

**Applicability**

This Schedule is applicable to general commercial customers having a demand of 20 kilowatts or less and multiple units for residential occupancy. Service to public dwelling units for residential occupancy is limited by Special Provision 1.

**Character of Service**

Alternating current at a frequency of approximately 60 Hertz: 120 volts, 120/208 volts or 120/240 volts, single phase or 240 volts, 240/120 volts, 208Y/120 volts, 480Y/277 volts, 480 volts, 4,160 volts, 12,000 volts, 17,200 volts, 69,000 volts or 115,000 volts three-phase, where and to the extent available, at the option of the District.

**Monthly Charges**

The total amount of a customer’s bill, excluding applicable local and state taxes and surcharges, will be the sum of the charges listed below and any adjustments for Special Provisions, effective on the date of meter reading for each account.

<b>Summer (May – September)</b>	<b>Winter (October – April)</b>
Fixed Monthly ..... \$18.00	Fixed Monthly..... \$18.00
Electric Usage (per kWh) .....\$0.1488	Electric Usage (per kWh) ..... \$0.1278

**Territory Served**

The entire area within the Modesto Irrigation District electric service boundary or any other area served by Modesto Irrigation District pursuant to the laws of the State of California and the District’s Rules and Regulations for Electric Service.

**Determination of Demand**

Whenever the monthly use of energy has exceeded 8,000 kilowatt-hours for three consecutive months or whenever, in the opinion of the District, as, for example, in the case of new customers, the demand is estimated to exceed 20 kilowatts, a meter to measure required demand will be installed and the customer will be served under Electric Rate Schedule GS-2. Such meter, once installed, will not be removed until the demand has fallen below 20 kilowatts for twelve consecutive months.

Under certain circumstances, the District may, at its sole option, estimate the demand of the customer. This will usually be done (a) for new customers whose usage is not yet known; (b) when meter readings cannot be obtained; or (c) when a demand meter is required, but may not yet have been installed.

**Special Provisions**

**1. Multiple Metering**

Apartment houses, or groups of apartments in the same building or on the same premises, which are not “NEW BUILDINGS” as that term is used in Section 113(b)(1) of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), may receive service under this Schedule through one meter, provided that such energy is not resold by the apartment owner or any other agency.

**2. Air Conditioning Controlled Load Service (S.T.E.P.)<sup>1</sup>**

Service under this Schedule is provided to customers who have District-controlled electric central refrigerative air conditioning which, in the opinion of the District, is suitable for controlled service.

**2.1 Written Consent**

Service under this Schedule shall be provided only upon the written consent of the customer. If the customer is other than the landowner and the owner of the air conditioning equipment, the customer shall obtain the permission and authorization of the landowner and owner of the equipment to apply for and take service under this Rate Schedule, and to make the grants required hereunder to the District. Written consent to stop service under this Provision shall be obtained from new customers and owners within thirty (30) days after such service is established at locations where control equipment is in place.

<sup>1</sup> S.T.E.P. service under this Schedule is re-opened for new sign-ups effective January 1, 2001, and will remain open subject to the availability of load control equipment in the District’s inventory. The District may terminate acceptance of new sign-ups without further notice if it determines that its inventory of load control equipment is or will be fully utilized.

**2.2 Control Period**

Air conditioning cycling control will be accomplished between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 p.m. by interruption of controlled air conditioners for a period not to average more than 10 minutes nor exceed 12 minutes each half-hour. Air conditioners will not be interrupted on Sundays except as noted in Special Provision 2.7.

**2.3 Rate Discount**

The following discount will commence with the first billing period (June through September, inclusive) after the District control equipment is installed on the customer's air conditioning equipment. The discount is per ton of controlled air conditioner capacity, as determined by the District. Under no circumstance shall the monthly commercial S.T.E.P. credit exceed the monthly electric usage charge. If electric service is terminated, the current available S.T.E.P. credit will be issued on a prorated basis.

<u>June 1 to September 30:</u>	<u>Discount per Account per Month</u>
Central Air Conditioning Cycling.....	\$ 2.00 per ton of controlled A/C capacity

**2.4 Discount Billing Period**

The control discount for central air conditioning is in effect for four (4) consecutive summer billing periods beginning with the June billing period.

**2.5 Suitable Equipment**

Controlled loads will be limited to permanently installed electric central refrigerative air conditioning equipment served from a branch circuit(s) exclusively devoted to such loads. Air conditioning equipment must have a compatible low voltage control circuit, control energy source, and accessible control equipment mounting location as determined by the District.

**2.6 Multiple Central Air Conditioning Units**

Electric central refrigerative air conditioning systems equipped with more than two compressor units require the installation of District control equipment on two-thirds of total air conditioning capacity. If there are two compressor units, both must be under load control.

**2.7 Emergency Control**

All controllable loads shall be subject to curtailment when, in the District's sole judgment, its generation and purchase capacity or energy resources, transmission capacity, or any combination of these is needed to meet the demands of its other customers and to prevent an otherwise avoidable outage. Emergency control under these circumstances may exceed the restrictions of Special Provision 2.2.

**2.8 Installation, Maintenance and Removal**

Control mechanisms and associated equipment will be installed, tested, and maintained at the direction of the District at locations selected by the District and at no expense to the customer. Upon termination of this Schedule with respect to any customer, all wiring will be returned to normal operating conditions at the District's expense.

**3. Energy Assistance Program**

A discount of 60% will be applied to the Fixed Monthly Charge and a discount of 23.1% will be applied to the Electric Usage for low income customers who meet eligibility requirements and are enrolled in the MID CARES program as outlined in Electric Service Rule No. 19.

**4. Rules and Regulations**

Service under this Schedule is subject to the District's Rules and Regulations for Electric Service as they may be amended from time to time.