

# Public Service Commission of Montana



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## Electric Service

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### ELECTRIC LINE MOVING COST SCHEDULE Rate 53

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#### APPLICABILITY:

This rate schedule sets forth the charges to be applied to recover the costs associated with the expense of moving poles or raising or cutting wires or cables to accommodate the relocation of a structure, as required by Montana Code Annotated (MCA) Section 69-4-602 and 69-4-603.

#### CHARGES:

The necessary and actual costs of raising or cutting wires or cables or moving poles to facilitate the movement of a house, building, derrick, other structure, or prefabricated structure that is intended to be moved from the place of fabrication, storage facility, or dealer's lot, determined in accordance with the rates set forth below must be paid by the mover.

The necessary and actual costs of raising or cutting wires or cables or moving poles to facilitate the movement of a structure, determined in accordance with the rates set forth below must be shared equally by the mover and the owner of the wires, cables, or poles if the structure is owned by a person for occupancy or use by that person.

#### RATE:

<u>Labor Rate per Hour:</u>	<u>Regular</u>	<u>Overtime</u>
Engineer Associate/Engineer I	\$37.50	\$45.00
Electric Line Foreman/District Rep.	\$50.86	\$62.06
Line Technician/Service Technician	\$46.56	\$56.81
Laborer	\$19.03	\$23.23

#### Equipment Rate:

1 ton pickup or truck \$1.40 per mile

Manlift Truck (12,000-32999 GVW) Rate (per hour): \$25.00  
Electric Line Truck \$31.50

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Manlift Truck (over 33,000 GVW)	\$42.00
Truck Mounted Crane (over 33,000 GVW)	\$54.00

Material Rate:

Material will be billed at actual cost plus 15% for loading.

### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. Prepayment – The mover shall make a prepayment of a portion of the estimated total cost in advance of the move as follows:
  - a. If the structure is moved through or out of the Company's service territory, 100% of the mover's share.
  - b. If the structure is delivered to a place within the Company's service territory, 50% of the mover's share.
  - c. The Company may waive the prepayment requirement or accept a bond or other financial instrument in lieu of payment.
  - d. The mover shall pay the mover's share of all actual costs in excess of any prepayment within 30 days of the move.
  - e. If the prepayment made exceeds the mover's share of actual costs the Company shall refund the difference to the mover within 30 days of the move.
2. The foregoing schedule is subject to any amendments or alterations thereto or additional rules and regulations promulgated by the Company under the laws of the state.

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