

# Connecticut Non-Residential Renewable Energy Solutions Netting & Buy-All Program Guidelines

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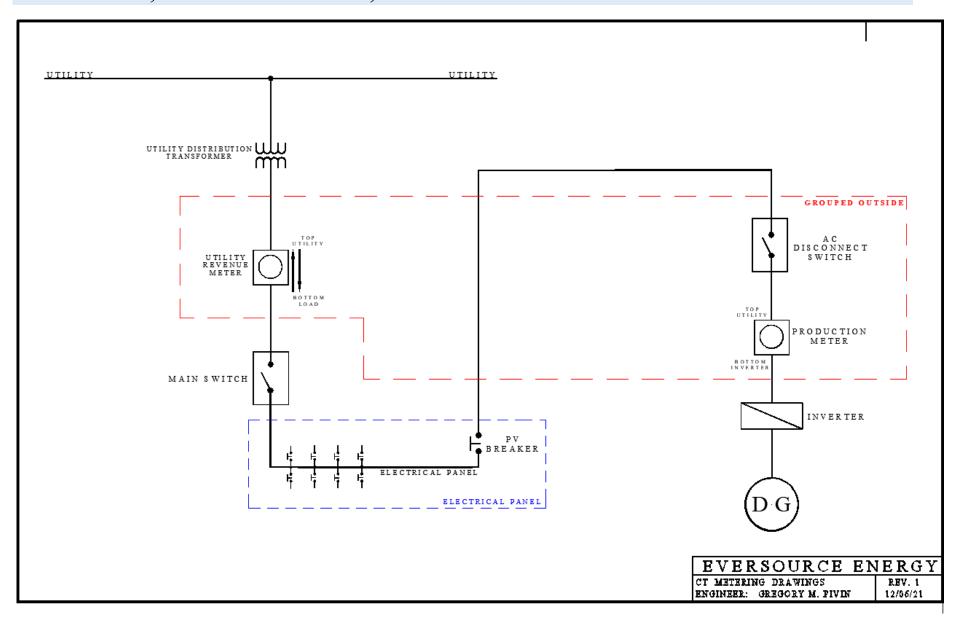
## METERING GUIDELINES FOR NETTING AND BUY-ALL INSTALLATIONS

- This guideline has been prepared to assist Installers with Non-Residential Solar Renewable Energy Solutions (NRES) applications for the Netting and Buy-All programs available in Connecticut
- The diagrams and guidelines included in this document are based on the existing service that the distributed generation (DG) will be connecting to and are not construction diagrams
- Refer to the available metering chart for requirements
- Project owners shall clearly label the meter socket with the Non-Residential Renewable Energy Solutions project number
- Installers shall follow the Company's Information and Requirements for Electric Supply booklet
- All DG must have an AC emergency disconnect. The disconnect must have a verifiable break with the ability to lock it in the OFF position. Breakers, push bottoms, or other means will not be considered for the DG emergency disconnect
- Projects shall be reviewed and approved by the Company prior to construction

