

# **CITY OF MATLOSANA**



## **ELECTRICITY-SUPPLY TARIFFS**

**2024/2025**



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#### PART A: Monthly charges for availability and use of Council's electricity supply system:

		15,10%	11,25%
1	BASIC CHARGES	<u>Current</u> Tariff 2023/2024	<u>Proposed</u> Tariff 2024/2025
The following basic charges shall apply : ( Excluding Kanana, Khuma and Tigane -Eskom Supplier)			
1.1	Domestic, Prepaid and Indigents (Indigent Subsidized)	R201,82	R224,52
1.2	Business and light industrial plus prepaid (as per item 3) <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R411,38	R457,66
1.3	Industrial - Bulk High Bulk Low (Small Business)	R1 801,12	R2 003,75
1.4	"Time of use" - high and low tension <b>NOT IN USE</b>	R2 668,57	R2 968,78
1.5	Midvaal <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R11 686,86	R13 001,63
<p>The basic charges in terms of item 1 shall be levied for each month for each erf, stand, lot or other area with or without improvement, which is or in the opinion of the Council can be connected to the supply main whether electricity is consumed or not; provided that where any erf, Stand, lot or other area is occupied by more than one consumer to whom electricity is supplied by the Council, the applicable basic charge shall be levied in respect of each meter.</p> <p>The basic charges which are levied in accordance with item 1 are payable by the registered owner of the erf, stand, lot or other area; provided that where property of the Council is leased or the registered owner cannot be identified, such basic charges shall be payable by the lessee of the particular property.</p>			
2	DOMESTIC SUPPLY	<u>15,10%</u> 2023/2024	<u>11,25%</u> 2024/2025
This tariff shall apply to electricity supplied to :			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amateur sporting clubs</li> <li>Charitable institutions</li> <li>Churches</li> <li>Council hostels</li> <li>Government dwellings</li> <li>Indigent consumers ( first 50 kWh free of charge )</li> <li>Private dwelling-houses</li> <li>Residential flats</li> <li>Retirement and care centres</li> <li>Townhouses</li> </ul>			
<b>Per unit consumed</b>			
Block 1	( 1 - 50 kWh ) <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R1,5657	R1,7418
Block 2	( 51 - 350 kWh ) <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R2,0015	R2,2267
Block 3	( 351 - 600 kWh ) <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R2,6915	R2,9943
Block 4	( 601 kwh - 1500 kWh ) <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R3,0916	R3,4394
Block 5	( >1500 kWh ) <span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R3,2550	R3,6212
<b>Where electricity is supplied to a consumer where a combination of domestic and business categories is applicable. the tariff for business shall be applied.</b>			
Bulk Domestic	<span style="float: right;">NERSA approval</span>	R3,0990	R3,4476

3	<b>BUSINESSES/ GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS SUPPLY</b> Businesses up to 40 000 kwh	<b>2023/2024</b>	<b>2024/2025</b>						
<b>LOW SEASON</b>									
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<b>HIGH TENSION</b>									
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<p>Consumers with a maximum demand, measured over a period of thirty minutes, of not less than 100 kilovolt-amperes, may with the approval of the Council take a supply from the high-tension mains in bulk. The consumer shall be responsible for the total cost of such a connection.</p> <p>The charges for such supply, measured on the high tension side, shall be as follows:</p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;">1 Unit charge for electricity consumed: Per unit</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: right;">R1,9100</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: right;">R2,1249</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2 Maximum demand charge: Per kilovolt-ampere</td> <td style="text-align: right;">R376,01</td> <td style="text-align: right;">R418,31</td> </tr> </table>				1 Unit charge for electricity consumed: Per unit	R1,9100	R2,1249	2 Maximum demand charge: Per kilovolt-ampere	R376,01	R418,31
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<b>5</b>	<b>BUSINESS SUPPLY</b>		
	<b>BUSINESSES ABOVE 40 000 KWH</b>	<b>2023/2024</b>	<b>2024/2025</b>
<p>Consumption of 315 kilovolt-amperes or more</p> <p><b>LOW SEASON</b></p> <p>Unit charges: Standard : NOT IN USE</p>		R2,43	R2,70
<p><b>HIGH SEASON</b></p> <p>Unit charges: Standard: NOT IN USE</p>		R2,50	R2,78
<b>6</b>	<b>PRE PAID / CONVENTIONAL METER SUPPLY</b>		
		<b>2023/2024</b>	<b>2024/2025</b>
<p><b>6.1 DOMESTIC INDIGENT</b></p> <p>6.1.1 Single and 3 phase: Per unit</p> <p>Block 1 ( 1 - 50 kWh ) (Subsidized)  Block 2 ( 51 - 70 kWh ) NERSA approval  Block 3 ( 71 - 350 kWh )  Block 4 ( 351kwh - 600 kWh )  Block 5 ( &gt;600kWh )</p>		R1,5566 R1,5879 R2,0296 R2,6996 R3,1829	R1,7317 R1,7665 R2,2579 R3,0033 R3,5410
<p><b>6.2 DOMESTIC OTHER USERS (PRE- PAID/CONVENTIONAL)</b></p> <p>6.2.1 Single and 3 phase: Per unit</p> <p>Block 1 ( 1 - 50 kWh ) NERSA approval  Block 2 ( 51 - 350 kWh )  Block 3 ( 351 - 600 kWh ) NERSA approval  Block 4 ( 601 kwh - 1500 kWh )  Block 5 ( &gt;1500 kWh )</p>		R1,5657 R2,0015 R2,6915 R3,0916 R3,2550	R1,7418 R2,2267 R2,9943 R3,4394 R3,6212
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<p><b>SEASONS</b></p> <p>High Season : July to September  Low Season : October to June</p>			

