

CROW WING COOPERATIVE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY**Minnesota 56 – Crow Wing**

TITLE: INTERCONNECTED DISTRIBUTED GENERATION RESOURCES

OBJECTIVE: To define and set forth the responsibilities and obligations of both the Cooperative and Member concerning Interconnected Distributed Generation Resource Installations.

1. The Cooperative will employ a knowledgeable staff member to assist the member in planning, preparing, and decision making in the process of the DG installation. The following will be outlined, regularly updated and provided to the member in the Cooperative's printed material (Distribution Generation Interconnection Requirements) and (Distributed Generation Interconnection Agreement).
 - A. Interconnection Requirements. The Cooperative will work with the member on specific requirements mandated by Federal regulations, State of Minnesota regulations, the Minnesota State Electrical Code, and Crow Wing Power safety requirements.
 - B. Metering. The Cooperative will provide guidance and specifications on technical metering requirements and also depending on the output of the DG installation, disclose regulated Net Metering and other DG tariff information. If necessary, the Cooperative will coordinate this process with its wholesale power suppliers.
 - C. Insurance. The Cooperative's working documents lay out the General liability requirements expected of the Member.
 - D. Average Retail Cooperative Energy Rates. (ARCER). The Cooperative will annually calculate its ARCER and include it in its working documents.

Duties and Responsibilities

A. The Manager of Customer Service and Manager of Power Quality will be responsible for maintaining and updating the Cooperative's Distributed Generation Interconnection Requirements and Agreement documents according to changes in laws, regulations, and technical requirements. The Cooperative's Key Account Coordinator will be responsible for direct member contact, disclosure of terms and conditions, and any reporting to State and Federal agencies.

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