

**ELECTRIC RATE RIDER  
LOAD CURTAILMENT RIDER (LC)**

- I. RIDER APPLICATION:** This rider is a customer-requested modification which may be used in conjunction with the Power and Light Rates for primary and secondary metered customers, Rates PL-P and PL-S. All provisions of those tariffs apply, except as amended by this rate.
- II. AVAILABILITY:** This rate is available upon application by the customer and acceptance by the utility, to customers served under the PL-P and PL-S rates with demonstrated load curtailment capability of 300 KW or greater. The total aggregate load curtailment of all customers served under this rider may not exceed 20 MW; customers which would increase the curtailed load beyond that value will not be accepted. This rate schedule shall not apply if a service interruption resulting from system-emergency operating conditions should occur. No resale, breakdown, auxiliary, or supplementary service is permitted without approval of the Stillwater Electric Utility (SEU).
- III. DEFINITIONS:**
- A. **Curtailed Load:** The Curtailed Load shall be the difference between the Maximum Demand and the Contract Demand.
  - B. **Contract Demand:** The demand value specified by the consumer which SEU is expected to continue to supply during any Load Curtailment Period. The Contract Demand may be modified after each month of the Summer Season during the first year. After the first year, this demand value may be specified once per year.
  - C. **Curtable Load:** That load specified by the consumer as available to be disconnected from the SEU system during any Load Curtailment Period
  - D. **Summer Season:** The summer season shall include the customer usage months starting on May 1 and ending on September 30.
  - E. **Load Curtailment Period:** The period of time during which Curtable Loads are to be disconnected from the SEU system.
- IV. DETERMINATION OF BILLING DEMAND:** During the summer season, the Billing Demand shall be the PL-P or PL-S Maximum Demand value minus 75 percent of the Curtailed Load. The resulting quantity shall be corrected for power factor as stated in the PL-P and PL-S rates.
- V. DETERMINATION OF MINIMUM BILLING DEMAND:** During the summer season, the Minimum Billing Demand shall be zero. For the following seven non-summer season months, through May of the next year, the Minimum Billing Demand shall be 65 percent of the Contract Demand corrected for the current month's power factor.
- VI. NOTICE OF CURTAILMENT:** The Utility shall provide at least 60 minutes of advance notice before a Load Curtailment Period is to begin.
- VII. LOAD CURTAILMENT PERIODS:**
- A. SEU shall be responsible for determining when periods of load curtailment are necessary.
  - B. Load Curtailment Periods will only occur during the Summer Season months.
  - C. Load Curtailment Period may only occur during weekdays from 2:01 PM through 8:00 PM. Load Curtailment Periods will not be requested on Saturdays, Sundays, or the observed holidays of Memorial Day, Independence Day, and Labor Day.

- D. The total aggregate Load Curtailment Period time shall not exceed 175 hours in any calendar year.
- VIII. NON-COMPLIANCE PROVISIONS:** If the consumer fails to reduce demand to the Contract Demand during any Load Curtailment Period, the Curtailed Load will be zero for the determination of the Billing Demand for that billing period.
- IX. FAILURE TO CURTAIL:** If the consumer fails to curtail as requested, the consumer is in default of the provisions of this Rider. In such event, SEU may remove the consumer from the rider without penalty to SEU.
- X. INAPPROPRIATE ACTIONS BY THE CONSUMER:** If it is determined at any time that the consumer is manipulating the rider so as to reduce the benefit expected by SEU, the consumer is in default and will be removed from this rider without penalty to SEU.
- XI. RESTRICTIONS:**
- A. The total aggregate curtailment capacity available to all consumers served under the Load Curtailment rider shall not exceed 20 MW. Consumers applying for service under this rider after contracts for the available capacity have been issued shall be placed on a priority list according to date of application. They shall be served when additional capacity becomes available.
- B. This rider is not available to consumers being served under the Time of Use rider.

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