

# METERING SERVICES

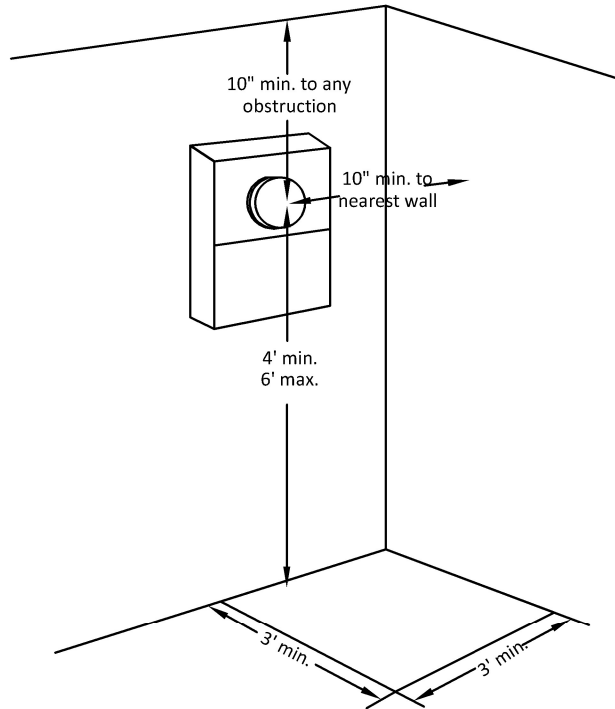
## CLEARANCES AROUND THE METER

- Meter clearances are measured from the center of the meter socket, or from the center of the face of the meter.
- Install the meter socket 4' to 6' above finished grade except in the case of underground meter pedestals, where a height of 5 feet is preferred.
- Keep a clear three square foot working space, immediately in front of the meter. This space must be permanently free of all obstructions, including landscaping.

## GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR METER SOCKETS

Meter sockets must be:

- Ring-type, to accept a meter sealing ring.
- Rated NEMA 3R for exterior use and rain-tight.
- Installed level, plumb, and fastened securely to a rigid structure.
- Closed with plugs and secured tightly from the inside if unused.
- Covered and sealed with a transparent cover if live (energized) lines are installed.
- Free of any jumpers bridging the top and bottom jaws.



## BRING POWER TO YOUR PROPERTY

MWP shall be responsible for installing all primary voltage conductors as well as all secondary conductors from the nearest MWP facility to point of delivery. When MWP's equipment is connected to the consumer's meter base via underground conductors, the consumer shall be responsible for providing a suitable trench in which MWP can install its conduit. Secondary conductors cannot be installed until backfilling is completed to the satisfaction of MWP. All right of way clearance associated with extending MWP electrical service to consumer property shall be the responsibility of the consumer. All sight restoration shall be the responsibility of the consumer.

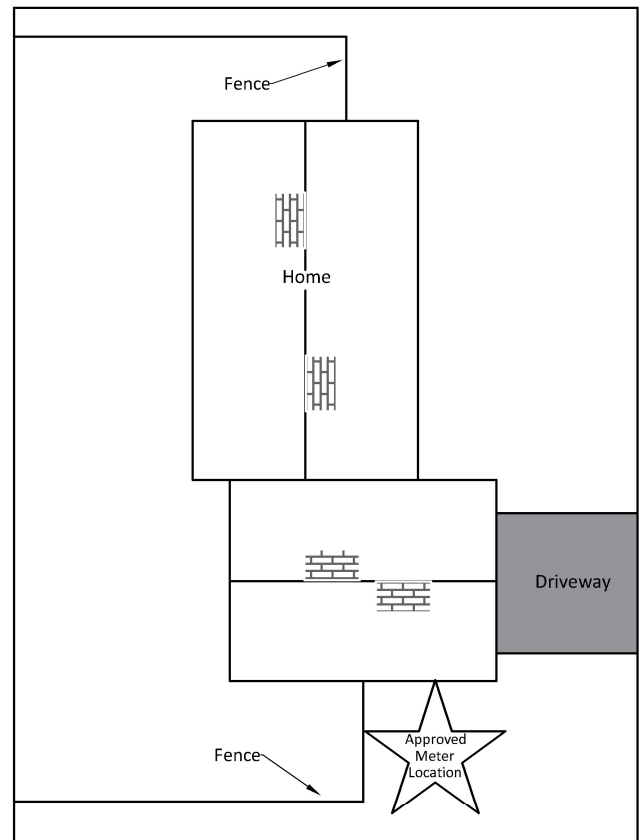
## LOCATING THE METER

It is in the mutual interest of the customer and MWP to install the meter in a location suitable for meter reading, testing, repair, and removal. Meter locations are subject to approval by MWP. MWP owned or maintained equipment shall be outside and readily available to MWP employees without entering a structure.

Do not locate meters

- Behind a fence or enclosure;
- In areas subject to being fenced or enclosed, such as patios, backyards, decks, etc.
- Where shrubs or landscaping could obstruct access to the meter;
- In an unsafe or inconvenient location;
- On a mobile home;

The requirements listed above for residences also apply to meters for out buildings such as detached garages, barns, shops, storage buildings, pump houses, and other structures that do not provide living spaces.



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## METER SERVICES REQUIREMENTS

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