



MEMORANDUM

EUGENE WATER & ELECTRIC BOARD

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TO: Commissioners Brown, Mital, Helgeson, Manning and Simpson
FROM: Mark Freeman, Energy Management & Customer Service Manager;
Alan Fraser, Engineering Supervisor – EMS Industrial
DATE: December 19, 2014
SUBJECT: Update to Customer Services Policies & Procedures E-VI
OBJECTIVE: Information Only

Background

EWEB's Customer Generation Policy establishes requirements for interconnecting customer-owned generation to EWEB's electric system and sets rates for the purchase of generation from those systems.

Revised Customer Generation rates were approved by EWEB Commissioners on August 5, 2014, as per [Resolution 1413](#). The revised rates are in effect as of January 1, 2015.

Different from other rate schedules, E-VI Customer Generation also contains programmatic details about participation in EWEB's generation program. In addition to updating the Policy to reflect changes to the Customer Generation rates, we also clarified programmatic changes as follows:

- Customers who have generation must adhere to EWEB's Interconnection Standard; independent of a rate or contract.
- Customers larger than 25 kW will be incented through the Annual rate without a Power Purchase Agreement (contract).
- Customers smaller than 25 kW will have an application which includes language that used to be contained in the net metered (incentive) agreement (contract).
- Better specified some EWEB costs in which customers are responsible for.
- Clarified electric disconnection for net-metered systems if generation ownership cannot be assigned to a customer.

Recommendation

There is no recommendation or Board action required. This memo is for informational purposes only to inform the Board of updates to EWEB Customer Services Policies and Procedures E-VI. Please contact Alan Fraser for questions Alan.Fraser@EWEB.org or 541-685-7186.