



What is a general power account?

General Power (as defined on the rate schedule)
This rate shall apply to the firm power requirements (where a customer's contract demand is 5,000 kW or less) for electric service to commercial, industrial, and governmental customers, and to institutional customers including, without limitation, churches, clubs, fraternities, orphanages, nursing homes, rooming or boarding houses, and like customers. This rate shall also apply to customers to whom service is not available under any other resale rate schedule.

**This includes appurtenances (shops, wells, pool houses) served by a separate meter at a residence.

What members fall into the GSA 2 rate class?

Members who have commercial accounts that have a peak kW 30-minute demand of less than 1,000 kW. This rate also applies to any commercial account that uses more than 15,000 kilowatt hours (kWh) during any month during a 12-month period.





How does this rate change affect members who have a peak 30-minute kW demand fewer than 50 kW?

Members using fewer than 50 kW in the past have not had to pay a kW demand charge. This rate change now initiates a \$4/kW charge for each kW up to 50 kW.

Does this rate change affect what a member pays for each kW greater than 50 kW?

No. The price per kW for each kW greater than 50 kW will not change. The only change is that the member will now pay \$4/kW for the first 50 kW.





Will this rate change impact the price the member pays per kWh?

Yes. The rate change reduces the kWh charge for the first 15,000 kWh by \$.02156 per kWh. This decrease may help offset the new \$4/kW demand charge.

How does this rate change impact members who are on the seasonal demand rate schedule?

This rate change initiates a \$4 kW demand charge for the first 50 kW. Members utilizing this rate schedule should contact the cooperative to see if it is to their advantage to remain on the seasonal demand rate schedule or to transition to the standard GSA 2 rate schedule.

Why is the cooperative making this change?

The change is needed so that our retail rates are better aligned with the wholesale rates that WKRECC pays TVA for power each month. TVA bills the cooperative kW demand charges based on the cooperative's system kW peak demand. This change is also preparing the cooperative for a transition to Time of Use Rates.

