

Member-Initiated Line Extension and Upgrade Costs

Hendricks Power Cooperative

Single-Phase

New Line Extensions Underground or Overhead

The member is not charged for the first 250 feet of primary or secondary. Every foot beyond that point is \$5 per foot, whether the footage is primary or secondary. Boring is charged out at \$12 per foot, even if it is within the first 250 ft (50 ft of bore is allowed at no cost if it eliminates the need to set an additional pole). Contact the engineering department for charges for seasonal or non-residential services.

HPC prefers to keep secondary service wires under 150 feet total length. HPC prefers to keep individual span lengths of overhead triplex under 100 ft.

Overhead to Underground Service

There will be a Minimum charge of \$500 for converting overhead to underground, either primary or secondary wires. The charge is \$5 per foot for trenching or \$12 per foot for boring.

Relocating or Upgrading Existing Services

There will be a Minimum charge of \$500 for relocating or upgrading services. If facilities to be relocated or upgraded are limited to service wires feeding existing meters, cost will be \$5 per foot for trenching or \$12 per foot for boring. If facilities to be relocated or upgraded include transformers, primary conductors, or other facilities other than service wires, a labor only cost estimate of work to be done will determine actual charges **except changing out a transformer due to size is not normally charged to the member**. For any estimates over \$1,000, actual charges will have to be approved by management.

Upgrading a service to 200 amps or 400 amps will not always require an appointment. If the existing transformer and wire sizes are sufficient, there will not be any reason to upgrade existing facilities. The electrician can call operations and schedule an appointment to have the service disconnected and reconnected when the electrician's work is done.

Upgrading to 600 amps or 800 amps will require the member to fill out a load sheet of current loads and additional loads before an appointment is made.

Relocating Existing Poles

There will be a Minimum charge of \$500 per pole for relocating existing poles. A labor only cost estimate of work to be done will determine actual charges. For any estimates that average over \$1,000 per pole, actual charges will have to be approved by management.

Setting Member Poles

Charge for setting a pole for a member is \$600 (cost of the pole plus \$300 labor).

After Hours and Weekend Charge Rates

Disconnects and reconnects to accommodate service upgrades will not be charged if work is performed during normal work schedules. Contact operations department for charge rates for scheduling work after hours and weekends. The member is not charged for emergency disconnects.

Note: Costs include overheads.