



# Vigilante Electric Cooperative

A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative 

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## RATE SCHEDULE GS - COMMERCIAL

### Three Phase Service - 0 to 1 MW

Availability: Three Phase service for all uses up to 1 MW subject to rules and regulations established by the cooperative.

Rate Per Month:

Energy Charge: All kwh used per month at 4.981¢ per kwh.

plus the **higher** of:

Demand Charge: All KW of billing demand per month at \$3.50 per KW.

**or**

KVA Charge: A charge of \$1.10 per KVA of transformer capacity, but not less than \$27.50 per month or greater than \$110.00 per month.

Minimum Charge Per Month:

Shall be the KVA Charge.

Determination of Billing Demand:

The billing demand shall be the maximum kilowatt demand established by the consumer for any period of thirty consecutive minutes during the month for which the bill is rendered, as indicated or recorded by the demand meter and adjusted for power factor as provided below. Where motor loads are served, the cooperative may at its option determine billing demand by test basis or by using the nameplate horsepower of motors served multiplied by a conversion factor of 0.75.

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Power Factor Adjustment:

The consumer agrees to maintain unity power factor as nearly as practicable. The measured demand will be adjusted for consumers with 50 KW or more of measured demand to correct for average power factors lower than 90%, and may be so adjusted for other consumers if and when the cooperative deems necessary. Such adjustments will be made by increasing the measured demand 1% for each 1% by which the average power factor is less than 90% lagging.

Three-Phase:

At the option of the cooperative, three-phase service may be provided by a phase converter furnished by the cooperative, in which case service will be billed on the GS Rate. If the consumer elects to install, own, and maintain the phase converter, service will be billed on the A Rate. The cooperative reserves the right to determine that the use of a phase converter is appropriate for the consumer in question.

Motor Starting Equipment:

At the option of the cooperative reduced voltage motor starting equipment may be required for large loads.

Temporary Service:

The consumer shall pay all costs of construction and removal; plus the cost of the energy used, under the above rate schedule.

Terms of Payment:

If the current monthly bill is not paid within 30 days from the due date, the account becomes delinquent and subject to a 1½% per month interest charge. The account may be disconnected and some arrangement must be made with the office for further service.

Board Approved: October 23, 2019

EFFECTIVE DATE: For all usage on or after January 1, 2020