

Town of Winterville Utility Rates



WINTERVILLE

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Effective Date
July 1, 2024

As Certified by
Jessica Manning
Finance Director

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 1
Small General Service
SGS**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service to any customer with a monthly demand less than 30 kW and is not eligible for service under the ER rate through a single point of delivery at a standard service voltage for the Town. This schedule is not applicable for:

- 1) breakdown, standby or parallel operation service;
- 2) seasonal use of electricity;
- 3) where the contract capacity exceeds 30 kW; or
- 4) for residential service.

This rate applies to churches that provide weekday, secular instruction or operation. If a customer's demand exceeds 30 kW in any two (2) or more months in a 12-month period, the customer will be served under the Medium General Service Rate.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

- A. Facility Charge:\$40.00 per month

- B. Energy Charges:
For all months:
..... \$0.1071 per kWh

3. EXTRA FACILITIES.

The charges under this rate cover the cost of the facilities required providing service at a standard voltage of/to the Town through one point of service. Any facilities requested by the customer in excess of the cost necessary to provide standard service may be subject to an extra facility charge.

4. SALES TAX.

North Carolina sales taxes in the amount of seven (7) percent will be added to the charges.

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 2
Medium General Service
MGS**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service to any customer with a monthly demand from 30 kW to 100 kW as measured by a 15-minute interval demand meter. This schedule is not applicable for:

- 1) breakdown, standby or parallel operation service;
- 2) seasonal use of electricity;
- 3) where the contract capacity exceeds 100 kVA; or
- 4) for residential service.

If a customer's demand exceeds 100 kW in any two (2) or more months in a 12-month period, the customer will be served under the Large General Service Rate.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

- A. Facility Charge:.....\$50.00 per month

- B. Demand Charges:
..... \$5.75 per kW

- C. Energy Charges:
For all months:
..... \$0.0961 per kWh

3. EXTRA FACILITIES.

The charges under this rate cover the cost of the facilities required providing service at a standard voltage of/to the Town through one point of service. Any facilities requested by the customer in excess of the cost necessary to provide standard service may be subject to an extra facility charge.

4. SALES TAX.

North Carolina sales taxes in the amount of seven (7) percent will be added to the charges.

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 3
Large General Service
EI**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service to any commercial, industrial or institutional facility with a monthly demanding excess of 100 kW but less than 750 kW at a single point of delivery at a standard service voltage for the Town. This schedule is not available for:

- 1) residential service; or
- 2) breakdown, standby or supplemental service, or for parallel operation with customers' generation, without a separate written agreement.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

- A. Facility Charge:\$600.00 per month
- B. kW Demand Charge:
.....\$12.50 per kW for all kW
- C. Energy Charges:
For all months:
..... \$0.0749 per kWh
- D. The minimum charge shall not be less than \$600 per month.

3. DETERMINATION OF KW DEMAND.

The kW of demand billed shall be the greater of the kW demand measured by the Town's meters during any 15-minute interval in the billing month or 80 percent of the contract demand.

4. POWER FACTOR ADJUSTMENT.

Power factor adjustment shall be \$0.25 for all reactive kilovolt-amperes (kVAR), leading or lagging, as registered by a demand meter suitable for measuring a 15-minute interval.

5. EXTRA FACILITIES.

The charges under this rate cover the cost of the facilities required providing service at a standard voltage of/to the Town through one point of service. Any facilities requested by the customer in excess of the cost necessary to provide standard service may be subject to an extra facility charge.

6. SALES TAX.

North Carolina sales taxes in the amount of seven (7) percent will be added to the charges.

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 4
Large General Service Temporary
EIT**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service of any commercial or Industrial facility. Only customers that are classified as an EI customer are eligible for this temporary rate. This rate allows the customer to have power for the purpose of showing the facility for potential future customers. This will allow for the property to be marketed in a more efficient manner. It is not intended to allow for maintenance of the facility. This rate is only available for 14 days.

2. RATE.

- A. Facility Charge:.....\$40.00 per month

- B. Energy Charges:
For all months:
..... \$0.1071 per kWh

3. KW DEMAND.

Demand charges will not be charged for this rate code.