#### **AVAILABLE METERING**

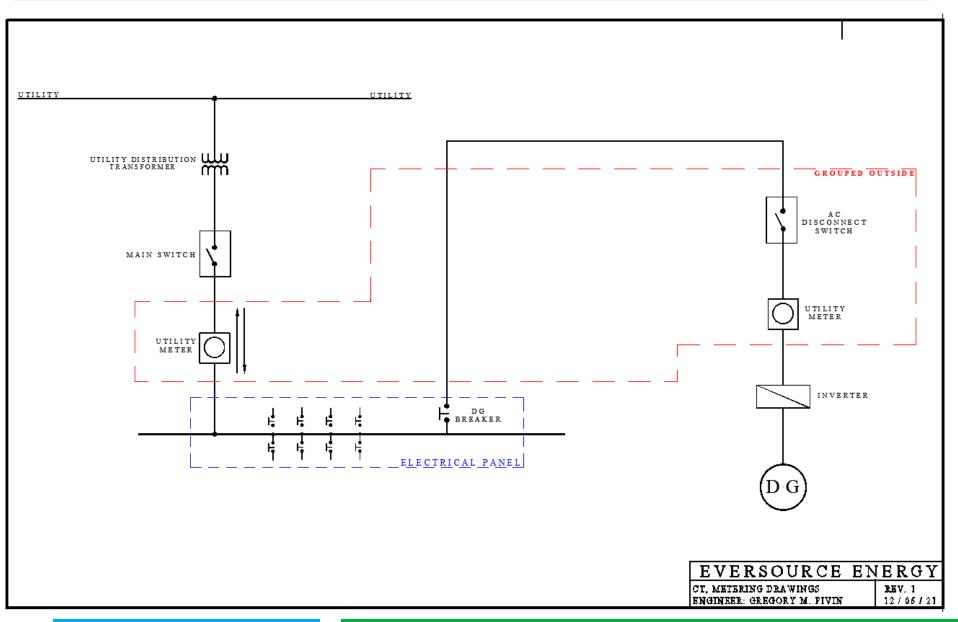
Self Contained Metering			
Supply Characteristics			
Nominal Voltage	Phase	Wire	Rating of Disconnects
120/240	1	3	400 Amps and less
120/208	1	3	200 Amps and less
208Y/120	3	4	400 Amps and less
480Y/277	3	4	400 Amps and less
Instrument Transformer Metering			
Supply Characteristics			
Nominal Voltage	Phase	Wire	Rating of Disconnects
120/240	1	3	Over 400 Amps
120/208	1	3	Not Available
208Y/120	3	4	Over 400 Amps
480Y/277	3	4	Over 400 Amps

#### NETTING, SINGLE PHASE, SELF-CONTAINED



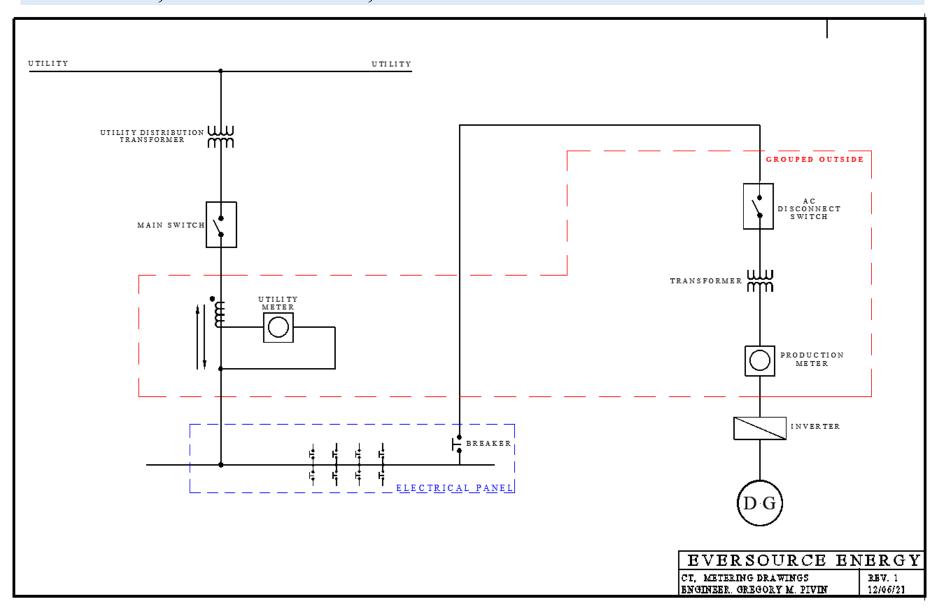
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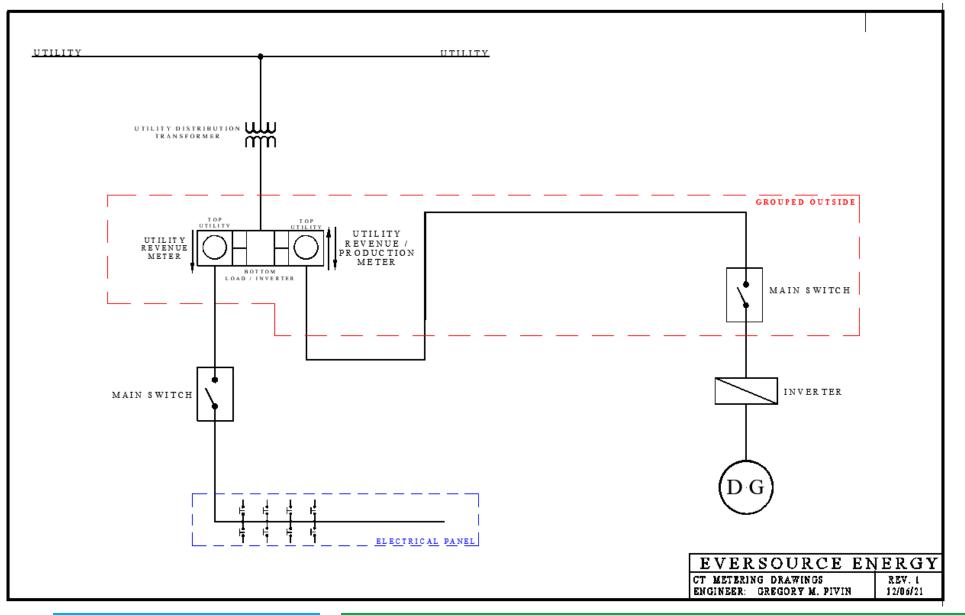
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#### **BUY ALL INSTALLATION GUIDELINES**



