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## **GENERAL RULES**

## 5. Installation and Maintenance of Overhead and Underground Facilities - Continued

## 5.5 Underground Facilities – Continued

- 5.5.2 Company's Cost Responsibility Continued
  - 5.5.2.6 Multiple Occupancy Buildings: Where the Company is required to place facilities underground to serve a residential multiple occupancy building, for any of the reasons listed in "b", "c," or "d" of General Rule 5.5.1, the Company shall bear the material and installation cost for up to a total of 100 feet of underground distribution, supply, and service line times the average number of dwelling units per floor. The total number of floors in the multiple occupancy building shall be used to determine the average number of dwelling units per floor.

## 5.5.3 Customer's Cost Responsibility

If to provide the service requested the Company must install or provide for the installation of facilities in addition to those whose cost the Company must bear under General Rule 5.5.2, the Company shall impose on the applicant a lump sum charge equal to the material and installation costs of such additional facilities. A residing applicant may, in lieu of a lump sum payment, opt for a surcharge option as outlined in General Rule 5.4.3. The Company will allow non-residing applicants to perform trenching or other work required to install distribution lines, service lines, or appurtenant facilities within the subdivision in lieu of a surcharge or lump-sum payment provided that the Company and applicant are in agreement on the cost and scope of such work.

5.5.3.1 With respect to such additional underground facilities that the Company installs to serve a residential subdivision in accordance with "a" or "d" of General Rule 5.5.1, or a residential building or subdivision in response to a local governmental requirement in accordance with "c" of General Rule 5.5.1, such lump sum charge shall equal the difference between the material and installation costs for underground facilities installed less the cost which the Company bears in accordance with General Rule 5.5.2.1. Should additional dwelling units be later constructed within the same subdivision within a five-year period, and take service from the same underground facilities, the Company will recalculate the charges paid by the non-residing applicant as if the additional dwelling unit(s) had been constructed at the time of the original construction, and refund without interest any monies due to the Customer.