

BLUE RIDGE ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION

Schedule Number: 9.1

RIDER CSPS-1

Community Solar Panel Subscription

Availability:

Available on a voluntary basis to all residential and non-demand general service members receiving concurrent service from the Cooperative on one of the following rate schedules: **R, RE, RC, R-NM, GS, GS-NM**. This Rider will be on a first come first served basis subject to subscription availability.

General Provisions:

Under this Rider, the member can subscribe to the electric output of one or more panels located in the Cooperative's community solar gardens. The monthly subscription rate shall be determined by the Vintage Year or Phase in which the solar gardens are constructed or expanded beginning with the oldest vintage solar project not fully subscribed. The monthly subscription rate will remain fixed for 20 years or for the usable life of the system, whichever comes first. The member will be billed for all energy purchased from the Cooperative under the applicable rate schedule. A monthly credit will be given for energy generated by the panel(s) based on a pro rata share of the member's panel(s) subscription to the aggregate output of all solar sites. The member's monthly credit will be calculated subject to the applicable rate schedule:

R-NM, GS-NM (Net Metering): Subscribed solar panel(s) kWh output netted against the member's monthly energy usage as specified in the applicable rate.

R, RE, RC, GS (Sell All): Subscribed solar panel(s) kWh output share applied to the member's bill as a billing credit.

Monthly Rate:

In addition to all other charges stated in the Monthly Rate Schedule with which this Rider is used, the following charges/credits shall also apply:

Monthly Subscriptions:

Phase 1- (Year 2016-2036)	\$4.50/panel
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The following billing credit applies to R, RE, RC and GS Rate Schedules:

Billing credit for energy generated by solar panel:	5.0¢ per kWh
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Definitions:

Pro rata share – The total energy (kilowatt-hour) generated by all solar arrays divided by the total number of panels.

Metering Requirements:

The Cooperative will furnish, install, own and maintain metering to measure energy (kilowatt-hours) delivered by the Cooperative to the member and the energy generated and delivered to the Cooperative from the panel(s) subscribed to by the member in the community solar garden.

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The initial contract period for service under this Rider shall be one (1) year and thereafter shall be automatically renewed for successive one-year periods, subject to the rate's availability. After the initial period, the Member may terminate service under this Rider by giving the Cooperative at least thirty (30) days prior notice.

Applicable Taxes:

The total charges under the Rider will be increased by any applicable sales taxes imposed by any governmental authority.

Effective on bills rendered after January 1, 2017
Approved by Board of Directors October 27, 2016