

FIRELANDS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.
PO BOX 32, NEW LONDON, OH 44851 – (419) 929-1571 – (800) 533-8658
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP AND ELECTRIC SERVICE

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Applicant"), hereby applies for membership in and agrees to purchase electric energy to be used at the below-listed location (the "Premises") from Firelands Electric Cooperative, Inc. (hereinafter called the "Cooperative"), upon the following terms and conditions:

1. On or before the due date of each billing Applicant shall pay, at rates fixed by the Board of Trustees of the Cooperative, all charges for electric energy and/or other services used at the Premises. In the event Applicant does not pay, in addition to all other available remedies, the Cooperative may discontinue service and before service will be resumed may require Applicant to pay for all electric energy previously used, other resulting charges and make deposit as required by the Cooperative.
2. Applicant authorizes the Cooperative to enter upon the Premises for the purpose of establishing, installing, maintaining and removing electric and/or other services.
3. Applicant agrees to comply with and be bound by the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation and the Code of Regulations of the Cooperative and any amendments thereto, and such policies, rules, and regulations as from time to time may be adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Cooperative. The Board of Trustees is entitled to change, eliminate or create new rules and regulations, in its discretion, without prior notice.
4. As a condition of membership, Applicant shall and herein does apply for a subscription to the Cooperative's monthly publication, *Country Living*, and agrees that the monthly charges for electric service shall include the cost of such subscription. The current rate for such subscription is \$ _____ per month (\$ _____ per year).
5. Applicant shall cause the premises to be wired in accordance with the National Electric Code, and any other specifications that may be required by the Cooperative, and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Cooperative against any claim, expense, injury, loss or damage resulting from defect in or improper use or maintenance thereof. In no event shall the responsibility of the Cooperative extend beyond the point at which its service wires connect to the consumer's service wires, as defined in the Cooperative's policies, rules and regulations.
6. By signing this agreement the Applicant acknowledges and agrees that the Cooperative has an easement to provide service to the applicant, and others, and that the Cooperative has access to that easement. Upon request of the Cooperative, based upon reasonable terms and conditions, the Applicant agrees to grant to the Cooperative one or more written right-of-way easements for extending and furnishing service to the Applicant, or any other Cooperative member, or for any other need of the Cooperative in constructing, operating and maintaining its electric system. The Applicant recognizes the Cooperative's right to completely clear any right-of-way of potential hazards to the Cooperative's electrical system.

The acceptance of this application by the Cooperative will constitute an agreement between the Applicant and the Cooperative, and the contract for electric service shall continue in force until canceled by notice given by either party to the other.

TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT: (Please Print)

Name _____ Social Security No. _____

Address _____

Home/Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Spouse's Name _____ Social Security No. _____

Employer & Address _____

Spouse's Employer & Address _____

Work Phone _____ Spouse Work Phone _____

IF BUSINESS:

Type of Business _____ Federal ID No. _____

IF RENTAL:

Landlord _____ Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

Phone _____ Phone _____

Applicant Signature _____ **Date** _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY COOPERATIVE:

Membership/Capital Credit No. _____ Account No. _____

Map Loc. _____ Service Address _____

Credit letter OR Deposit \$ _____ Date Paid _____

UA's checked CSA's checked

Connect/Transfer Date _____ Processed by _____

NOTES: _____



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Instructions for Completing Easement and Right-of-Way Agreement

1. All blank lines need to be completed or filled in. Most of this information can be obtained from the written description of the property, from the deed, or from courthouse records.
2. If you know the volume number or page number in which your deed is recorded, please provide this information in the appropriate spaces of the easement (upper left hand corner).
3. Fill in the township and county where property is located.
4. List the lot number and section number of the property. Please include the total acreage for this property.
5. Boundaries:
List the owners of all property that borders your property on the north, east, south, and west. If your property is bounded by a road, please list information in appropriate spaces.
6. The owners of the property (name(s) appearing on property deed) need to sign on the Grantor” lines, then print his/her name below the signatures.
7. The grantors’ signatures must be witnessed by two (2) people (different than grantors). One of these witnesses can be the notary.
8. The notary must complete all the spaces requiring dates. He/she must seal the document, sign it, print or stamp his/her name, and record their commission expiration date.

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Firelands Electric Cooperative Easement and Right-of-Way Agreement

The undersigned grantor(s), for good and valuable consideration received to my/our satisfaction do hereby give and grant to FIRELANDS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., its successors and assigns, an easement and right-of-way on the lands of the undersigned described as follows:

Situated in _____ Township, _____ County, State of Ohio,

and being Lot(s) _____, Section _____ therein, which said lands are Bounded:

on the north by lands now or formerly owned by _____

on the east by lands now or formerly owned by _____

on the south by lands now or formerly owned by _____

on the west by lands now or formerly owned by _____

There is hereby granted to FIRELANDS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., the easements of rights-of-way:

1. To enter upon said lands and therein to construct, reconstruct, relocate, rephrase, repair, operate and maintain on the surface of and/or under or in the sub-surface or underground of said land, and/or in or upon all streets, roads, or highways abutting said lands, electric distribution lines or system together with all usual fixtures and appurtenances as may, by grantee from time to time be deemed necessary for or in connection with the transmission and distribution of electric current.
2. To cut, trim and/or remove and chemically treat and control trees and shrubbery that may interfere with or threaten to endanger the safe operation and maintenance of said lines or systems.

It is understood and agreed by and between the parties that the grantors reserve the right to cultivate or otherwise use said lands in any way not inconsistent with the full use of the rights granted herein; provided, however, that (a) no building, structure, tree or shrubbery shall be placed by the grantors within twenty (20) feet of the center line of the Cooperative's facilities excepting fences, driveways and sidewalks; (b) no excavations deeper than eighteen (18) inches shall be made within (20) feet of the said center line of any sub-surface or underground facilities of the

