

METER SOCKET LOCATION REQUEST

For Residential Services

See **Typical Meter Socket Locations** (reverse side) for rules regarding meter socket locations on residential services.

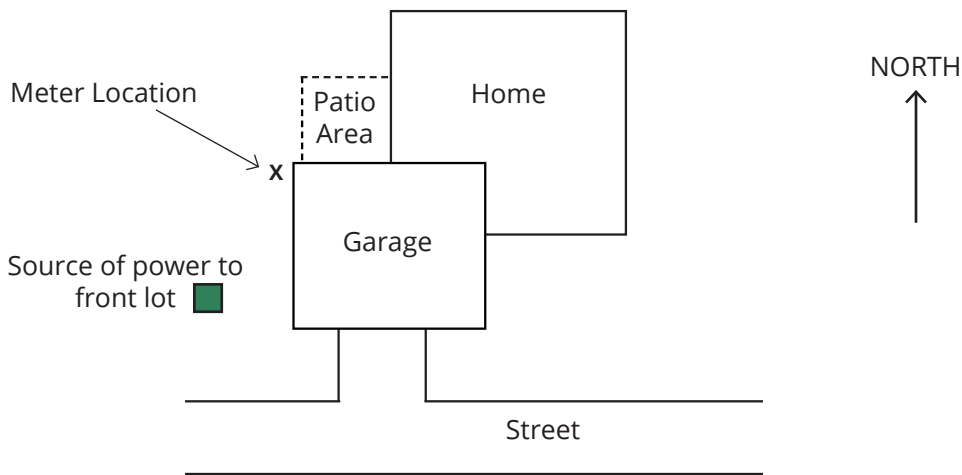


Proposed Meter Socket Location

use this space to sketch the residence and the requested location for the new meter socket. See example below.

The requested location is _____ feet from the _____ corner on the _____.

Example



The requested location is 3 feet from the NW corner on the garage.

HOMEOWNER INFORMATION:

For tracking purposes, enter the homeowner name and the new service address on this form.

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Service Address: _____

City

State

Zip

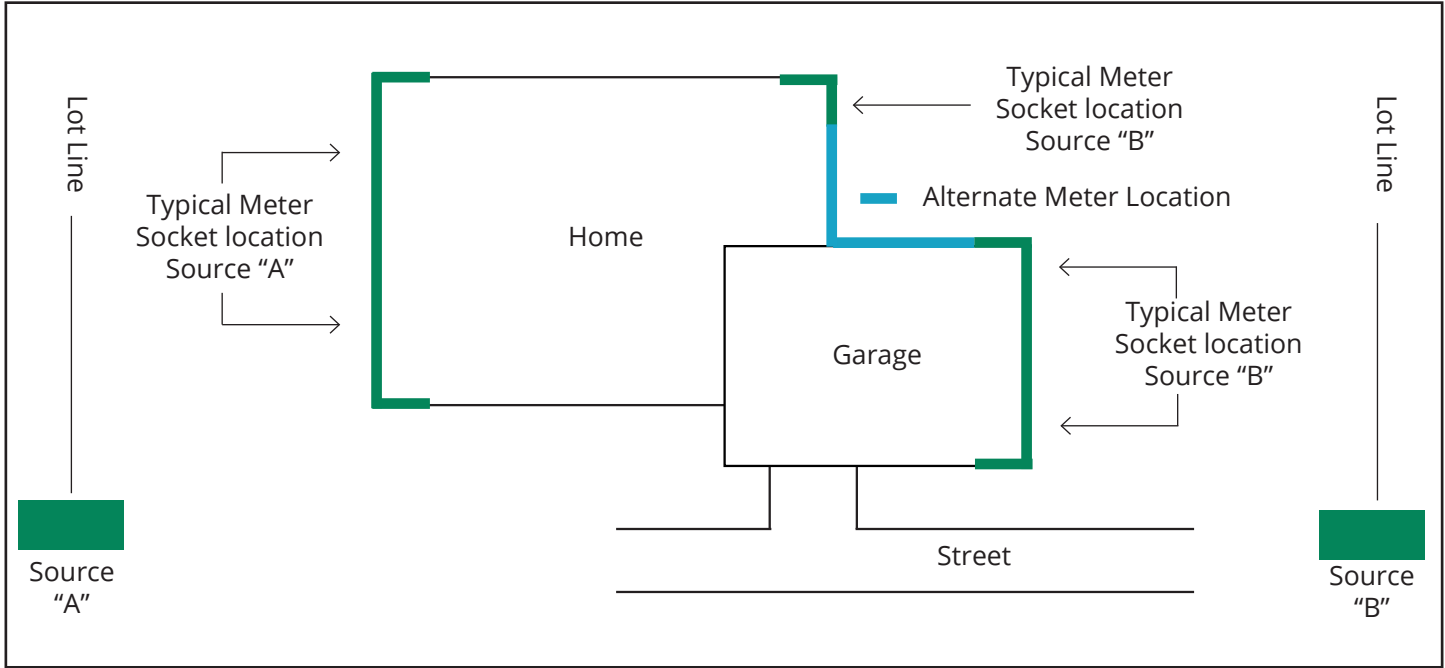
Phone: _____ Email: _____

Email this form to EO-Support-Dept@stearnslectric.org for approval prior to installing your meter socket.

TYPICAL METER SOCKET LOCATIONS

For Residential Lots with City Services

Use the sketch below to help determine the **Meter Socket Location**. The thick walls represent areas of the structure that a meter socket may be installed. Contact our Design Engineers with any questions regarding meter socket locations.



Meter Socket Requirements: All meter sockets must be a minimum of 200 amp with a lever bypass.

Conduit Requirement: Conductors shall be in conduit where the access point into the building is other than directly behind the meter socket. Stearns Electric does not require conduit for secondary runs that exit a disconnect.

Location Requirement: The meter socket must be installed on the same side of the home/garage as the source of power. If it is located around the corner of the structure, it cannot be more than two feet beyond the side wall. An additional \$40.00 will be charged to installations where an **alternate meter location** is chosen. This charge is used to offset the cost of installing conduit to protect, and to provide future access to, Stearns Electric's conductors. The intent of this rule is to have a meter location that is as free as possible from future grade changes, building changes, hard surfaces and/or permanent structures located within the line extension route of Stearns Electric's facilities. All grading must be within four inches of final grade before Stearns Electric begins installation of any wire.

Please contact a Stearns Electric Design Engineer prior to installing a meter that does not lie within the Typical Meter Socket location criteria or with any other questions you might have at (800) 962-0655.