

## **TAYLOR ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE APPLICATION FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE**

The undersigned (herein after called the "Applicant") does hereby apply for service by Taylor Electric Cooperative (herein after called the "Cooperative").

In consideration of the acceptance of this application and the construction of electric lines for the purpose of furnishing electric service, to the Applicant by the Cooperative, the Applicant agrees to the following terms and conditions:

1. Applicant shall comply with and be bound by the Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Policies and such other rules and regulations as may from time to time be adopted by the Board of Directors of the Cooperative. Upon acceptance into membership, this application will constitute a contractual agreement between the Cooperative and the Applicant. The Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, Policies and such other rules and regulations as may from time to time be adopted by the Board of Directors shall be a part of that contract.

2. The Applicant acknowledges that he or she has reviewed Cooperative Board Policy 2.02 governing this application for membership, deposits and connection fees, and agrees to provide the Cooperative with personally identifiable information requested by this Application pursuant to that Policy.

3. The Applicant shall purchase from the Cooperative not less than the minimum amount of electric energy that shall from time to time be established by the board of directors. The Applicant shall further be responsible to pay a minimum monthly facility charge. Applicant shall pay monthly for such energy and facility charge in compliance with the Cooperative's Bylaws, Policies, rules and regulations while a customer thereof.

4. Upon acceptance as a member of the Cooperative, the Applicant grants the Cooperative a perpetual right of way for the construction, maintenance, clearing and operation of electric distribution and communication lines and appurtenances over, under and along property owned by the Applicant. The Applicant shall, when requested, execute and deliver without cost to the Cooperative any and all easements and affidavits necessary to confirm such rights.

5. The Applicant's electric service shall comply with the Wisconsin Electric Code as well as other applicable governmental building, zoning and wiring codes and regulations and the Cooperative's standards for electric wiring. Applicant agrees to maintain all wiring, motors, and electrical equipment in a manner suitable for safe use and without interfering with electric service to other Cooperative members or with the Cooperative's electric system. The Cooperative reserves the right to terminate electric service if in the opinion of the Cooperative the condition of the wiring facilities is hazardous. The Cooperative may require Applicant to show any permits required under building and zoning ordinances and Applicant shall provide certification of code compliance before service is connected.

6. Applicant assumes no personal liability or responsibility for any debts or liabilities of the Cooperative.

7. Acceptance of an application for membership made by any person who is married shall automatically be deemed an acceptance of the applicant and his or her spouse as joint tenant members with right of survivorship unless such Applicant directs otherwise in writing.

8. Applicant agrees to pay the full cost of installation and removal for any new service constructed for said Applicant if disconnected at the property owner's request within five years after installation, including but not limited to any unrecovered costs in excess of the Applicant's contribution in aid of construction.

9. The Cooperative shall have the right of access to the Applicant's property for the purpose of reading, repairing, replacing or removing meter or related equipment, maintaining any other property of the Cooperative, maintaining easements and rights of way, connecting and disconnecting service and for collecting financial obligations due the Cooperative.

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10. Applicant agrees not to interfere with, impair access to or endanger the Cooperative electrical system. Applicant agrees not to dig, excavate or grade without providing advance notice to the Cooperative and Diggers Hotline and without the Cooperative's consent so as to avoid injury or death to persons or damage to property.

11. Applicant acknowledges that the delivery of electric service may at times be interrupted by a variety of causes beyond the reasonable control of the Cooperative including weather conditions, vandalism, animals, and other interruptions. Applicant assumes the risk of such potential service interruptions, and the Cooperative is not liable for any damages resulting from the interruption of electric energy service to Applicant.

12. The Cooperative shall have a security interest in any capital credits as security for any and all obligations owed by the Applicant to the Cooperative.

13. Is this your primary residence? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE:**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Social Security No. /FEIN.: **Please contact 715-678-2411-  
application not complete without this information**

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Driver's License/Govt Issued ID.: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Circle as applicable: Individual/Corporation/Limited Liability Company/Trust/Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
***Attach written evidence of authority to act on behalf of entity applicant, if applicable.***

**CONSENT TO CONTACT:** Applicant hereby consents to receive information from the Cooperative by the following means (check all applicable).  voicemail/answering machine to # \_\_\_\_\_  text message (charges may apply) to # \_\_\_\_\_  email: \_\_\_\_\_

**PAPER BILLS:** By providing a valid email address, Applicant(s) consent to receive electronic bills (e-bills).

**Check this box to continue to receive paper bills.**

**ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE AUTHENTICATION:** By checking this box, I/We agree to Taylor Electric Cooperative's membership terms and conditions as set forth above, and I/We are authenticating the above signatures as the person(s) named above upon electronically submitting this application.

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**For office use:**

Account Location #: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Customer: \_\_\_\_\_