

PEARL RIVER VALLEY  
ELECTRIC POWER ASSOCIATION

Minimum Requirements

TEMPORARY UNDERGROUND  
METER POLE

**CAUTION:** BEFORE DIGGING CALL 800-227-6477

1. MEMBER RESPONSIBLE FOR FURNISHING & INSTALLING TEMPORARY METER POLE WITHIN 3 FT. OF TRANSFORMER LOCATION, OR A COMPLETELY WIRED TEMPORARY METER POLE MAY BE LEFT ON SITE AND PRVEPA WILL INSTALL. CAUTION: MUST REQUEST PRVEPA TO LOCATE BURIED CABLE BEFORE DIGGING.
2. TEMPORARY POLE AND WIRING SHALL COMPLY WITH THE MOST CURRENT NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE (NEC), INCLUDING ARTICLE 305 - "TEMPORARY WIRING," AND ANY OTHER LOCAL CODES.
3. GROUND FAULT PROTECTION FOR PERSONNEL ON CONSTRUCTION SITES SHALL BE PROVIDED TO COMPLY WITH THE NEC. ALL 125 VOLT, SINGLE PHASE, 15 AND 20 AMP RECEPTACLE OUTLETS IN USE BY PERSONNEL SHALL HAVE GROUND FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER (GFCI) PROTECTION.
4. GROUND PLATES OR BUTT WRAPS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE GROUNDING ELECTRODES. WHEN TEMPORARY POLE IS INSTALLED WITHIN 3 FT. OF TRANSFORMER, GROUNDING CONDUCTOR MAY BE CONNECTED TO TRANSFORMER GROUND ROD BY PRVEPA.
5. IN SUBDIVISIONS WHERE EXISTING CONDUITS ARE AVAILABLE AT ROAD CROSSINGS, PRVEPA WILL INSTALL TEMPORARY CABLE TO TEMPORARY METER POLE ACROSS STREET AT LOT CORNER.

