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Sent: Friday, September 4, 2020 5:00 AM

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Subject: News and Info September 2020



To Electric League Members and Friends:

This has been a year of unusual events that affect businesses and personal lives. Your ELM leaders have decided to move all membership renewals (and even new memberships for those wishing to join for the first time) to begin on January 1, 2021.

This decision will give everyone some extra time to recover from the stresses of the past few months and allow the League to start fresh in 2021 with accounting for all of our memberships. You will receive information in December about how to renew your \$35 membership with us.

For those organizations and individuals who would consider being a sponsoring organization with some added benefits, please contact President Pete Elmo **peter.elmo2@aol.com** to receive information on cost and benefits of being an ELM sponsor.

A message from Gil Thompson, Vice President of ELM, with another important consideration ...

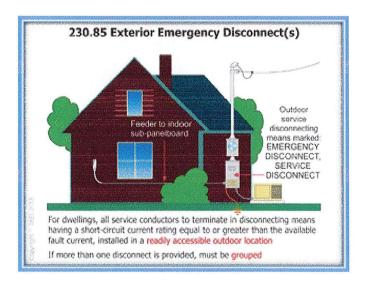


Some Things to Think About ...

Did you know that our own BGE utility is a progressive participant in a group working on a sensible solution to providing safety to first responders? Several servicing utilities are trying to develop a meter that contains a disconnecting means that will disconnect the power to dwelling units. It will help in small, contained spaces and always be located where the local power is provided. (See illustration below.)

Of course, if it is just a disconnection switch, then interrupting capacity must be taken into consideration as well as the proper label and delivery of equipment enclosure, and making sure other disconnecting means (solar, generator, etc.) can be grouped at that location.

Isn't it enlightening that consideration for safety, ease of installation, and assistance in easing the expenses to the public are being worked on by a great company such as BGE? BGE will keep us informed as solutions are ironed out.



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Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 6:01 AM

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Subject: Reminder: FREE Webinar 2020 NEC - Signs, Signs, Everywhere Signs



To All ELM and IAEI Members and Friends:

Don't forget to join us on **Monday**, **September 21 from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.** for a specially designed webinar for busy electrical industry people like you! Attached below is a flyer in case you want to post it or give it to an associate or friend.

Marty Schumacher, on behalf of ELM and IAEI, is inviting you to a scheduled **FREE** 90-minute Zoom meeting.

<u>Topic</u>: Signs, Signs, Everywhere Signs - A webinar on the 2020 NEC requirements for signage, labels, disconnects, and other Code changes.

Time: Monday, September 21, 2020 @ 2:00pm-3:30pm EST

Instructor: Marty Schumacher

Join Zoom Meeting:

https://zoom.us/j/2210338693?pwd=Vk84S2xWQ2lySHdHTDFrdzE4cnNhZz09

Meeting ID: 221 033 8693

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We hope you will be able to join this special webinar. Have a safe and healthy fall season.

Webinar Flyer

From the Board of Directors of ELM and IAEI Associations

From: Marty Schumacher 365

Sent: Monday, May 18, 2020 4:21 PM

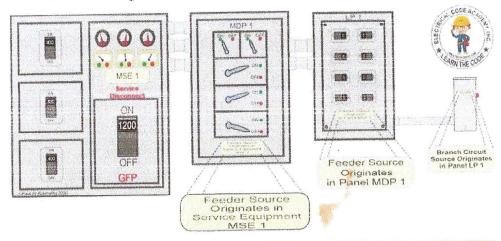
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Subject: More graphics

Gil,

I received permission from Paul Abernathy for his graphics. All he asks is notice the copyright of each graphic. If one of hi graphics does not have a copyright, let's give him credit for the graphic(s)- (Paul Abernathy, The Electrical Code Academy)

2020 NEC® Change - 110.22(A) Identification of Disconnecting Means

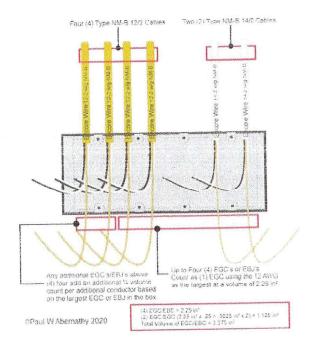


110.22(A) General.

Section 110.22(A) requires that all disconnecting means be marked in a legible manner to indicate its purpose. However, if the disconnect is arranged and located in a fashion that its purpose is evident the marking is not required.

Also, the section now states that in other than one- or two-family dwellings, additional marking rules now require the installer to include the identification of the circuit source supplying the disconnecting means. Lastly, it is made abundantly clear that all markings mentioned in this section are to be of sufficient durability to withstand the environment involved.

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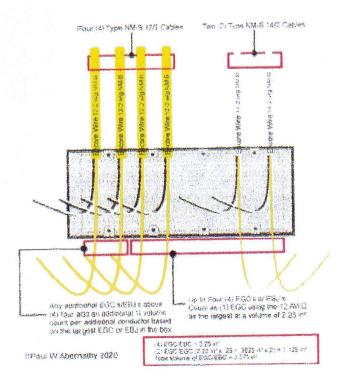
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