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## APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP AND/OR FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Applicant") herby applies for membership in and agrees to purchase electric energy from Callaway Electric Cooperative (hereinafter called the "Cooperative") upon the following terms and conditions:

1. The Applicant states that (he) (she) (they) is-are the owner of property listed below or a tenant pursuant to a valid and effective lease, and the Applicant shall, if requested to do so, show proof of ownership or legal tenancy by providing a copy of the deed, lease or other documentation.

2. The Applicant will pay to the Cooperative the sum of \$5.00, which, if accepted by the Cooperative, will constitute the Applicant's membership fee. The membership fee will be credited to the account on the final bill.

3. The Applicant will also pay to the Cooperative a deposit in an amount set by Policy #302 as a security for payment of electric service furnished Applicant. This amount will be credited to the account of the final bill and any portion of the deposit remaining after full payment of final bill will be refunded to the Applicant without interest.

4. Any Applicant with a 2s meter installed at their premises may elect to receive electric service via pre-paid metering.

5. Applicants with a current write off balance will, as a condition to receiving service, either pay the full amount of the write off balance, or elect to receive service via pre-paid metering. If the Applicant selects pre-pay metering they will be responsible for payment, in addition to the membership fee and required deposit amount, \$100 to be applied equally to future energy usage and the amount of the write off balance.

6. The Applicant will, when electric energy becomes available, purchase from the Cooperative all electric energy used on the premises described below and will pay therefore monthly at rates to be determined from time to time in accordance with the bylaws of the Cooperative, provided, however, that the Cooperative may limit the amount of electric energy to be of kilowatt hours consumed.

7. The Applicant certifies that ONE box marked is the predominant use of electricity. If energy purchased results in a sales tax liability due to use other than stated, the Applicant assumes responsibility for remitting such tax due directly to the Director, Missouri Department of Revenue.

HOUSEHOLD	HOUSE WELL	GRAIN DRYING	FARMING BARN	FARM WELL	CABIN
DAIRY BARN	RENTAL HOUSE	OTHER, Specify			

9. The Applicant will comply with and be bound by the provisions of the charter and bylaws of the Cooperative, and such rules and regulations as may from time to time be adopted by the Cooperative.

10. The Applicant, by paying a membership fee and becoming a member, assumes no personal liability or responsibility for any debts or liabilities of the Cooperative, and it is expressly understood that under the law his private property is exempt from execution of any such debts or liabilities.

11. I, as a condition of membership in the Cooperative, will, after consultation with the Cooperative, grant to Cooperative, electric distribution easements without charge on and through my property to provide service extensions to myself and other adjoining members, as well as to perform necessary maintenance and service upgrades.

12. The Applicant hereby consents to and authorizes the Cooperative, in connection with this application, to utilize Applicant's Social Security Number and other personal information to perform an investigation of the Applicant's creditworthiness with credit reporting agencies retained by the Cooperative for such purpose.

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Customer #:\_\_\_\_

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13. I agree that in the event it is necessary for the Cooperative to hire outside agencies, consultants or attorneys to pursue collection activities for amounts owed by me to the Cooperative I agree to reimburse the Cooperative for all cost of such outside agencies, consultants or attorneys, in addition to the original amount owed by the member. Prior to refunding any amounts owed, including capital credits, I agree that the Cooperative shall be entitled to offset such refund against any amounts owed by me, including cost of collections efforts.

The acceptance of this application by the Cooperative shall constitute an agreement between the Applicant and the Cooperative, and the undersigned agrees to purchase from the Cooperative all central station electric power and energy used on Applicant's premises and, upon Applicant's request, on any other premises which the Applicant may acquire, or to which Applicant may remove, or require additional service connection(s) to be made, for so long as premises are in an area served by the Cooperative and meets and-or conforms to existing Cooperative extension policies.

\$3.50 of the amount accruing to me each year is for a year's subscription to "Rural Missouri". In the event that the amount accruing to me is insufficient to cover the price of the subscription, I authorize the board of directors to pay for it out of the amounts paid by me for electric service.

## **RECURRING MEMBERSHIP:**

If apply for recurring membership,

1. I understand that I must notify the Cooperative of the approximate desired dates of connection and disconnection of electric services at my premises. Upon making any such request I understand that I will be required to provide proof of identity, including but not limited to, the last four (4) digits of my social security number.

2. I intend, and hereby direct the Cooperative, to keep this Application on file for a period of no more than thirty-six (36) months from the date of last disconnect. If directed to do so, the Cooperative will use the information contained in the Application to reconnect service to my premises identified above. It is my responsibility to update this Application as and when necessary.

3. I acknowledge that upon the Cooperative disconnecting electric service, as requested by me, any refunds of membership fees or deposits due me will not be paid, but instead will be kept on account by the Cooperative, in a separate account for me, without interest, until I request service reconnection. If such funds are insufficient to satisfy the membership fee or deposits required, I agree to pay any necessary and further amounts prior to reconnect of service. If after twenty-four (24) months I have not requested a reconnection of service, refunds will be made to me of the membership fee and deposit.

Applicant Name Applicant Name		SSN	DOB		
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Primary Phone #		Secondary Phone # _	Secondary Phone #		
Mailing	Address				
Service	Address				
Email Address					
	Applicant Signature	Date			
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Accepted by		Date			
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