

POLICY NO. 30-100

REVISION DATE: December 10, 2009

SUBJECT: RATE SCHEDULES AND SCHEDULES

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of the Cooperative's rate structure and schedule shall be to ensure consistent adequate revenue to cover the costs of providing service to its members, to provide for anticipated growth, and to maintain the system of the Cooperative at acceptable standards, through equitable rates and charges for such service which distribute charges commensurate with costs.

II. POLICY

- A. The Cooperative shall implement rates based upon an embedded cost-of-service analysis.
- B. Rates shall be structured to collect fixed costs through fixed charges and energy costs through energy charges.
- C. Cost shall be allocated to the rate classes that cause the costs to be incurred.
- D. Rate Subsidies shall be minimized.
- E. All members shall provide a margin to the system to preserve the Cooperative's long-term financial stability.
- F. Rates should promote energy efficiency.

III. RESPONSIBILITY

The Board of Directors shall have the responsibility of considering and adopting rate structures and schedules for service with input from the General Manager.

ATTESTING:

President

Secretary

Date