7	DEPARTMENTAL SUPPLY	2023/2024	2024/2025
	The following tariff shall apply to Municipal Installations:  The low season peak energy charge by Eskom to Council plus 5%		

**PART B: Other charges for electricity services:**

**GENERAL CHARGES**

5,3%

4,9%

		2023/2024	2024/2025
<b>1</b>	<b>TESTING AND INSPECTION</b>		
	The charges for the testing of electricity meters in terms of Section 9(1) of the Council's Standard Electricity By-laws shall be as follows:  Meters will be tested upon requests by the consumers after payment of the following fees per meter.		
	1.1 Single phase meter	R 550,79	R 577,78
	1.2 Three phase meter	R 809,00	R 848,64
	1.3 Programmable meter (Maximum demand)	R 2 192,11	R 2 299,52
<b>2</b>	<b>CHARGES FOR LATE PAYMENT</b>		
	2.1 Penalty for disconnection and reconnection of services if not paid on the due date	R 421,06	R 441,69
	2.2 Reconnection after disconnection due to non-payment, provided that account in arrears has been settled or acceptable arrangements have been made for payment: after hours, Saturdays, Sundays and Public holidays	R 742,13	R 778,49
<b>3</b>	<b>CHARGES IN RESPECT OF POWER FAILURE</b>		
	Where an employee of the Council is called to a customer's premises to attend to a complaint of failure of light and power, no charge shall be made if the Council's equipment is found to be faulty, but if the defect has been caused by a fault in the consumer's equipment for which the Council is not responsible, the following charges will be made.		
	3.1 For consumers within the municipal area:		
	3.1.1 During normal working hours	R 342,12	R 358,88
	3.1.2 After hours, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	R 789,50	R 828,19
	3.2 For consumers outside the municipal area:		
	3.2.1 During normal working hours	R 434,23	R 455,51
	3.2.2 After hours, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	R 743,26	R 779,68
<b>4</b>	<b>SPECIAL METER READINGS</b>		
	4.1 When an employee of the Council is called to read a meter outside the schedule dates of meter readings. With the exception where the request is for final reading for closing of an account, the paid amount will be refunded if the monthly readings were incorrectly read by the Municipality.	R 252,65	R 265,03
	4.2 Final Reading charges (Closure of Accounts)	R 46,06	R 48,32

5	SERVICE CONNECTIONS	2023/2024	2024/2025
5.1	The owner of the premises concerned shall make application for the installation or reinstatement of a service connection in a form prescribed by the Municipality		
5.2	A non standard services connection shall be installed at the expenses of the owner and the cost thereof as determined by the Council's engineer shall be paid to the Council before supply is authorised.		
N:B	All costs related to supply and installation of a cable, kiosk and breaker will be the responsibility of customer.		
5.3	New single phase Pre-paid meter connection	R 2 387,07	R 2 504,04
5.4	New three phase Pre-paid meter connection Three phase Conventional (business only)	R 6 319,24 R 6 319,24	R 6 628,88 R 6 628,88
5.5	New or upgrading to a three phase connection will be based on 13.8Kva, resulting in a contribution based on the allowable capacity for the stand.		
N:B	Where developers paid for the infrastructure and the kiosks is on the erf boundary, Excluding sectional title developments:		
5.6	Change over to single phase Pre-paid meter including labour and transport.	R 2 387,07	R 2 504,04
5.7	Change over to three phase Pre-paid meter including labour and transport.	R 6 319,24	R 6 628,88
5.8	Load management or controller	R 1 807,77	R 1 896,35
5.9	New connection SSEG	R 2 924,39	R 3 067,69
5.10	Every part of the services connection shall remain the property of the Council.		
5.11	For re-instating customer connection that has been removed due to tampering (Meter, Meter box and labour)	R 13 749,54	R 14 423,27
5.12	Painting, defacing, pasting of posters services connection or any equipment of council.	R 3 298,50	R 3 460,13
5.13	Tampering of electricity meter-Residential single phase.	R 8 227,74	R 8 630,90
5.14	Tampering of electricity meter-Residential three phase below 60A.	R 24 683,24	R 25 892,72
5.15	Tampering of electricity meter-Business or 12months estimation based on 40% load factor which ever is higher.	R 31 077,45	R 32 600,25
5.16	Joining of cable which was cut off due to illegal reconnections.	R 1 345,40	R 1 411,32
5.17	Reconnection fee	R 720,50	R 755,80
5.18	Owners request for disconnection of defaulters	R 434,89	R 456,20
5.19	Owners request for inspection	R 289,48	R 303,66
5.20	Notice to defaulters	R 45,81	R 48,05
5.21	SMS services to defaulters	R 3,05	R 3,20
5.22	Damage to Municipal property	Actual cost of equipment and labour plus 15% admin fee	Actual cost of equipment and labour plus 15% admin fee
5.23	Request of electrical quotation three phase 45A and above.	R 735,56	R 771,60
5.24	Notwithstanding the fact that the service connection to an approved electrical installation may already have been completed, the Council may in its absolute discretion refuse to supply electricity to that installation until all amounts due to the Council by the same customer in respect of that or any other service connection, whether or not on the same premises, have been paid.		
5.25	No owner shall be entitled to require more than one service connection for a supply to any premises even if it comprises or occupies more than one stand. The engineer may, however, subject to such conditions as he thinks fit to impose on the owner, provide more than one service connection is provided, it shall be unlawful to interconnect them.		

