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Things to Know

Electric Utility Amendment By Law No. 7151, 2007 permits:

(10) (1) All Multi-family, Commercial and Mixed use, and Newly Constructed Single Family and Duplex building shall be designed to provide for underground services including electrical, and all communication providers".

"newly constructed single family residential or duplex building" means: A new dwelling or structure erected on a parcel of land where no dwelling or structure previously existed, or where an existing dwelling or structure is proposed to be reconstructed that has been damaged, destroyed or demolished beyond 75% of its value above its foundation";

Single family residential or duplex buildings that are completing up-grades/renovations where the electrical service will be impacted may continue to stay overhead or at the customer's request switch to underground whom would then be charged a flat rate fee as per amended Schedule B.

(2) Subdivisions and developments regulated by the Subdivision and Development Control Bylaw require underground wiring including electrical and all communication providers

(3) All buildings with an estimated actual demand load of 100KW or more shall be designed for a primary vault.

Schedule "B" – Standard Charges

- Section (2) New Service Extensions

New Underground Service for Single Family and Duplex Buildings, (Extension cost only)

- Effective January 1, 2023 $6555.00

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