## **Typical Overhead Service Installation**



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NOTE: Point of attachment of service drop and weatherhead must be at least 36 inches from doors, porches, or fire escapes. They must also be 36 inches from sides or bottom of windows. Service drop may not be within 36 inches in front of window.



Grounding - On a 200 AMP service, a continuous #4 cooper grounding conductor is to be furnished and installed by the member or contractor from the entrance panel (breaker panel or fuse box in home) to two approved ground clamps and rods 8 ft. deep and 6 ft. apart. The service panel must

also be grounded to the well casing or underground metallic water piping system if available. A continuous #6 copper grounding conductor is adequate for a 100 AMP Service.

Ground rod should be driven flush with grade.

## **Meter Base Specifications**

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Meter base must be furnished and installed by the owner or electrical contractor. This equipment is the property of the member and the member is responsible for this equipment.

Meter base for aerial or underground services can be purchased from local electric distributors or dealers. They will not be provided by the Cooperative.

Meter base must meet the following specifications:

- 1. Pressure plates for connections
- 2. 4 jaws
- 3. Ringless
- 4. Standard Knockouts
- 5. Steel case
- 6. Horn Type bypass
- 7. Unused hub opening and open knockouts shall have tamperproof closing plates installed.
- 8. Multiple position bases shall have individual sealable cover for each position. Extra position wiring space (if provided) shall be located on or near center and shall have an individual sealable cover.

\* The electrical service must pass inspection by an approved electrical inspection agency before it will be energized.