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## \*\*\* AUTOMATIC PAYMENT PLAN AGREEMENT \*\*\*

	Map #:		
Mailing Address:			
City:	State	Zip	-
Tenant: or Owner:			
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## PAYMENT AND BILLING OPTIONS

### ACH - Automatic Bank Draft:

It's free and convenient! No checks, stamps or envelopes needed. You'll never have to worry about whether or not you've paid your electric bill on time again! Sign up for WEC's automatic payment plan and your payment will be transferred from your checking or savings account 16-20 days from the date of the billing statement. You will continue to receive monthly bills from WEC either electronically (see below) or by mail so that you will know the amount of your bill and the kWh usage, but it will be marked "PD BY BANKDRAFT". As soon as the automatic payment plan has gone into effect, you will see a message on your bill stating "BANK DRAFT – DO NOT PAY". This will also be indicated on the bill stub. Until this message appears on your bill, you will need to pay in the usual manner. After that, payments will automatically be deducted from your account each month, unless you decide to withdraw from the program. If your savings or checking has insufficient funds, the payment will not be processed, and you will be charged a non-sufficient funds fee. If this happens more than once in twelve months, your account will be removed from the automatic bank draft cycle, and no personal checks will be accepted on your account for the period of one year.

#### E-Bill:

Have access to a computer and want to go paperless? Sign up to receive your bill electronically! It is quick, convenient and secure, and helps the Co-op keep its costs down, which benefits all of us! Just sign up at <a href="https://www.washingtonelectric.coop">www.washingtonelectric.coop</a>.

#### One-Time Electronic Payments:

Pay your bill by check or credit card online. If you absolutely, positively, need to make a payment quickly, this is a worthwhile option!

## Pay-By-Phone (IVR - Integrated Voice Response):

Need to make a payment quickly, but can't call the office during business hours and don't have access to a computer? You can access our automated line 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and make a payment by check or credit/debit card. Just call **802-223-5245** or **1-800-932-5245** to make a payment.

#### **Budget Billing:**

This allows you the option of budgeting monthly electric bills, so that you can spread your projected electric bills over the year. The budget payment amount is reviewed and adjusted (if necessary) every three months to minimize any underpayment or overpayment.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call WEC at 1-802-223-5245 or toll-free at 1-800-932-5245.