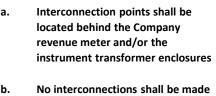
- 1. Initial contingent approval is not an approval of the final detailed design. It is a contingent approval of the system size, general location, and system impacts that require mitigation, if any.
- 2. Buy-All projects require a work request for electrical work or upgrade of service. Once customer conceptual design and equipment specifications are determined, contact the Electric Service Support Center at 1-888-544-4826 to obtain a work request number.
- 3. Once the work request is initiated, the Company will coordinate a field visit if required.
- 4. Customer construction and procurement of equipment shall not start until final approval has been granted by the Company.
- 5. Secondary loading shall not exceed the rating of the secondary service.
- 6. Buy-All interconnections are for generation only. No load additions shall be added without approval from the Company.
- 7. Buy-All installations that include load (i.e., battery storage) cannot exceed the Company's service limitations. Refer to the Company's Information & Requirements for Electric Supply booklet and new business policies.
- 8. The point of interconnection may be installed on the line side of the main disconnect in accordance with the manufacturer, UL ratings, and the Authority Having Jurisdictions (AHJ).
- 9. The point of interconnection shall be on the secondary of the service transformer.
- 10. Any modifications to switchgear must be done in accordance with the manufacturer's requirements, UL standards, and the Company's Information & Requirements for Electric Supply booklet.
- 11. The customer shall have sole responsibility for all secondary associated with the generator interconnection from the point of interconnection to the generator.

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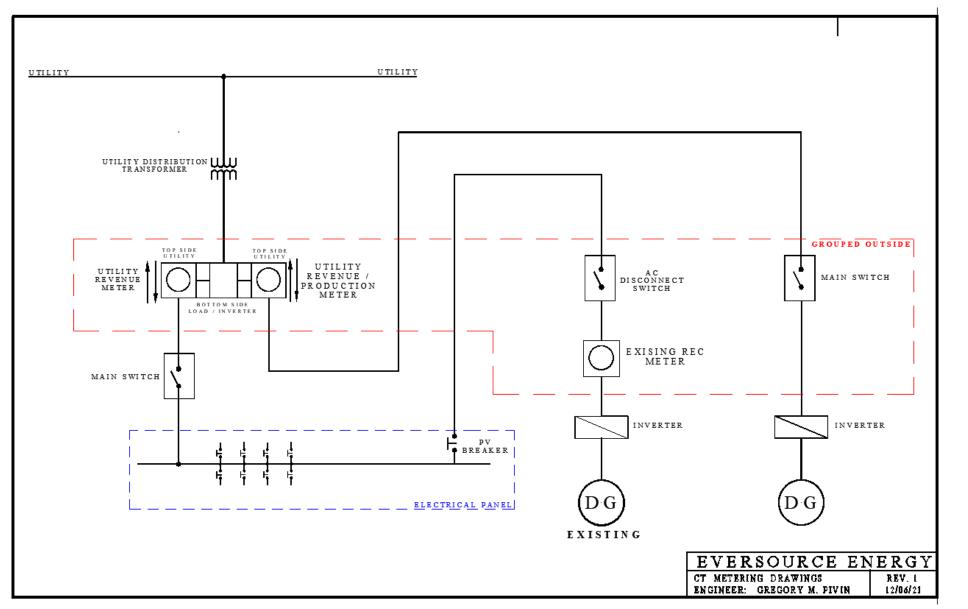


