

# New Service Agreement

All sections and pages of this agreement must be completed before staking appointment can be set.

An agreement made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, between \_\_\_\_\_ (hereinafter called the "Applicant") an individual, partnership, corporation (strike two) and MiEnergy Cooperative (hereinafter called the "Cooperative"). The Applicant attests to be the owner of the service location OR has the authority to make this application and execute all the necessary documents.

### Applicant's Mailing Address

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Home Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

### Address of New Service (if different than mailing address)

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Township \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

Electrician \_\_\_\_\_ Electrician's Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

### Check all of the following that apply to this service:

Site Excavation  Well  Septic System  Residential  Recreational  Agriculture  Commercial

The Cooperative will construct, own and maintain all electrical equipment up to the meter location in accordance with the following requirements:

1. **Application Fee:** A nonrefundable fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) plus applicable sales tax shall be paid by the Applicant and must accompany this agreement. If you are unsure of the sales tax amount, please call the cooperative. Re-application and fee are necessary if the Applicant does not proceed with the project within one year.
2. **Monthly Minimum Charge:** The Applicant shall guarantee payment of the minimum monthly charge, as established in the applicable retail rate, for a period of sixty (60) consecutive months. The cooperative may require this minimum payment be paid in advance if it believes circumstances are such that the service may not remain on a continuing basis or have limited electrical usage.
3. **Line Extension.** A line extension charge may be required due to distance, significant investment and risk the Cooperative makes for line extensions. The line extension charge shall be paid by the Applicant prior to the start of construction.
4. **Application Form:** A signed application form is required to become a member and receive service. This application allows the privileges of voting and participation in the Cooperative's activities.
5. **Right-of-way Clearance:** The Applicant shall provide and pay the cost for the initial right-of-way clearing for the line extension done in accordance with the Cooperative's specifications.
6. **Construction of Service:** The line extension shall be scheduled for construction after the following is completed:
  - A. All necessary payments and documents have been received by the Cooperative.
  - B. Right-of-way clearing completed and accepted by the Cooperative.
  - C. Wiring affidavit received by the Cooperative.
7. **Billing:** Starts upon availability of the electric service.
8. **Ownership:** It is understood and agreed between the parties hereto and expressly granted by the Member that the title and ownership in and to all material and equipment up to and ending at the Member's end of the service extension shall be and is the exclusive property of the Cooperative free from any claim or charge of any nature whatsoever and the Member hereby grants and conveys unto the Cooperative, its successors or assigns, all reasonable and necessary right-of-ways, permits and easements for construction and maintenance of Cooperative property on the real estate of the member.
9. **Certification of Energy Conservation Compliance for New Structures (IOWA ONLY):** The Applicant hereby certifies that the structure served by new electric service line, if intended primarily for human occupancy, conforms to the energy conservation requirements adopted under the Iowa Administrative Code sub-rules 661-303.2 and 661-303.3.

By signing this agreement, the Applicant accepts its provisions. Signatures of the Applicant should include both husband and wife for a joint account, all partners in a partnership and majority of officers in a corporation. **A copy of Property Deed or Certificate of Survey must be included with this agreement.** All partners or officers of Applicant agree to be individually responsible for this agreement.

Applicant(s) signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_