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APPLICATION AND AGREEMENT FOR MEMBERSHIP AND ELECTRIC SERVICE

Name: _____
First *Middle* *Last*

Name of Co-Applicant: _____
First *Middle* *Last*

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Physical address where electric service will be located: _____

Service Description: House_____ Mobile Home_____ Apartment_____ Business_____ Cabin_____
 Grain Bin_____ Irrigation_____ Well_____ Barn_____ Other_____ *Describe*

Do you own or rent where this electric service is located: _____Own _____Rent

If rented, landowner's name, address and phone number: _____

Applicant

Home Phone: _____
 Work Phone: _____
 Cell Phone: _____
 Email Address: _____
 Place of Employment: _____
 SSN/TIN: _____
 Driver's License No.: _____

Co-Applicant

Home Phone: _____
 Work Phone: _____
 Cell Phone: _____
 Email Address: _____
 Place of Employment: _____
 SSN: _____
 Driver's License No.: _____

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Fees and Charges	Property and Account Information	
Connect Fee	\$20	\$ _____
Deposit		\$ _____
Other		\$ _____
		\$ _____
	Total	\$ _____
Payment Received		\$ _____
Balance Due		\$ _____
	Member #	_____
	Account #	_____
	Location #	_____
	County	_____
	Payment of fees taken by:	_____
	Date:	_____

Membership not valid unless last page is signed

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The undersigned Applicant hereby applies for membership in and agrees to purchase electric energy from the Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative (hereinafter referred to as "Cooperative") upon the following terms and conditions:

1. This Application together with the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Cooperative, and such policies, rules and regulations as may be adopted from time to time by the Board of Directors, including but not limited to the existing Service Rules and Regulations, constitutes a contractual agreement between the Applicant and Cooperative effective upon Cooperative's acceptance of this Application. The Applicant shall become a member upon the Cooperative's acceptance of this Application and agrees to comply with and be bound by all of those provisions, including any amendments thereto.
2. The Applicant will pay the Membership Fee established by the Board of Directors, if any. No member may hold more than one membership in the Cooperative.
3. The Applicant will deposit with the Cooperative any deposit required by the Cooperative pursuant to the Service Rules and Regulations; it being expressly understood that such deposit shall be non-interest bearing and that any portion of said deposit exceeding any amount due the Cooperative shall be refunded to the Applicant upon termination of service.
4. The Applicant will pay any other fees or amounts required by the Cooperative which are incidental to providing electric energy at the premises described above pursuant to the Service Rules and Regulations.
5. Applicant hereby grants to Cooperative, its successor and assigns the right to enter upon Applicant's land, and to construct an electric transmission or distribution line, or lines, or systems, voice and/or data communication system(s), or any combination thereof, including all supporting devices ("the Facilities"). Applicant also grants the Cooperative the right to place, reconstruct, rephase, operate, repair, maintain, relocate, and replace the Facilities thereon, overhead and underground, and in or upon all streets, roads, or highways on or abutting said land. The Facilities shall remain the property of the Cooperative. The Cooperative shall also have the right from time to time, to cut down, trim, control the growth of, or eliminate by chemical spray or mechanical means, such trees, shrubbery, and other plant growth under or adjacent to the Facilities and to eliminate present or future hazards to the rendition of adequate service thereby. The Cooperative shall also have the right to apportion the rights herein to third party(ies); and the right to license, permit, or otherwise agree to the joint use or occupancy of the Facilities by any third party(ies). Upon Cooperative's request, Applicant shall execute and deliver to Cooperative an easement in such form as Cooperative may request, evidencing the rights conveyed herein. Any initial installation of the Facilities shall be in a mutually convenient and reasonable location on Applicant's land to be mutually agreed upon by the Cooperative and Applicant prior to installation. Following the initial installation of the Cooperative's facilities, Applicant shall have no right to require relocation of any of the Cooperative's facilities without the express written consent of the Cooperative. The Applicant shall furnish a cleared right-of-way without cost to the Cooperative that is adequate for the extension to the premises described above and along a route approved by the Cooperative. In the event Applicant required three-phase service, Applicant shall be responsible for the installation and maintenance of adequate running overcurrent protective devices to protect against single-phase conditions and phase reversal due to their variability.
6. The Applicant shall furnish a cleared right-of-way without cost to the Cooperative that is adequate for the extension to the premises described above and along a route approved by the Cooperative.
7. The Applicant will, when electric energy becomes available, purchase from the Cooperative all electric energy purchased for use on the premises described above or within Cooperative's service area and will pay therefore monthly or as otherwise scheduled at rates to be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, it being understood that all amounts paid by Applicant in excess of operating costs and expenses of the Cooperative are furnished as capital and each member shall be credited with the capital so furnished as provided in the Bylaws. It is further understood that the Cooperative may limit the amount of electric energy to be furnished for industrial uses. The Applicant will pay monthly or as otherwise scheduled a minimum amount established by the Board of Directors for the class of service regardless of the energy consumed or purchased from Cooperative. Production for use of electric energy on such premises, regardless of the source thereof, by means of facilities which shall be interconnected with Cooperative facilities, shall be subject to appropriate regulations as shall be fixed from time to time by Cooperative.
8. Cooperative endeavors to provide a dependable and continuous supply of electricity at a proper voltage to the Applicant to the best of its ability. Cooperative and Applicant understand it is beyond the control of the Cooperative to completely eliminate interruptions of service. Applicant understands Cooperative is not liable and shall hold

Cooperative harmless, for property damage, direct or indirect, related to interruptions or failure of service caused by factors beyond the control of the Cooperative. Applicant acknowledges it has the right to install code compliant protective electrical equipment to ensure a constant and regulated power supply. Factors considered to be beyond the control of Cooperative for providing continuous electrical service include, but are not limited to, acts of God, public enemies, accidents, strikes, riots, wars, repairs, Court orders, or other acts beyond the control of the Cooperative that cause interruption or failure to the electrical service.

- 9. Applicant warrants that the premises described above are wired and shall be maintained in accordance with Cooperative's specifications and all applicable local, state, and national ordinances, laws and regulations.
- 10. The Applicant hereby authorizes the Cooperative to enter a subscription in Applicant's name to the Wisconsin Electric Cooperative News, or any other similar publication, to be paid for by the Cooperative out of monthly deposits made by Applicant and other members for electric service in the same manner as are other expenses of the Cooperative.
- 11. The Applicant hereby grants to the Cooperative a security interest in the capital credits or patronage capital heretofore accrued, or which may accrue, as set forth in the Bylaws.
- 12. Acceptance into membership of any person who is married shall automatically be deemed acceptance of his or her spouse as a joint member unless Applicant otherwise designates in writing on this Application.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Co-Applicant or Spouse

Date

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The above application received on _____, 20____
Date *Year*

By: _____
Signature of Employee