

**Rosebud Electric Cooperative, Inc.**  
**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP AND FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE**

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Applicant") hereby applies for membership in and agrees to purchase electric energy from Rosebud Electric Cooperative, Inc., (hereinafter called the "Cooperative"), upon the following terms and conditions:

1. The Applicant will pay to the Cooperative the sum of \$10.00, which if this application is accepted by the cooperative, will constitute the Applicant's \$5.00 membership fee and \$5.00 connect fee.
2. The Applicant will, when electric energy becomes available, purchase from the Cooperative all electric energy used on the premises described below and will pay therefore monthly at rates to be determined from time to time in accordance with the by-laws of the Cooperative, it being understood that all amounts paid by Applicant in excess of operating costs and expenses of the Cooperative properly chargeable against the furnishing of such electric energy are furnished by him as capital; provided however, that the Cooperative may limit the amount of the electric energy to be furnished for industrial uses. The Applicant will pay a bill of at least \$21.00 plus tax per month regardless of the number of kilowatt hours consumed.
3. The Applicant will grant to the Cooperative a right-of-way easement to construct, operate and maintain an electric line or system on the land described below in or upon all streets, roads or highways abutting said land.
4. The Applicant will cause his premises to be wired in accordance with wiring specifications approved by the Cooperative and South Dakota Electrical Commission.
5. The official publication of the cooperative will be the Rosebud Electric Cooperative Connections. This publication has a cost of 50 cents per issue and is available to nonmembers for \$12.00 per year. Our members have a choice as to whether or not they receive this publication. However, choosing not to receive this publication will not result in a lower electrical rate.
6. The Applicant will comply with and be bound by the provisions of the articles of Incorporation and by-laws of the Cooperative, and such rules and regulations as may from time to time be adopted by the Cooperative.
7. The Applicant, by paying a membership fee and becoming a member, assumes no personal liability or responsibility for any debts or liabilities of the Cooperative, and it is expressly understood that under the law his private property is exempt from execution for any such debts or liabilities.

The acceptance of this application by the Cooperative shall constitute an agreement between the Applicant and the Cooperative, and the contract for electric service shall continue in force for one year from the date service is made available by the Cooperative to the Applicant, and thereafter until cancelled by at least 30 days' written notice given by either party to the other.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_ 2018

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

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\*Applicant

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\*Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Post Office Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security #

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone #

\*Husband and wife should both sign if application is made for a joint membership.

**RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP:**

1. White \_\_\_\_\_
2. Black or African American \_\_\_\_\_
3. Hispanic or Latino \_\_\_\_\_
4. American Indian or Alaska Native \_\_\_\_\_
5. Asian \_\_\_\_\_
6. Native Hawaiian or Other \_\_\_\_\_
7. Other \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Your response to the Racial /Ethnic Group category is optional. The information will be used for federal reporting purposes only.