

**SURETY BOND FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE PROVIDED BY
AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER**

Surety Bond given by _____,
_____ as Principal, and
_____ a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Virginia, as
Surety to American Electric Power, _____ as Obligee.

The Principal and Surety are hereby jointly and severally bound unto American Electric Power, its successors or assigns, in the sum
_____ (_____), for the payment of which the Principal and
Surety hereby bind themselves, their respective legal representatives, heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns. The Principal and Surety
also waive the benefit of homestead and all other exemptions as to this obligation.

Whereas, the Principal has applied to American Electric Power for electric service at _____
and

Whereas, under the rules and regulations applicable to service rendered by American Electric Power, it is necessary for the Principal to furnish
security for the prompt payment of electric services furnished and supplied to the Principal by the Obligee: and

Whereas, the Principal desires to post this bond in lieu of a cash deposit as security for the payment of said electric service bills;

Now, therefore, the condition of this obligation is such that if the Principal shall pay on the due date of any electric service bill all amounts
which may be shown as due by the Principal to American Electric Power for electric service in the Principal's name, than this obligation shall be null and
void; otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

It is hereby understood and agreed:

(1) That this bond shall apply to any indebtedness arising for electric service provided by American Electric Power to the Principal and shall
remain in force until cancelled as set out in paragraph (2) below or released in writing by the Obligee.

(2) This bond shall be effective for a minimum period of _____ months from the date of execution and it shall continue in effect
thereafter until such time as the Surety terminates its liability hereunder by giving thirty (30) days notice in writing to American Electric Power at the
address set forth above. In the event of such termination, the Surety will be discharged and relieved of any further liability thirty (30) days after the
American Electric Power receives such notice, it being understood and agreed, however, that such notice shall not limit or terminate this agreement with
respect to any indebtedness which may have arisen prior to the effective date of such notice.

(3) In no event shall the Surety be liable for more than the face amount of this bond, except that in the event suit is brought by the Obligee to
enforce the provisions of the above undertaking, the undersigned Principal and Surety agree to pay Obligee's costs and expenses of suit, including
reasonable attorneys' fees, in addition to all other amounts herein provided.

Executed this _____ day of _____, _____.

By _____
Principal

Surety

By _____, Attorney in Fact

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

Countersignature:

APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY IS AUTHORIZED TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA AS "AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER"