and barring extra-ordinary or emergency circumstances beyond the reasonable control of the Cooperative.) However, nothing in this policy shall be interpreted to require the Cooperative to extend the service to portions of the subdivisions not under active development.
5. A non-refundable payment shall be made by the Applicant equal to the difference between the cost of providing underground facilities and that of providing overhead facilities. The payment to be made by the applicant shall be determined from the total footage of single-phase primary, secondary and service conductor to be installed at an average per foot cost differential in accordance with the average cost differential filed herewith as Exhibit A, which shall be updated annually as required by the Energy Regulatory Commission. Where rock, shale or other impairments are anticipated or encountered in construction, the actual increased cost of trenching and backfilling shall be borne by the Applicant.

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- 6. The Applicant may be required to deposit the entire estimated cost of the extension. If this is done, the amount deposited in excess of the normal charge for the underground extensions, as provided in Paragraph 5 above shall be refunded to the Applicant over a ten (10) year period as provided by the Energy Regulatory Commission, Section 10.
- 7. The Applicant may be required to perform all necessary trenching and backfilling in accordance with the Cooperative's specifications. The Cooperative shall then credit the Applicant's cost in an amount equal to the Cooperative's normal cost for trenching and backfilling.
- 8. The Cooperative shall furnish, install and maintain the service lateral to the Applicant's meter base.
- 9. Plans for the location of all facilities to be installed shall be approved by the Cooperative and Applicant prior to construction. Alterations in plans by the Applicant which require additional cost of installation or construction shall be at the sole expense of the Applicant.
- 10. The Cooperative shall not be obligated to install any facility within a subdivision until satisfactory arrangements for the payment of charges have been completed by the Applicant.
- 11. The charges specified in these rules are based on the premise that each Applicant will cooperate with the utility in an effort to keep the cost of construction and installation of the underground electric distribution system as low as possible and make satisfactory arrangements for the payment of the above charges prior to the installation of the facilities.
- 12. All electrical facilities shall be installed and constructed to comply with the rules and regulations of the Energy Regulatory Commission, National Electric Safety Code and Owen County R.E.C.C. Specifications.

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45. METER TESTING

Each and every watt-hour meter installed by the Cooperative on Consumers' premises shall be tested periodically without charge to the consumer. Any other request for meter test shall be complied with by the Cooperative only if the consumer agrees to pay a \$27.50 meter test deposit. If the meter tests more than 2% fast, the \$27.50 deposit shall be returned to the consumer and a credit, based on Energy Regulatory Commission Rules and Regulations shall be issued by the Cooperative to the Consumer. If the meter is more than 2% slow, the member may be billed for the difference for the previous twelve-month period and the \$27.50 may be applied toward that balance.

46. TAXES

Pursuant to the authority vested in KRS 139.210, there shall be added to the bill of all applicable subscribers, the sales and use tax imposed by KRS 139.200. The Utility Gross Receipts License Tax for schools authorized by KRS 160.613 shall be added to all applicable subscribers' bills in accordance with KRS 160.617, which authorizes a rate increase for the school tax.

47. VOLTAGE FLUCTUATIONS CAUSED BY MEMBER OR CONSUMER

Electric service must not be used in such a manner as to cause unusual fluctuations or disturbances to Distribution Systems. Distributor may require the Member or Consumer, at his own expense, to install suitable apparatus which will reasonably limit such fluctuation.

48. CONFLICT

In case of conflict between any provisions of any rate schedule and the Schedule of Rules and Regulations, the rate schedule shall apply.

49. FILING AND POSTING

A copy of these Rules and Regulations, together with a copy of the Cooperative's Schedule of Rates and Charges, shall be kept open to inspection at the office of the Cooperative.

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52. ELECTRIC SERVICE TO CAMPS AND BARNES

- A. Before construction begins to a camp or campsite, barn or barnsite, the consumer shall have paid a \$25.00 membership fee. The membership fee is refundable upon disconnection of service, after all bills against the account are paid.
- B. In counties requiring construction permits, the consumer shall present a certificate of approval from the County before the Cooperative begins its construction of a new service.
- C. All required fee charges and advances shall be paid before construction begins.
- D. Extensions greater than 150 feet from the nearest facility and up to 300 feet shall be made, provided the consumer shall pay the Cooperative a customer advance for construction of fifty dollars (\$50.00) in addition to any other charges required by the Cooperative for all consumers, which shall be the \$25.00 membership fee. The \$50.00 advance shall be refunded at the end of one year if the service to the camp or barn continues for that length of time.
- E. For extensions greater than 300 feet and less than 1,000 feet from the nearest facility, the Cooperative will charge an advance of \$50.00 plus the cost of construction for that portion of service beyond 300 feet, up to 1,000 feet. Beyond 1,000 feet, the extension policy set forth in Section 10 of PSC Rules and Regulations apply.
- F. This advance shall be refunded to the consumer over a four (4) year period in equal amounts for each year the service is continued ~~and the refund~~ advance date begins with the billing date.

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