## Installing and connecting service

Scope of work, required permits and weather conditions can impact the time frame. **Total project duration is typically three to six months.**

### Application
- **5% of project time**
  - Submit application and site plans
  - Review and process application

### Design
- **50% of project time**
  - Contact customer to discuss project
  - Site meeting
  - Engineering review, if necessary
  - Design project
  - Obtain easements and/or permits, if necessary

### Payment
- **10% of project time**
  - Communicate costs and provide agreements
  - Send invoice, if necessary
  - Submit payment and signed agreements

### Scheduling
- **10% of project time**
  - Schedule project and inform customer of expected start date
  - Maintain site ready through construction
  - Obtain inspections from city or county

### Construction and meter set
- **25% of project time**
  - Construction
  - Inspection approval sent to Xcel Energy by city or county
  - Meter is set and your project is complete

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*customer responsibility* | *Xcel Energy responsibility* | *shared responsibility* | *inspection*