

Other Information

PROMPT BILL PAYMENT: A charge of no more than 1 percent per month will be added to bills not paid within 20 days from the date of issuance. This late-payment charge shall be applied to the total unpaid balance for utility service, including unpaid payment charges. This charge is applicable to all customers.

RECONNECTION BILLING: A customer whose service is disconnected in accordance with the disconnection rules as outlined in Wis. Adm. Code, Chapter PSC 113 shall be required to pay a reconnection charge. The charge shall be \$50.00 during regular office hours. After regular office hours, the minimum reconnection charge of \$50.00 applies plus any overtime labor costs, not to exceed a total maximum charge of \$80.00

RECONNECTION OF A SEASONAL CUSTOMER SERVICE:

Reconnection of a service for a seasonal customer who has been disconnected for less than one year shall be subject to the same reconnection charges outlined above. A seasonal customer shall be charged for all minimum bills which would have been incurred had the customer not temporarily disconnected service.

POWER COST ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE: All metered rates are subject to a positive or negative purchase power cost adjustment charge equivalent to the amount by which the current cost of power (per kilowatt-hour of sales) is more or less than the base cost of power purchased (per kilowatt-hour of sales). Periodic changes are made to maintain the proper relative structure of the rates and to insure that power costs are being equitably recovered from the various rate classes. Our utility will file with the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSC) within 30 days for changes in rates to incorporate a portion of the power cost adjustment into the base rates if, after final wholesale rates have been authorized, the monthly adjustment exceeds the PSC's authorized amount.

BUDGET PAYMENT PLAN: A budget payment plan, which is in accordance with Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 113, is available from the utility. The utility does not use a fixed budget year. The utility will calculate the monthly budgeted amount by spreading the estimated annual bill over eleven months, with the last month consisting of any end of year adjustments.

INSUFFICIENT FUND CHARGE: A \$20.00 charge will be applied to the customer's account when a check rendered for utility service is returned for insufficient funds. This charge may not be in addition to, but may be inclusive of, the water utility's insufficient fund charge when the check was for payment of both electric and water service.

OTHER CUSTOMER/RATE CLASSIFICATIONS: For information on rates for our other customer classes, call us at 623-5912. These classes include:

- Residential Service – Optional TOD (Rg-2)
- General Service – Optional TOD (Gs-2)
- Small Power Optional TOD Service (Cp-1 TOD)
- Large Power (Cp-2)
- Industrial Power (Cp-3)
- Municipal Street Lighting (Ms-1)
- Athletic Field Flood Lighting Service (Ms-2)

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Electric Rate Information

Effective Date: November 1, 2012

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE (Rg-1)

This rate is applicable to residential single-phase customer for ordinary household purposes. Single-phase motors may not exceed 5 horsepower individual-rated capacity without utility permission.

Customers who do not meet these criteria will be served under the applicable rate.

Base Charge for Service (Customer Charge)

Single-phase (Per month).....\$7.45
Three-phase (Per month).....\$14.50

Energy Charge

Per kWh month.....\$0.1141

Optional Time-of-Day Rates

Per kWh On-peak.....\$0.1907
Per kWh Off-peak.....\$0.0657

Call us for details and application form.

Power Cost Adjustment Clause (PCAC)

The PCAC provides for a measure of the monthly variations in the utility's average cost of power from its power supplier. The resulting adjustment can be a plus or minus.

Minimum Bill: The Customer Charge.

SAMPLE BILL CALCULATION

A residential customer with 500 kWh energy usage.

Customer Charge

Per month.....\$7.45

Energy Charge

\$0.1141 per kWh * 500 kWh... \$57.05

PCAC*

\$0.0010 per kWh * 500 kWh.....\$0.50

Total Monthly Bill \$65.00

* The PCAC is based on the cost of power to the utility in the prior month. The figure of \$0.0010 per kWh is used to provide an example of a typical PCAC.

GENERAL SERVICE (Gs-1)

This rate is applicable to commercial, institutional, governmental and farm customers. The monthly Maximum Measured Demand of customers served on this rate shall not exceed 50 kW for three or more months in a consecutive 12-month period.

Base Charge for Service (Customer Charge)

Single-phase customers.....\$7.45
Three-phase customers.....\$14.50

Energy Charge

Per kWh month.....\$0.1141

Optional Time-of-Day Rates

Per kWh On-peak.....\$0.1907
Per kWh Off-peak.....\$0.0657

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Power Cost Adjustment Clause (PCAC)

Per kWh per month (see Rg-1)

Minimum Bill: The Customer Charge.

SAMPLE BILL CALCULATION

A commercial customer with a single-phase meter and 2,000 kWh of energy usage.

Customer Charge

Per month.....\$7.45

Energy Charge

\$0.1141 per kWh * 2,000 kWh... \$228.20

PCAC*

\$0.0010 per kWh * 2,000 kWh... \$2.00

Total Monthly Bill\$237.65

* The PCAC is based on the cost of power to the utility in the prior month. The figure of \$0.0010 per kWh is used to provide an example of a typical PCAC.

Information in this brochure is in reference to the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin File No. 1300-ER-106, dated November 1, 2012.

SMALL POWER (Cp-1)

This rate is for customers with demand over 50 kW but less than 200 kW for three or more months in a consecutive 12-month period. Discounts are also available for primary metering and transformer ownership.

Customer Charge for Service..... \$75.00

Distribution Demand Charge

The highest monthly Maximum Measured Demand occurring or preceding 11-month period.....\$1.50

Demand Charge

Per Maximum kW.....\$7.50

Energy Charge

Per kWh per month.....\$0.0703

Optional Time-of-Day Rates

Per kWh On-peak.....\$0.0815
Per kWh Off-peak.....\$0.0615

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Power Cost Adjustment Clause (PCAC)

Per kWh per month (see Rg-1)

Minimum Bill: The Distribution Demand Charge plus the Customer Charge.

SAMPLE BILL CALCULATION

Customer with a maximum monthly demand of 100 kW and energy usage of 30,000 kWh. Over the past 12 months, this customer's highest demand was 150 kW.

Customer Charge

Per month.....\$75.00

Distribution Demand Charge

\$1.50 per kWh 150 kWh.....\$225.00

Demand Charge

\$7.50 per kWh 100 kWh.....\$750.00

Energy Charge

\$0.0703 per kWh * 30,000 kWh...\$2,109.00

PCAC*

\$0.0010 per kWh * 30,000 kWh.....\$30.00

Total Monthly Bill\$3,189.00

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