	<p>5.26 The applicant for a service connection shall, before work on his installation is commenced, furnish the Council with such indemnity as it may specify.</p> <p>5.27 The engineer may, notwithstanding any indemnity given in terms of paragraph 5.24 refuse to install a service connection until he is satisfied that no person is entitle to object such installation.</p> <p>5.28 The levy for all connections included that cost to the customer of all material, meters, equip ment, transport and labour which to the reasonable estimate of the Council's engineer, will required to establish the connection plus an amount of 15% of such costs for administrative fees.</p>	<p>Actual cost plus 15%</p>	<p>Actual cost plus 15%</p>
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6	BULK SUPPLY CONTRIBUTIONS	2023/2024	2024/2025
	<p>6.1 Single phase connection over 60-Per Kva</p> <p>6.2 Three phase per KVA</p> <p>The above also apply after completion of a project and the customer within the development request an increase in capacity.</p> <p>N:B Over and above the bulk contribution the developer must pay the connection fees as applicable for the particular application, The developer is responsible for supply and installation of equipment.</p> <p>Housing units must incorporated alternative energy technology.</p>	<p>R 441,03</p> <p>R 441,03</p>	<p>R 462,64</p> <p>R 462,64</p>
7	NETWORK FEASIBILITY LOAD STUDY	2023/2024	2024/2025
	<p>For all subdivisions or developments where such a development has, to the reasonable discretion of the Deputy Director: Electrical &amp; Mechanical, an impact on the electrical network, the applicant will have to obtain at his cost a feasibility report from Electrical consultants regarding the impact of the development of the overall network.</p>		
8	CONSUMER DEPOSITS	2023/2024	2024/2025
	<p><b>DEPOSITS NOT VATABLE</b></p> <p>The following deposits shall be payable when application for a connection is made:</p> <p><b>8.1 Domestic supply:</b></p> <p>8.1.1 Amateur sporting clubs</p> <p>8.1.2 Charitable institutions</p> <p>8.1.3 Churches</p> <p>8.1.4 Council hostels</p> <p>8.1.5 Government dwellings and institutions</p> <p>8.1.6 Private dwelling-houses</p> <p>8.1.7 Retirement and care centres</p> <p>8.1.8 Townhouses</p> <p><b>Deposit payable</b></p> <p>8.1.9 Residential flats</p> <p><b>Deposit payable</b></p> <p>8.1.10 Indigent consumers (payable in two instalments)</p> <p><b>Deposit payable</b></p> <p>8.1.11 Households with pre paid electricity</p> <p><b>Deposit payable</b></p>	<p>R 1 914,52</p> <p>R 1 217,14</p> <p>R 519,76</p> <p>R 1 388,19</p>	<p>R 2 008,33</p> <p>R 1 276,78</p> <p>R 545,23</p> <p>R 1 456,21</p>
	<p><b>7.2 Business supply:</b></p> <p>7.2.1 <b>Deposit for business supply above 80A</b></p> <p>Deposit to be based on two months consumption calculated at 40% load factor or estimated consumption as calculated by the design engineer. Where a minimum deposit is more than R20 000-00, the applicant be allowed to pay 50% in cash and provide a bank guarantee for the balance.</p>	<p>R 3 289,55</p>	<p>R 3 450,74</p>
10	VALUE ADDED TAX	2023/2024	2024/2025
	<p>All tariffs are subjected to VAT</p> <p>Consumer deposits are exempted from VAT</p> <p><b>* IMPORTANT NOTE</b></p> <p>Tariffs containing three or more decimals will be rounded off to the nearest last two decimals. Where only two decimals are shown in the tariffs, no rounding off will take place. On the Residential sliding scale tariffs, no rounding off is applicable.</p>	<p>15%</p>	<p>15%</p>