

14.16.716 Economic development power rate.

- A. The purpose of this rate schedule is to encourage economic development by encouraging capital investments, adding jobs, improving the efficient utilization of existing municipal power and light facilities and diversifying customer base.
- B. Applicant eligibility requirements are as follows:
 - 1. New commercial or industrial customers at one location having peak demand equal to, or greater than, 50 kilowatts. A new customer's electric service represents demand not previously serviced by the electric utility at any location.
 - 2. Existing commercial or industrial customers who increase their peak demand at one location by no less than 50 kilowatts. The rate shall apply only to the expanded demand and shall be measurable by installation of a separate electric meter or other device approved by the utility director.
 - 3. The applicant is required to be located where there is no significant additional investment in utility facilities by the borough or pay for the line extension and/or transformer costs under terms of the existing code.
 - 4. A customer has 12 months from the month service is energized or new load is added to demonstrate eligibility under provisions 1. or 2. of this section.
 - 5. All written requests for service under this section will be considered by the borough assembly, after review and recommendation by the utility director; however, requests which do not conform to purpose and applicability provisions as determined by the director, shall not be approved.
- C. *Character of service.* Service will be 60-hertz, alternating current. The borough reserves the right to specify the voltage or phase of service supplied under this schedule.

D. *Monthly rate.*

		Billing Period
Customer charge:		\$25.00
Demand charge:		-0-
Energy charge:	All KWH	9.5cents/KWH

- E. *Term of rate.*
 - 1. The term of this rate shall not exceed a period of three years from the month service is energized or new load is added for which the rate is being sought.
 - 2. Continuation of service beyond the three year limit will be at the appropriate standard rate.
 - 3. This rate will not go into effect until applicant is approved by the borough assembly, and no refund or consideration for past power consumption will be considered.
- F. *Special provisions.* This rate may be curtailed by the borough assembly upon 30 days' notice in the event that sufficient hydro power is no longer available. Should this occur, the customer would have the option of switching to the appropriate standard rate schedule or having the service discontinued.
- G. *Agreement of service.* The borough assembly may require an agreement to be entered into for service under this schedule.