

## Wheat Belt Public Power District Board of Directors

## **POLICY**

Subject: Relocation, Retirement, Removal of Facilities			Policy No.
and Minimum Bills			<b>C-5</b>
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If a customer requests the relocation of power lines, poles, or other facilities belonging to Wheat Belt Public Power District, this work shall be undertaken if:

- (1) The customer requesting such relocation of said lines, poles, or other structures pays all direct and associated expenses for such relocation, and
- (2) All necessary right-of-way can be obtained to make such relocation possible, and
- (3) There are no engineering or other external reasons for the relocation not to be made.

Should Wheat Belt potentially benefit from a customer requested relocation of lines, poles or other facilities, or the relocation work was planned by Wheat Belt in the foreseeable future anyway, for the benefit of Wheat Belt, the customer may be allowed a reasonable credit towards the total cost of their requested relocation, as determined by the Wheat Belt engineering department.

Wheat Belt Public Power District may relocate, at its instigation and discretion, Wheat Belt lines, poles, or other facilities at no cost to the customer when there is a direct and cost justified benefit to the District.

After the expiration of the primary term of the service contract, all customers shall continue to pay the Basic charges and/or minimums. If the Basic charge or established minimum payment is not received for an account for a period of twelve months or more, the facilities at that location shall be considered for retirement. Should the customer elect to discontinue service, all primary lines and equipment for the service (not needed for service to others), may be removed only by, and at the discretion of the District.

Should reinstallation be requested by the same property owner, or an associated or related party, an amount equal to two times the cost of labor plus materials for reinstallation will be charged to Contributions in Aid of Construction. A new service contract will be required and no credit will be applied over the term of the contract.

If the primary lines and service equipment have not yet been removed, the owner, as described above, will pay in full the accumulated basic and/or minimum charges from the date of disconnect prior to reconnect. At the owner's request, reinstallation construction costs, as determined by the current Line Extension Policy, will be calculated. The owner will have the option to pay whichever is less.

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