

**ELECTRIC RATE
RESIDENTIAL HEAT PUMP RATE (RHP)
Revision 15**

- I. EFFECTIVE IN:** All areas served retail by Stillwater Electric Utility, hereinafter referred to as SEU, of the Stillwater Utilities Authority.
- II. AVAILABILITY:** Alternating current for domestic use in a residential dwelling unit. Service will be supplied at one location for the entire electrical requirements of the customer and shall be at a nominal secondary voltage of 120/240 volts single phase unless specifically agreed to by SEU. No resale, breakdown, auxiliary or supplementary service permitted.

The application of this rate schedule is limited to residential consumers which use a *heat pump* for all heating and cooling needs within the residence. *Service under this rate requires that the customer must be using a functional heat pump as the primary source of heating and cooling (HVAC) for the residence. SUA will verify the existence and operation of the heat pump prior to providing service under this rate. Any change in the HVAC equipment shall require another inspection by SUA to determine compliance with this requirement. Failure to inform SUA of any such change may result in back-billing for correction of energy charges under the correct electric rate.*

Service will be furnished in accordance with the SEU Rules, Regulations, and Conditions of Service, and the Rules and Regulations of the City of Stillwater and the Stillwater Utilities Authority.

- III. CUSTOMER CHARGE:** \$9.50 per bill per month.
- IV. ENERGY CHARGE:**
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| Summer: | All kWh: | \$0.10463 per kWh |
| Winter: | First 600 kWh: | \$0.09688 per kWh |
| | All exceeding 600 kWh: | \$0.05918 per kWh |
- V. MINIMUM BILL:** The minimum monthly bill shall be the Customer Charge. SEU shall specify a larger minimum monthly bill, calculated in accordance with SEU's Allowable Expenditure Formula in its Terms and Conditions of Service when necessary to justify the investment required to provide service
- VI. LATE PAYMENT CHARGE:** A late payment charge in an amount equal to ten per cent (10%) of the total amount due on each monthly bill as calculated under this Rate Schedule or \$2,500, whichever is less, will be added if the bill is not paid on or before the due date stated on the bill. The due date shall be twenty-one (21) days after the bill is mailed.

VII. SAMPLE CALCULATION:

- SUMMER**
1. Multiply kWh X \$0.10463.
 2. Multiply kWh X PCA.
 3. Total Steps 1 and 2.
 4. Add \$9.50 monthly charge.
 5. Multiply total of Step 4 by applicable tax.

- WINTER**
1. First 600 kWh per month: multiply kWh X \$0.09688.
 2. All additional kWh per month: multiply kWh X \$0.05918.
 3. Multiply total kWh X PCA.
 4. Total Steps 1, 2 and 3.
 5. Add monthly charge of \$9.50.
 6. Multiply total of Step 5 by applicable tax.

VIII. TERM: Open.

IX. DEFINITIONS:

- A. Billing Month:** A period of approximately 30 days extending from the previous meter reading date to the present meter reading date
- B. Summer Season:** The summer season shall include the customer usage months starting on May 1 and ending on September 30.
- C. Winter Season:** The winter season shall be the customer usage months starting on October 1 and ending on April 30.
- D. Production Cost Adjustment (PCA):** A factor determined by SEU and applied to the cost of energy used by the consumer to account for variations in the cost of generating or purchasing power.

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