4. SALES TAX.

North Carolina sales taxes in the amount of seven (7) percent will be added to the charges.

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 5
Residential Service
ER**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service to any customer for use in and about:

- (a) a single-family residence, flat or apartment;
- (b) a Combination residence and farm; or
- (c) a private residence used as a boarding and/or rooming house with no more than one cooking installation, nor more than ten bedrooms.

This schedule is not applicable to

- (a) commercial or industrial use including hotels and trailer parks;
- (b) individual motors rated over 15 HP;
- (c) separately metered service to accessory building or equipment on residential property that are not themselves intended for residence; or
- (d) services to combine residential and nonresidential electric load where the residential load is less than 50 percent of the total service equipment.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

- A. Facility Charge:.....\$20.00 per month
- B. Energy Charges:
For all months:
..... \$0.1053 per kWh

3. METER READING AND BILLING.

- A. Meters may be read in units of 10-kilowatt hours and bills render accordingly.
- B. The Town shall have the opinion of reading meters monthly or bimonthly. When the meter is read at other than monthly intervals, the Town may render an interim monthly bill based upon estimated kWh used during periods for which the meter was not read.
- C. When bills are calculated for a bimonthly period, the number of kWh are specified in each block of the Monthly Rate shall be multiplied by two (2) before the rates per kWh are applied to the usage for the bimonthly period. The minimum charge will also be multiplied by two (2) when bills are calculated bimonthly.

4. SALES TAX.

North Carolina sales taxes in the amount of seven (7) percent will be added to the charges.

TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 6
Neighborhood Entrance Sign Lighting Service
NESL

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service to any customer for use in and about:

- (a) neighborhood residential entrance sign lighting (fixtures to be owned by neighborhood)

This schedule is not applicable to

- (a) a single-family residence, flat or apartment;
- (b) a Combination residence and farm; or
- (c) a private residence used as a boarding and/or rooming house with no more than one cooking installation, nor more than ten bedrooms.
- (d) commercial or industrial use including hotels and trailer parks;
- (e) individual motors rated over 15 HP;
- (f) separately metered service to accessory building or equipment on residential property that are not themselves intended for residence; or
- (g) services to combine residential and nonresidential electric load where the residential load is less than 50 percent of the total service equipment.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

- A. Facility Charge:\$7.50 per month
- B. Energy Charges for all months:
 - First 800 kWh \$0.1151 per kWh
 - All over 800 kWh \$0.1074 per kWh

3. METER READING AND BILLING.

- A. Meters may be read in units of 10-kilowatt hours and bills render accordingly.
- B. The Town shall have the opinion of reading meters monthly or bimonthly. When the meter is read at other than monthly intervals, the Town may render an interim monthly bill based upon estimated kWh used during periods for which the meter was not read.
- C. When bills are calculated for a bimonthly period, the number of kWh are specified in each block of the Monthly Rate shall be multiplied by two (2) before the rates per kWh are applied to the usage for the bimonthly period. The minimum charge will also be multiplied by two (2) when bills are calculated bimonthly.

4. SALES TAX.

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TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 7
Outdoor Lighting
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1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to any customer for outdoor lighting service except where installations are prevented by any public authority having jurisdiction or are otherwise unlawful.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

A. Metallic Vapor Units (Mean Rating) per light

70W Sodium Vapor	\$14.50
100W Sodium Vapor	\$16.56
150W Sodium Vapor	\$17.96
250W Sodium Vapor	\$23.58
400W Sodium Vapor	\$35.79
1000W Sodium Vapor	\$57.94
Wood Pole	\$2.00
Underground Service<150 feet	\$85.00
Underground Service>150 feet	\$85.00 plus \$ 3.00/ft >150 ft

B. The applicable North Carolina sales tax will be added to all charges listed above, except billings to federal and state agencies.

3. TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The complete installation is to be furnished, maintained and operated by the Town of Winterville and will remain the property of the town. The type of fixture and method of installation shall be in accordance with the Town's Standards.

