

# Electric Rates

## Components of your Electric Bill

### Facility Charge

A charge for having access to metered electric service. This charge covers fixed expenses such as property taxes, interest on long term debt and depreciation expense. **The Facility Charge is \$29.00.**

### Distribution Charge

The charge for delivering electric energy from substations and delivery points to homes and businesses. The energy is delivered at a lower voltage than what travels through transmission lines. Revenue from this charge is the operating revenue for the cooperative. It covers accounting, billing and operating costs. **The Distribution kwh charge is \$0.0282 per kwh.**

The state kwh consumption tax is also included in this line of your bill. The cooperative collects the consumption taxes and sends them to the state.

### Generation and Transmission Charge

A charge for the production and the transporting of electric energy to the local electric system. Generation is the act of producing electricity by means of power plants that use coal, natural gas, or a type of renewable energy such as wind, solar, etc. Transmission is the act of transporting high voltage electric energy in bulk from a generation source (power plant) to other principal parts of the electrical system; ex. Substations and delivery points. Buckeye Power, Inc. is your Generation and Transmission cooperative. The Generation and Transmission (G&T) portion of your bill goes to pay for your electric energy that Adams REC purchases from Buckeye Power. This rate does change, as it is a straight pass through cost, meaning the consumer pays the amount that the cooperative pays for the generation and transmission. If you have a security light on your account, you will see a separate line item for the Security Light Generation and Transmission Adjustment.