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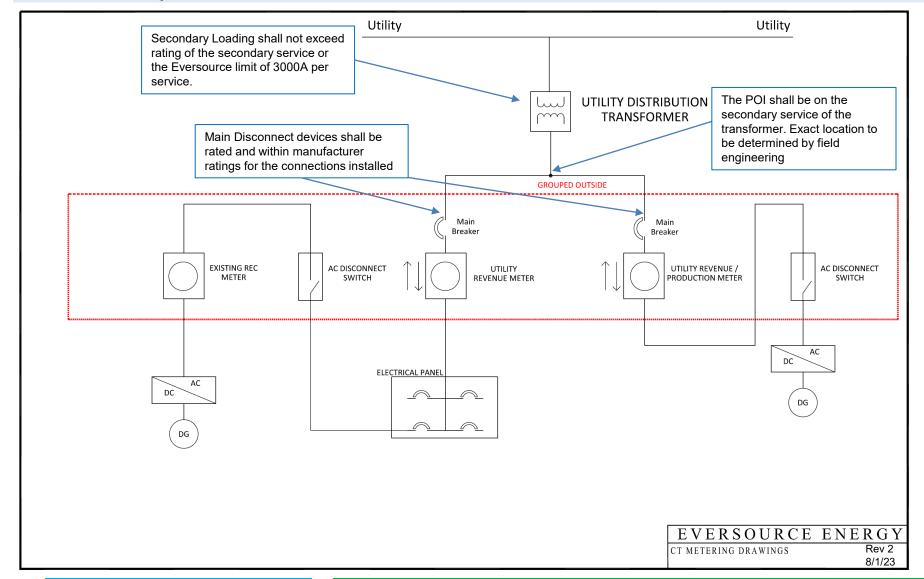
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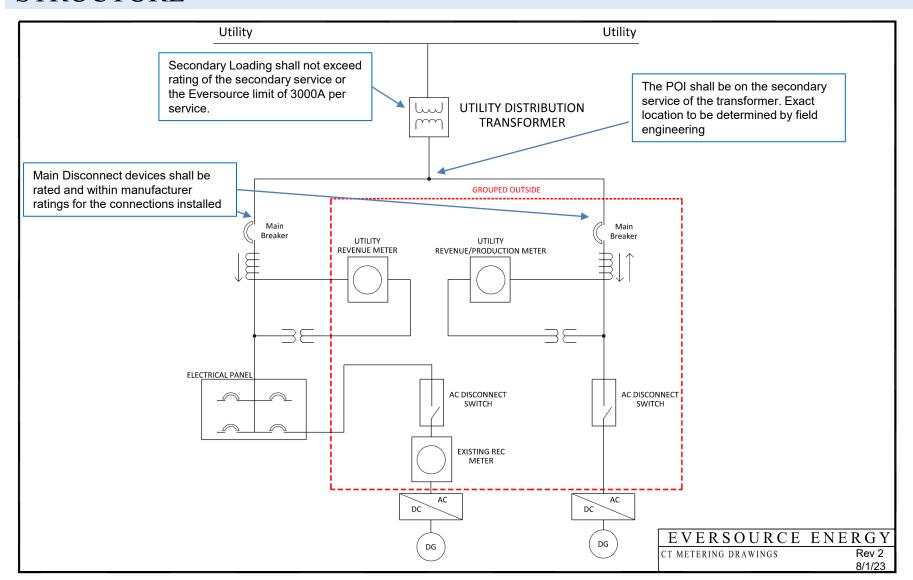


