



## New Service Membership Terms

- A Membership Application for each new service must be on file prior to connection of service.
- All service extensions require that electric service shall continue in force for five (5) years from the date service is made available by the Cooperative. In the event the applicant discontinues service for any reason, including but not limited to sale or other conveyance of the service location, the applicant will be responsible for continued payment of monthly service availability fees for the remainder of the five (5) year term unless and until service is continued at the same service location by a new member, provided said member agrees to assume responsibility for the remainder of the term.
- All service extensions will terminate at a meter base or pedestal. A Cooperative representative will assist the member in determining the type of construction and the location for the point of service. No service will be connected without a means of disconnect.
- The applicant is responsible for providing proof of title to the Cooperative for each property that requires a right of way easement. Title instruments including deeds must be on file at the Cooperative. Copies of deeds are available from the Register of Deeds in the county where the property is located.
- The applicant will be responsible for all necessary permits, permit fees, and must clear the rights of way according to Cooperative specifications. The applicant will be responsible for any restorations on any properties accessed via the right of way easement.
- Estimated construction costs must be paid in advance and construction completed within twelve (12) months following payment. After construction, a billing adjustment will be made to reflect the actual expenses of the job.
- Accounts may be subject to a security deposit based on an Online Utility Credit Check. The security deposit must be paid before the service will be connected.
- In the event that another member or members connect to the extension within five (5) years of the date the service was originally connected, the original member will be reimbursed proportionately for the aid to construction fee as long as ownership of the property for which the fee was paid is retained.
- Upon installation of the new service, the Cooperative shall begin billing the monthly service availability charge.

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Applicant Signature

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Applicant Signature (if Joint Membership)

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