

Charge for Establishment of Service: \$23.00 on your first electricity delivery service bill

Flat Price for Single Phase Line Extensions:

- \$1,034 (make-ready charge) Charge to connect any **overhead** line extension to the CMP system, whether CMP or a private contractor builds line.
- \$2,068 (make-ready charge) Charge to connect any **underground** line extension to the CMP system, whether CMP or a private contractor builds line.
- \$7.40 per ft. Charge for **overhead** line extensions that CMP builds.
- \$9.96 per ft. Charge for **underground** line extensions that CMP builds.
- \$398 per span If the trimming or removal of vegetation is required by CMP or its contractor, it will be billed per span, which is the distance between two poles.
- Ledge Charges If ledge work is required, charges are billed separately after the pole setting is done.

The ledge rates are:

- \$539 per ledge pole installation
- \$161 per ledge anchor installation and,
- \$231 per ledge push brace installation

Development Accounts:

If your line extension project involves two or more lots/parcels within the property for sale we consider that a development project. Due to the different variables and uniqueness involved in most developments and subdivisions, these jobs will be billed based on design that is created to connect the project to CMP's system. This billing change was approved by the Maine Public Utilities Commission.

Commercial Accounts:

If your line extension project involves a single-phase commercial account, these jobs will be billed based on the single-phase flat rate. Three-phase commercial accounts will be billed based on design that is created to connect the project to CMP's system. This billing change was approved by the Maine Public Utilities Commission.

Reallocation of Line Extension Costs

Reallocation charges apply to any new service connecting to an existing line extension.

- CMP tracks all line extensions for 20 years. Line extensions to serve subdivisions do not apply. A subdivision is when 2 or more saleable land parcels and/or dwellings are to be served.
- Each customer that is served from an existing line extension must pay their fair share of the cost of the portion of the line they use.
- All reallocation payments will be made to CMP. CMP, in turn, will distribute reallocation payments to the appropriate CMP customer(s).
- If another customer shares your line, then a portion of the cost you paid will be charged to the new customer and returned to the current CMP customer at that location at the time of such refund.

We're happy to help. If you have questions, call us.

Note: all information in this packet is accurate as of May, 2010.