

**SECTION E**  
**RETAIL ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF**

1.0 INTRODUCTION AND DEFINITIONS

This tariff expresses the terms and conditions associated with Retail Access Service and provides information regarding the roles of the various market participants. This tariff includes the following sections:

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When a Member-Consumer participates in Retail Access Service and obtains Generation Services from an Alternative Electric Supplier (AES), the Cooperative will maintain a relationship and interact with the separate participants – including the Member-Consumer, the Transmission Service Provider, and the AES.

1.1 The Member-Consumer Role

The Member-Consumer is the end-user of Power in the State of Michigan who has facilities connected to the Cooperative's Distribution System. Under Retail Access Service, the Member-Consumer will conduct transactions with at least two participants – including the Cooperative and an AES. The Member-Consumer is responsible for choosing an AES. Member-Consumers may receive transmission service directly from the Transmission Service Provider or the AES may make such arrangements as part of its service to the Member-Consumer.

The Cooperative's principal requirement is that the Member-Consumer must be taking service under the Cooperative's Schedule LP or PSDS and have a Maximum Demand of at least **50 kW**. An Individual Member-Consumer currently demand metered and who is eligible to be taking service under the Cooperative's Schedule LP may achieve the **50 kW** Maximum Demand threshold by aggregating or summing the Maximum Demands for each demand metering point occurring during a single month. All charges or fees specified herein and all related rate schedules apply to aggregated demand metering points on an individual account basis. No more than 30% of the total number of member-consumers between 50 kW and 199 kW shall be entitled to take service under this tariff.

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2.0 MEMBER-CONSUMER SECTION

2.1 Availability

Retail Access Service is available to all existing or new Member-Consumers that meet the terms and conditions of this Retail Access Service tariff and other applicable Cooperative tariffs, subject to contracting with an AES.

2.2 Eligibility

2.2.1 A Member-Consumer's eligibility to take Retail Access Service is subject to the full satisfaction of any terms or conditions imposed by pre-existing contracts with or tariffs of the Cooperative. Member-Consumers must have satisfied any past due amounts for Regulated Electric Service owed to the Cooperative under any other arrangements or provisions for Regulated Electric Service before taking service under this tariff.

2.2.2 An Individual Member-Consumer who is eligible to be taking service under the Cooperative's Schedule LP or PSDS and having a demand meter with a Maximum Demand of at least **50 kW** is eligible to take service under this tariff. An Individual Member-Consumer receiving demand metered service at multiple metering points and who is eligible to be taking service under the Cooperative's Schedule LP may achieve the **50 kW** Maximum Demand threshold by aggregating or summing the Maximum Demands for each metering point occurring during a single month. All charges or fees specified herein and all related rate schedules apply to all aggregated metering points on an individual account basis. No more than 30% of the total number of member-consumers between 50 kW and 199 kW shall be entitled to take service under this tariff.

2.3 Member-Consumer Information

Member-Consumers will be provided their own usage and billing information upon request. No fee shall be charged for the first request per calendar year related to a specific Member-Consumer account. An AES must obtain written authorization from the Member-Consumer before the Cooperative will provide an AES with a Member-Consumer's currently available usage and billing information. Subsequent requests by the Member-Consumer or the AES will require a fee of \$20.00 per account that will be billed to the Member-Consumer.

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