

Outdoor Lighting Service, Schedule No. SL/OL

(Per Lamp, Per Month)

Lamp Type/ Nominal Rating	Rate Code *	kWh / Month	California Surcharges	Transmission	Distribution	Public Purpose	Energy Cost	Generation	ECAC Amortiz.	Total Rate
High Pressure Sodium Outdoor Lights:										
5,800 Lumen	OLR01	29	\$.02	\$.04	\$ 5.00	\$.06	\$ 1.62	\$ 1.29	\$ (.10)	\$ 7.93
9,500 Lumen	OLR06	41	\$.02	\$.05	\$ 5.23	\$.08	\$ 2.29	\$ 1.23	\$ (.14)	\$ 8.76
16,000 Lumen	OLR11	67	\$.03	\$.09	\$ 5.08	\$.14	\$ 3.73	\$ 1.13	\$ (.22)	\$ 9.98
22,000 Lumen	OLR16	85	\$.04	\$.11	\$ 6.50	\$.19	\$ 4.73	\$ 1.06	\$ (.28)	\$ 12.35

**Service Establishment Charges
Schedule No. SE**

	Regular Hours	Outside Regular Hours **
Electric Turn-on or Meter Set	\$25.00	\$40.00
Change of Account	\$25.00	Service Not Available

** Before 8 a.m. or after 5 p.m. weekdays,
weekends, holidays or within 4 hours
of request.

NOTE: The applicable service charge will be
made each time an account is opened includ-
ing a turn-on, meter set, reconnect of service
or change of account.

**Residential DS-1 (Multi-unit and
Sub-metered)**

- 1) Sub-metering Discount (\$ per day per
occupied accommodation): \$ (.10676)
- 2) Baseline Diversity Adjustment
(\$ per day per permanently occupied
accommodation): \$.03621

Special Charges:

- New Wood Pole..... \$ 4.60 Per Pole
- New Metal Pole
(under 22,000 Lumen) \$ 6.90 Per Pole
- New Metal Pole
(22,000 Lumen) \$ 7.90 Per Pole
- Underground Service \$ 2.90 Per Lamp

Late Charge
1% on any amount 45 days in arrears.

Sierra Pacific Power Office Phone Number
(800) 782-2506



California Residential RATES

April 1, 2009



**Sierra Pacific Power
Electric Rate Schedules
for Residential
Customers**

The California Public Utilities
Commission (CPUC) recently
authorized Sierra Pacific Power
Company (Sierra Pacific) to terminate
the Trust Transfer Adjustment (TTA)
component of the total energy
rate resulting in a decrease for its
residential customers effective
April 1, 2009.

To read Electric Tariffs online,
visit the Sierra Pacific website at
sierrapacific.com/rates

The Baseline Allowance

Permanent customers’ electric bills are calculated using two different rates: A discounted rate, or baseline allowance, which is specific to a customer’s permanent primary residence; and a rate for electricity used in excess of the baseline allowance.

Each permanent customer is allowed a certain amount of kilowatt–hours of electricity during each billing period at a discounted rate. This is known as the customer’s baseline allowance. This allowance is calculated using the number of days in the billing period, the season of the year, and the kind of electric service specific to the customer’s home (i.e. basic electricity, electric water heating or electric space heating). Quantities of electricity used in excess of the baseline allowance are priced at a higher rate per kilowatt–hour.

Permanent residential customers qualify for the baseline allowance and may be required to file a Declaration of Eligibility through their local Sierra Pacific Power office. California State Law also allows for energy assistance for low–income customers at their permanent primary residence. To learn how to qualify for the CARE program, contact the Department of Community Services and Development at (866) 675–6627.

Customers with Special Medical Needs

Permanent California residential customers who require life support equipment, such as a respirator or kidney dialysis machine, may be eligible for an additional baseline allowance of 16.5 daily kilowatt–hours of electricity. Please contact Sierra Pacific Power’s North Lake Tahoe,

South Lake Tahoe, Portola or Minden offices for further information. Office phone numbers appear on each bill.

Sample Bill Calculation

The example is based on electricity used by a full–time permanent residential customer whose primary residence is in Sierra Pacific Power’s service territory. The customer used 650 kWh of electricity for basic needs (rate codes E02, E06, E18, E22, E26, E30, E42, or E46) during a winter billing period of 30 days. A closer look at how the electric meter total is calculated follows the sample bill.

Customer Charge

Per meter, per month.....	\$ 6.00
Baseline Allowance	
513 kWh @ \$.09988.....	\$ 51.24
In excess of baseline	
137 kWh @ \$.12460.....	\$ 17.07
Electric Meter Subtotal	\$ 68.31
Total Amount Due	\$ 74.31

A Closer Look at How the Electric Meter Total is Calculated for the Sample Bill

- Find your rate code on page 2 of your bill specific to the kind of electric service in your home (for example, E02). Match it to the baseline allowance for the season (see Table 2).
- Multiply the kWh per day x days in the billing period (17.1 X 30=513 kWh).
- Multiply the baseline allowance of 513 kWh x \$.09988 (see Baseline in Table 1) = \$51.24
- Subtract 513 from 650 kWh = 137 kWh of electricity used in excess of baseline.
- Multiply 137 x \$.12460 (see in Excess of Baseline in Table 1) = \$17.07

Table 1. Residential Rate Schedule

	Permanent Resident	Qualified CARE	Non–Permanent Resident
Rate Code	E02, E04 E06, E08	E42, E44 E46, E48	E10, E12 E14, E16
Customer Charge Per Meter, per month	\$6.00	\$4.80	\$6.00
Energy Charges (All kWh, per kWh)			
Baseline			
California Surcharges	\$.00046	\$.00046	\$.00046
Transmission	.00523	.00523	.00523
Distribution	.04209	.02241	.04209
Public Purpose	.00221	.00117	.00221
Energy Cost (ECAC)	.04592	.04592	.07064
Generation	.00731	.00731	.00731
ECAC Amortization	(.00334)	(.00334)	(.00334)
Total Energy Charges	\$.09988	\$.07916	\$.12460
In Excess of Baseline			
California Surcharges	\$.00046	\$.00046	\$.00046
Transmission	.00523	.00523	.00523
Distribution	.04209	.01747	.04209
Public Purpose	.00221	.00117	.00221
Energy Cost (ECAC)	.07064	.07064	.07064
Generation	.00731	.00731	.00731
ECAC Amortization	(.00334)	(.00334)	(.00334)
Total Energy Charges	\$.12460	\$.09894	\$.12460

Late Charge
1% on any amount 45 days in arrears.
Minimum Charge
The minimum charge shall be the Customer Charge.

California Surcharges	
CPUC Reimbursement Fee	\$.00024
California Energy Commission (CEC)	\$.00022
Total Surcharges	\$.00046

Returned Check Charge

A charge of \$5.00 will be added to accounts with a returned check.

Table 2. Residential (Single Family and Multi–Unit) Daily Baseline Allowances

Permanent Customers	Rate Code	Baseline Allowance kWh/day	
		Summer	Winter
Basic Use Only	E02, E06, E18, E22, E26, E30, E42, E46	12.1	17.1
All Electric Use	E04, E08, E20, E24, E28, E32, E44, E48	15.5	31.7

Summer baseline quantities will be used for six consecutive billing periods beginning on or after May 1.

Winter baseline quantities will be used for six consecutive billing periods beginning on or after November 1.