

**EL PASO ELECTRIC COMPANY
TENTH REVISED RATE NO. 1
CANCELLING NINTH REVISED RATE NO. 1**

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE RATE

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APPLICABILITY:

This rate is available for domestic purposes in single family residences or individually metered apartments and non-commercial uses located on the same property and used in connection with the main residence. All service will be delivered at service locations to be designated by the Company.

TERRITORY:

Areas served by the Company in Dona Ana, Sierra, Otero and Luna Counties.

TYPE OF SERVICE:

Service will normally be 120/240 volt, single phase, except that three phase, 120/240 volt service may be provided for motors over 5 HP if economically feasible. Single or three phase motors shall not exceed 10 HP individual capacity without written approval of the Company.

MONTHLY RATE:

\$ 7.00 Customer Charge

Energy Charge	Per kWh
Summer (May through October) : 0 – 600 kWh	\$0.11790
Summer (May through October) : All Other kWh	\$0.13599
Winter (November through April): All kWh	\$0.10790

TIME OF USE MONTHLY RATE:

\$ 7.00 Customer Charge

Energy Charge	Per kWh
On-Peak	\$0.19320
Off-Peak	\$0.10057

On-Peak period shall be from 12:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., Mountain Daylight Time, Monday through Friday, for the months of May through October.

Off-Peak period shall be all other hours not covered in the on-peak period.

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The Time-Of-Use rate is subject to the provisions found under Terms and Conditions.

FPPCAC:

All service taken under this rate is subject to the provisions of the Company's Tariff Rate Number 18, entitled FPPCAC.

EFFICIENT USE OF ENERGY RECOVERY FACTOR (EUERF):

All service taken under this rate is subject to the provisions of the Company's Tariff Rate Number 17, entitled Efficient Use of Energy Recovery Factor (EUERF).

TAX ADJUSTMENT:

Billings under this rate may be increased by an amount equal to the sum of taxes payable under the Gross Receipts and Compensating Tax Act and of all other taxes, fees or charges (exclusive of ad valorem, state and federal income taxes) payable by the utility and levied or assessed by any governmental authority on the public utility service rendered, or on the right or privilege of rendering the service, or on any object or event incidental to the rendition of the service.

VOLUNTARY RENEWABLE ENERGY:

This rate is subject to the provisions of the Company's Rate No. 32, Voluntary Renewable Energy Rate.

TERMS OF PAYMENT:

All bills under this rate are due and payable when rendered and become delinquent twenty (20) calendar days thereafter.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The Company's Rules and Regulations apply to service under this rate.

This rate is available under the following conditions:

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1. For a single household or single family for domestic purposes in individual private residences or individually metered apartments.

When it is evident, both visually and/or electrically, that activity of a business or professional character is being conducted in the residence, service will be supplied on the appropriate commercial rate; however, the portion used as living quarters may be wired and metered separately and served on the Residential Service rate.

2. For separately metered living quarters recognized as single-family living quarters for domestic home use.
3. Service under this rate shall include home lighting and residential power for operation of household appliances.
4. Single-phase motors for domestic use may not exceed 10 horsepower (HP) without the written approval of the Company. The use of all single-phase motors over 5 HP must be approved by the Company concerning the motor's lock rotor amperes.
5. If three-phase service is supplied, sizes of motors and other loads will be subject to Company approval. Three-phase service is only available if it is existing at the location or economically feasible to bring to the location.
6. Wiring may be extended from the residence circuit to private garages, barns and similar structures and/or wells which are located on the same property as the residence and used exclusively for domestic purposes in connection with the residence.
7. For residences where rooms are rented or meals served to boarders if this is incidental to the maintenance of a private residence.

In addition to the above, the Time-Of-Use (TOU) rate is available under the following conditions:

1. Under TOU, a meter will be installed at the Customer's location that allows the Customer to pay for electricity based on the time of day it is used. The meter will record the amount of electricity used during two mutually-exclusive time periods. These periods are an on-peak period of 12:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., Mountain Daylight Time, Monday through Friday, for the

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months of May through October, and an off-peak period that includes all other hours not covered in the on-peak period.

2. The Customer agrees to remain on the TOU rate for a minimum of twelve (12) months. At any time after the initial twelve (12) months, the Customer may request removal from the TOU rate.
3. The Customer agrees that TOU billing will become effective with the first complete billing cycle following installation of the TOU meter.

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