

New Construction

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New construction customers – All county/city requirements, for the county/city in which new electrical service construction will be built, must be met before electrical service can be turned on. If you are unsure of these requirements, please contact your county/city permit office to verify.

Once an Application for Service is processed, a county/city inspection approval may be required before Washington EMC can connect service.

Request inspection of your temporary pole from your county/city electrical inspection department. Provide Washington EMC with your approved permit from the county/city when inspection is complete. Once all permits/certificates have been received by Washington EMC, the service will be scheduled for connection.

Delivery of temporary service can take up to two weeks after application and inspection are received.

Important: Washington EMC is required by state law to wait for underground utility location before trenching for any underground electrical construction or setting poles. This will take three business days.

Washington EMC requires a Disconnect Switch/Meter Main on all new meter installations.

When construction is complete, you must contact Washington EMC to disconnect the Temporary Service in addition to requesting Permanent Service be connected.

The following list contains contact information that you can use to obtain the proper permits and/or certificates for your electrical service location.

Steve Owens,
Chief Code Enforcement Officer
Baldwin County Building Dept.
127 E. Hancock St.
Milledgeville, GA 31061
Ph. (478) 445-4205

Adam Gainey, Code Enforcement Officer
Laurens County Board of Commissioners
P. O. Box 2011
Dublin, GA 31040
Ph. (478) 272-4755
Cell (478) 609-1370
gaineyad@dlega.com

Dave Larson,
Building Official / Zoning Administrator
City of Sandersville
P. O. Box 71
141 W. Haynes St.
Sandersville, GA 31082
Ph. (478) 552-2626

Michael Thigpen, Planning / Code Administrator
Warren County Planning Dept.
P. O. Box 46
Warrenton, GA 30828
Ph. (706) 465-0310
FAX (706) 465-1300
wcplanning@classicsouth.net

Tom Roberts
Hancock County Planning & Zoning
P. O. Box 291
9535 Jones St.
Sparta, GA 31087
Ph. (706) 444-0978
FAX (706) 444-6240

Washington County Tax Assessors Office
911 Acquisition
121 Jones St.
P. O. Box 308
Sandersville, GA 31082
Ph. (478) 552-2937
FAX (478) 552-7424

Any site requiring new construction must have an E911 address posted before electrical service connection can be completed.