



Want more information?

For more detailed information on the various types of installations, visit **dteenergy.com**. While you're there, check out our tips to ensure that any related landscaping plans don't interfere with your electrical service.

How to Order

It's easy to start the process to request a new overhead or underground service installation or to convert your existing overhead service to underground. Just call DTE Energy at **800.477.4747** or visit **dteenergy.com**.

Regional Center Locations

Northwest Region—Farmington Center

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Southwest Region—Western Wayne Center

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Southeast Region—Downtown Detroit Headquarters

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North Area Energy Center Satellite Office

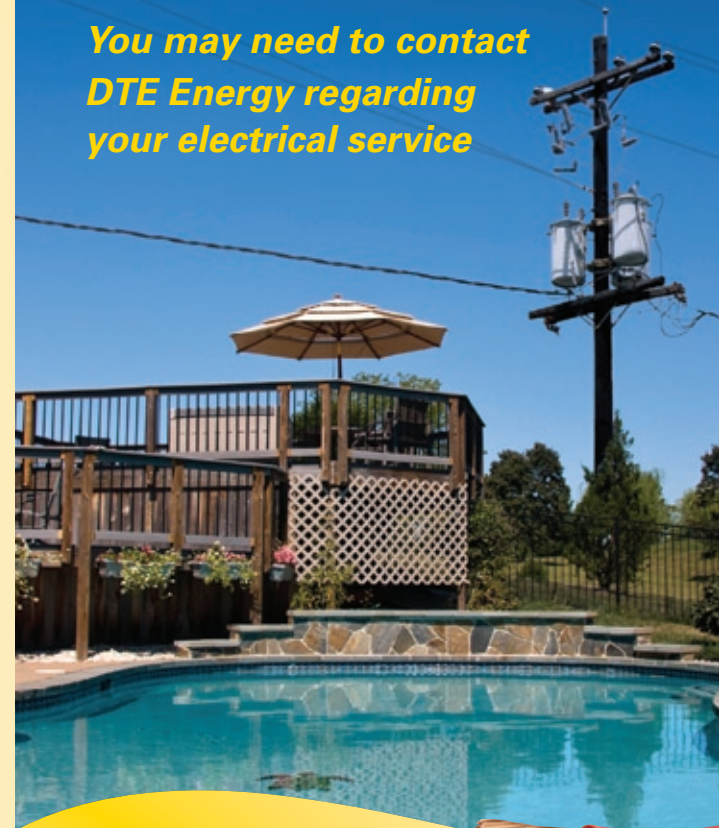
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**Building a new home?
Installing a pool?
Adding a deck or patio?**

**You may need to contact
DTE Energy regarding
your electrical service**



YOUR GUIDE FOR

- Obtaining New Overhead Electrical Service
- Obtaining New Underground Electrical Service
- Converting Your Overhead Electrical Service to Underground

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Don't forget your electrical service

If you're building your dream home or just making your existing home a little more comfortable, don't forget to consider whether your electrical service will require some modifications to accommodate your project.

If you're building a new home, you'll need to decide whether you want overhead or underground electrical service.

And if you're adding a pool, patio or deck, local building codes may require you to convert your existing overhead electrical service to underground to provide adequate safety clearance.

This brochure will help you consider the type of electrical service that is best suited to your project.



New Overhead Service Installations

Overhead service, also known as an overhead service drop, refers to the electrical power lines coming from the nearest utility pole to your home.

Charges

There is usually no charge for this type of installation if existing overhead poles and power lines are available on your property. If poles and lines are not available, there may be a charge for this service.

When to Order

Call DTE Energy as soon as possible to ensure we can meet your project deadlines. This is particularly important if you live in a rural area. Adequate advance notice gives us time to plan, design and construct any new poles and power lines that may be needed to meet your project time frame.



New Underground Service Installations

Underground service refers to situations in which the electrical power cable coming from our nearest power source to your home is buried in an underground trench. Many home owners opt for underground service to avoid overhead interference with trees or other landscaping.

Charges

Underground service installations are priced on a per-foot basis, depending on the size and amount of cable needed.

When to Order

Call DTE Energy as soon as possible to ensure we can meet your needs and project deadlines. This is particularly important if you live in a rural area. This gives us adequate time to plan, design and install new cable and equipment that may be needed to meet your project time frame.



Converting Overhead to Underground Service

The process of converting your service from overhead to underground is similar to the process used for an underground installation. The difference is that your existing overhead service is removed and a new cable is installed underground to serve your home.

If you want overhead clearance for your new pool, deck or patio, you'll find underground service to be your ideal option.

Charges

There is a conversion fee, plus the cost per foot for the underground cable. The underground cable charge depends on the size and amount of cable used for your installation.

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