## RATES SCHEDULE NM—NET METERING AVAILABILITY OF NET METERING SERVICE

Net Metering is available to eligible member-generators in Blue Grass Energy's service territory, upon request, and on a first-come, first-served basis up to a cumulative capacity of one percent (1%) of the Blue Grass Energy's single hour peak load during the previous year. If the cumulative generating capacity of net metering systems reaches 1% of a supplier's single hour peak load during the previous year, upon Commission approval, Blue Grass Energy's obligation to offer net metering to a new member-generator may be limited. An eligible member-generator shall mean a member retail electric member of Blue Grass Energy with a generating facility that:

- 1) Generates electricity using solar energy, wind energy, biomass or biogas energy, or hydro energy;
- 2) Has a rated capacity of not greater than forty-five (45) kilowatts;
- 3) Is located on the member's premises;
- 4) Is owned and operated by the member;

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- 5) Is connected in parallel with Blue Grass Energy's electric distribution system; and
- 6) Has the primary purpose of supplying all or part of the member's own electricity requirements.

At its sole discretion, Blue Grass Energy may provide Net Metering to other member- generators not meeting all the conditions listed above on a case-by-case basis.

## **METERING**

Blue Grass Energy shall provide net metering services, without any cost to the Member for metering equipment, through a standard kilowatt-hour metering system capable of measuring the flow of electricity in two (2) directions. This provision does not relieve Member of his or her responsibility to pay metering costs embedded in the Blue Grass Energy's Commission- approved base rates. Net metered electricity shall be measured in accordance with standard metering practices established by Blue Grass Energy using metering equipment capable of measuring and recording energy flows, on a kWh basis, from Blue Grass Energy to the member-generator and from the member-generator to Blue Grass Energy, with each directional energy flow recorded independently.

If time-of-day or time-of-use metering is used, the electricity fed back to the electric grid by the member-generator shall be metered and accounted for at the specific time it is fed back to the electric grid in accordance with the time-of-day and time-of-use billing agreement currently in place.

Any additional meter, meters, or distribution upgrades needed to monitor the flow in each direction shall be installed at the Member's expense.

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