200amp & 400amp Residential Underground Meter Pedestal Service

METER ENCLOSURES:

- Selected from the List of Approved devices as shown in the Ameren Missouri Electric Service Manual found at Ameren.com/ServiceManual.
- 200amp or 400amp enclosures to be designed for Underground application and U.L. approved and equipped with Safety Lever Bypass. No Ring style meter bases allowed.
- All unused knockouts in meter enclosure and fused/ breaker disconnect must be plugged with standardized plugs.
- 4. Only use bottom left knockout for Ameren Missouri service cables.
- 5. All meter enclosure locations to be approved by Ameren Missouri.
- 6. Meter enclosures shall not be attached with non-ferrous screws or drywall screws.
- Meter enclosure shall be installed between 3' and 5 1/2' measured from final grade to center of glass. If enclosure is mounted along a driveway/parking lot or an abutting sidewalk 36" or less, mount at 6 ½' from center of glass.
- 8. NOTE: To qualify for a Residential rate, the residence must have one or more rooms used for eating, sleeping, and permanent provisions for cooking and sanitation.

CONDUIT:

- 1. For 200amp services, use 2 ½" or 3" schedule 40 PVC conduit with expansion coupling and 24" radius elbows.
- 2. For 400amp services, use 3" schedule 40 PVC conduit with expansion coupling and either 24" or 36" radius elbows.
- 3. Service conduits shall have a minimum of 24" of cover and be equipped with a 2500# polyester pulling tape.
- 4. Use schedule 80 PVC conduit for any sections subject to physical damage.
- 5. No bends/elbows of less than 24" radius shall be used.
- Conduit shall be schedule 40 PVC, gray in color, standard sizes for use with standard schedule 40 fittings and accessories.
- 7. Conduits and their associated fittings to be bonded together with PVC solvent cement.
- Service conduit path shall have 90 degree/24" bend at meter base and at power source with one additional 24" or 36" bend in between, if required.
- Schedule 40 PVC Expansion Coupling Joint required and to be installed in the left knockout with the outer sleeve on top and positioned at the manufacturer's 'midway mark'.

GROUNDING:

- 1. National Electric Code approved grounding required. For 200amp service, bond enclosure with #4 bare copper. For 400amp service, bond enclosure with #2 bare copper.
- 2. Ground wire between meter enclosure ground lug and ground rod shall be continuous with no splices.







200amp with lever bypass & main disconnect

400amp with lever bypass & main disconnect

NOTE: Contact local inspection authority for their requirements



