

## **The City of Colton Electric Utility**

### ***Plan Check and New Development Information***

All electrical plans associated with a project that requires a building permit must be submitted through the Building Department. These plans will be routed to the Electric Utility for plan check and approval. Some projects, such as irrigation and lighting projects that do not require a building permit, should be submitted directly to the Electric Utility for electrical plan check and approval. In either case, a developer should first contact the Electric Utility prior to submitting plans in order to obtain the proper procedural information. All submitted project plans shall include a site plan, main panel information and load calculations for the new electrical service.

Once plan check and engineering fees are paid, the Electric Utility will then provide an electric construction plan for the developer's portion of work which includes the installation of all conduits, boxes, vaults, streetlight bases and underground commercial service conductors as per Electric Utility Construction Standards and Specifications. The Electric Utility will then install, for a fee, all transformers, utility poles, streetlights, conductors and associated material to provide electrical service to the project.

#### Summary of Charges and Fees:

**Meter Location Fee:** \$15.00 fee for spotting the location of a new or replacement service panel.

**Temporary Power Pole:** \$120.00 connection fee to install service conductors and set meter. Additional construction to provide service is charged at actual utility cost.

**New Service:** Fee is based on a per/foot line extension charge.

**Change of Existing Service:** Charge is based on the actual utility cost to change service.

**New Street Lighting:** Charge is based on the actual cost of light standard. \$800.00 fee per marbelite light standard. Wiring is included.

**Temporary Connection fee:** \$10.00 fee to connect permanent service for limited time.

**Plan Check and Engineering Fee:** Fee is 2% of total line extension fees for new development. All other Engineering is charged at actual cost. \$70.00 minimum

For more detailed information call The Electric Utility Planning Division or see Electric Utility Customer Service Policies No. 20 and No. 26.

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