Meter Access Requirements

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To safely complete your electricity meter replacement, clear and unobstructed access to the meter location is required.

Why Access Is Required

Safe access allows Alectra Utilities to:

- Replace electricity meters.
- Perform inspections and maintenance.
- Respond to service issues when required.
- Ensure continued safe and reliable electrical service.

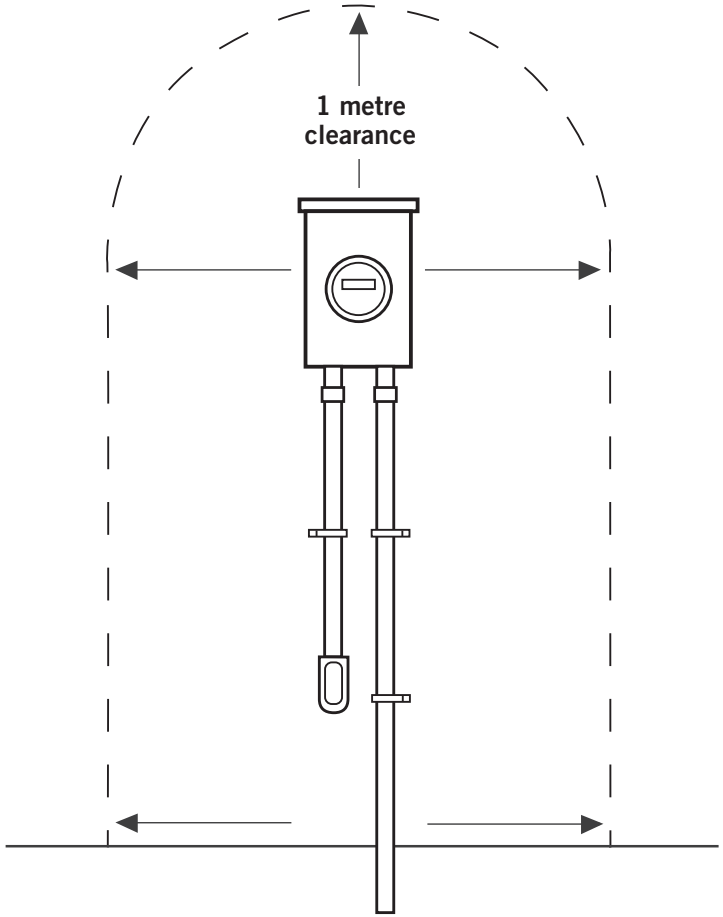
Common Access Issues

The following are common examples of conditions that may prevent your meter replacement:

- ☐ Locked gates or gates that swing into the clearance area
- ☐ Dogs or other pets in the yard
- ☐ Trees, shrubs, or vegetation blocking the meter
- ☐ Materials, equipment, or storage items blocking access
- ☐ Fences, decks, A/C units, or any other structures restricting access
- ☐ Meter installations that have been enclosed or obstructed by railings, siding, masonry, or other building modifications
- ☐ Any other condition that prevents safe and unobstructed access to the meter location

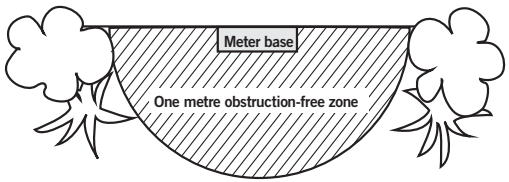
Metering Standard Requirement 20-0030

In accordance with Alectra Utilities Metering Standard 20-0030, the meter base and associated equipment must be maintained with **a minimum 1 metre radial obstruction-free area** from fences, trees, plants, shrubs, air conditioning units, communication structures, and other obstructions.



DO

maintain at least 1 metre (3 feet) of clear, unobstructed space around your meter and service conduits



DO NOT

plant vegetation, store items, build fences or decks, or install any other structures around meter equipment.

