



# Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.

A Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc.  
400 N 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Bismarck, ND 58501

## State of Montana Electric Rate Schedule

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### **OUTDOOR LIGHTING SERVICE Rate 52**

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#### **AVAILABILITY:**

For all outdoor lighting including flood lights, billboard lighting, Christmas lights and metallic vapor yard light units in all communities served. Lighting equipment may be Company-owned or customer-owned.

#### **RATE:**

9.827¢ per Kwh computed according to the total rated capacity of the units in use.

Base Fuel and Purchased Power: 2.516¢ per Kwh

#### **PAYMENT:**

Bills will be considered past due if not paid by the due date shown on the bill. Past due bills are subject to a late payment charge in accordance with the provisions of Rate 100 or any amendments or alterations thereto.

#### **ADJUSTMENT CLAUSES:**

Bills are subject to the following adjustments as provided in the referenced rates, or any amendments or alterations thereto:

- Electric Universal System Benefits Charge Rate 55
- Electric Tax Tracking Adjustment Rate 56
- Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Tracking Adjustment Rate 58

#### **GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

1. Applicable to Company-owned Facilities:
  - a. The Company will install, own and operate the flood light(s), and yard light(s) including a suitable reflector, bracket for mounting and automatic device to control operating hours set to operate from dusk to dawn.
  - b. The light may be mounted on existing poles owned or controlled by the Company. The Company will furnish a 35 foot pole(s) for flood lights and a 30 foot pole(s) for yard light(s) at the customers request at a separate rental rate if a special setting is required. If the customer chooses, the light may be installed on a pole owned by the customer or other mounting point suitable for installation of the light. The conductors will be extended

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100 feet per unit, free of charge, but the customer shall pay for the extra cost of extensions of more than 100 feet per unit.

- c. To the rate stated herein, bulb replacement and ownership costs for the units shall be added. The customer should consult with the Company for such costs.
  - d. The Company will maintain the facilities and change the light bulbs when notified by the customer that they are burned out except when the facilities are damaged or destroyed by vandalism, malicious mischief by third parties, or willful negligence on the part of customer. In case of vandalism, malicious mischief, or willful negligence, the Company will charge the customer for the cost of repair and replacement.
2. When service is not metered, the bill shall be computed on an annual basis, utilizing the minimum service requirement of 4,000 hours annually, and one-twelfth shall be payable each month. Christmas lighting will be billed for the months in service.

Metallic vapor ratings in lumens shall be converted to watts on the basis of the published ratings currently issued by the General Electric Company and the Westinghouse Electric Corporation.

3. The foregoing schedule is subject to Rates 100-131 and any amendments or alterations thereto or additional rules and regulations promulgated by the Company under the laws of the state.

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