

HAMILTON COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

LINE EXTENSION PERMANENT RESIDENTIAL DWELLING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

Permanent Residential Dwelling

A permanent residential dwelling must be a single-family dwelling completely constructed on site and meets the following criteria:

- (a) Constructed on or permanently affixed to a concrete slab or an approved pier and beam foundation, and
- (b) Connected to a permanent approved water system and a permanent approved septic system. Water wells meet the requirements of an approved water system.
- (c) If a water source (well or meter) and a house pad has been established prior to staking, HCEC will waive \$1,500.00 towards the cost of construction.

Qualifying Applicants in this classification shall receive a credit of \$1,500 towards the construction charge.

Note: Multi-family and/or rental units do not qualify.

In addition to meeting the aforementioned requirements, an Applicant seeking service under the permanent classification must meet the Cooperative's estimated electric usage requirements sufficient to eliminate the likelihood of stranded costs associated with electric facilities placed into service which are not adequately utilized.

Line extensions and/or system improvements which are required to extend service to Applicants in these classifications shall be performed only if the Applicant pays, in advance, a construction charge for the new construction and/or system improvements. This construction charge shall be paid by the Applicant before the Cooperative initiates construction.

The Cooperative shall have the right to require that a Member pay to the Cooperative any construction charge which was waived or refunded by the Cooperative if at any time the Member's facility does not comply with permanent requirements. The Cooperative may also discontinue service to any Member who fails to pay the construction charge upon request by the Cooperative. Monthly electric usage billings will begin once the meter is installed and energized. Meters **WILL NOT** be installed in the meter base and the transformer **WILL NOT** be energized until you call the Cooperative and confirm that you have installed a **MAIN TRIPPABLE CIRCUIT BREAKER AND IT HAS BEEN WIRED INTO THE METER BASE.**