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Electrical Rate Schedule No. 8
Power Cost Adjustment
PCA**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to the separately metered electric service to any customer for use in association with the previous mentioned metered schedules.

This schedule is also applicable to any customer of Electricity and applies to all schedules including schedule 1,2,3,4,5,6 of this document

This rate is a flexible rate that can be adjusted to move as energy markets fluctuate. It will be used as needed to assist the Town with market increases of wholesale power cost. The rate will be approved by the Town Council and enacted upon their direction.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

- A. Energy Charges for all months:
All kWh \$0.00 per kWh
- B. The applicable North Carolina sales tax will be added to all charges listed above, except billings to federal and state agencies.

3. METER READING AND BILLING.

- A. Meters may be read in units of 10-kilowatt hours and bills render accordingly.
- B. The Town shall have the opinion of reading meters monthly or bimonthly. When the meter is read at other than monthly intervals, the Town may render an interim monthly bill based upon estimated kWh used during periods for which the meter was not read.
- C. When bills are calculated for a bimonthly period, the number of kWh are specified in each block of the Monthly Rate shall be multiplied by two (2) before the rates per kWh are applied to the usage for the bimonthly period. The minimum charge will also be multiplied by two (2) when bills are calculated bimonthly.

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TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Water and Sewer
Rates

Water:

Rate Code – W.I. (Water Inside):

First 3,000 Gallons @ \$22.40
Next..... 17,000 Gallons @ \$3.31 per 1000 Gallons
All Over 20,000 Gallons @ \$3.31 per 1000 Gallons

Rate Code- W.O. (Water Outside)

First 3,000 Gallons @ \$44.80
Next..... 17,000 Gallons @ \$6.62 per 1000 Gallons
All Over 20,000 Gallons @ \$6.62 per 1000 Gallons

Sewer:

Rate Code – S.I. (Sewer Inside)

First 3,000 Gallons @ \$41.33
Next 17,000 Gallons @ \$8.57 per 1000 Gallons
All Over 20,000 Gallons @ \$7.01 per 1000 Gallons

Rate Code – S.O. (Sewer Outside)

First 3,000 Gallons @ \$75.15
Next..... 17,000 Gallons @ \$17.14 per 1000 Gallons
All Over 20,000 Gallons @ \$14.02 per 1000 Gallons

TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Stormwater
Rates

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to any utility customer or lot owner for which there is an impervious surface in the Town of Winterville's city limits.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

Single Family Residents: A flat fee of \$4.00 per customer regardless of the amount of impervious surface on the resident's domain. The fee shall equate to one (1) ERU.

Commercial / Business: A fee of \$4.00 per unit will apply to commercial property for impervious surface area on the property. The fee will apply to each 2,000 square feet of impervious surface on the property.

ERU = (Equivalent Residential Unit) = 2,000 square feet of impervious area.

ERU's will be calculated by the Winterville Planning Department with any available resource such as aerial photos, plans and specifications, or any other reasonable method or tool deemed appropriate.

**TOWN OF WINTERVILLE
Service Charge and Penalty
Rates**

1. APPLICABILITY.

This schedule is applicable to all customers receiving utilities in the form of electric service, water service, and sewer service from the town.

2. MONTHLY RATE.

Service Charges – \$25.00 – The service charge is applied to all new utility accounts. This is applicable to all utilities offered by the town.

Late Fee – \$2.00 - The late fee is applied to all accounts that have a balance above \$0.00 as of the 15th of the month for cycle one and 30th of the month for cycle two. This is applied one day after the due date, which is on the 15th and 30th of each month.

Delinquent Fee - \$25.00 - The late penalty is applied to all accounts that have a balance above \$20.00 as of the 27th of the month for cycle one and 12th of the month for cycle two. This is one day after the past due date, which is on the 26th and the 11th of each month.

3. CALENDAR SITUATIONS.

In situations when the 15th/30th or the 26th/11th of the month fall on a weekend or holiday the customer will have the next business day to pay the bill without penalty.

Adopted this the 10th day of June 2024.



Richard E. Hines, Mayor

ATTEST:

Donald Harvey, Town Clerk