## BUY-ALL, EXISTING SOLAR, THREE PHASE, SELF-CONTAINED, COLD SEQUENCE



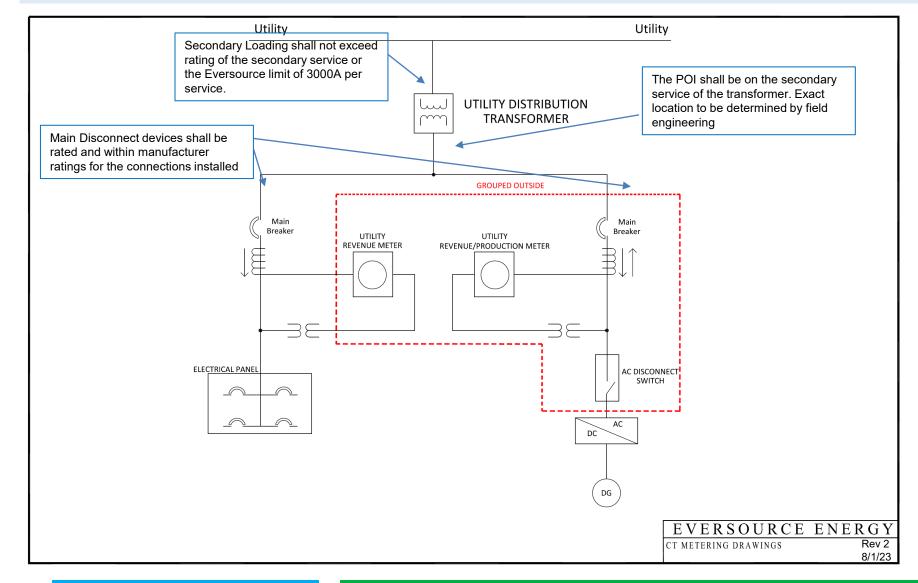
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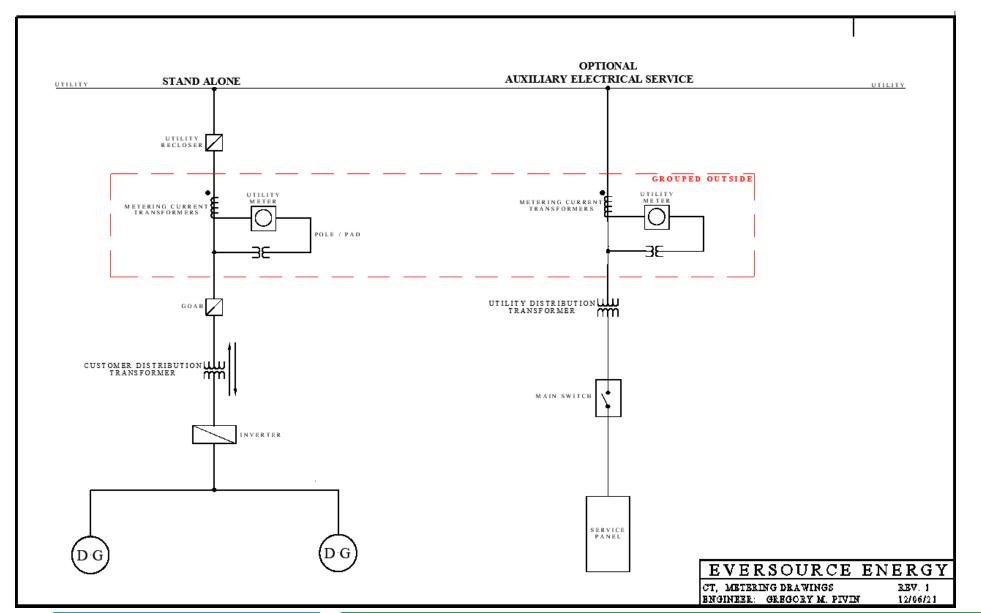
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