

# KOHLER® POWER SYSTEMS

## Residential Standby Power System

### Installation Review Worksheet

The services and materials listed below are based on a typical standby power system where a separate *Essential Loads* circuit has been segregated from the existing main electrical service.

#### Basic Installation Includes

Onsite Services:	Materials Included:	Est. Cost:
<i>Physically mount generator and transfer switch:</i>	(Installations must meet applicable local codes)	
Mount generator	Gravel	
Ground generator	Ground rod, ground strap	
Bolt transfer switch to wall	Hardware	
Bolt subpanel to wall	Subpanel with breakers, hardware	
<i>Pipe fuel to generator: *</i>		
Run fuel to generator	Black iron pipe	
Connect fuel line to generator	Flexible fuel line †	
<i>Electrical connection:</i>		
Wire transfer switch to main panel	Copper wire, 3 conductor, conduit †	
Wire switch to subpanel	Copper wire, 3 conductor, conduit †	
Isolate emergency loads to subpanel	Circuit breaker, 40 amp (8.5RES) or 50 amp (12RES); use existing wiring †	
Wire power leads from generator to switch	Copper wire, 3 conductor, conduit †	
Wiring for battery charger	120 volt outlet plus cost of wiring †	
Wire DC control wire from generator to switch	Conductors, conduit †	

\* A gas meter upgrade may be required in order to provide sufficient fuel capacity for the generator and other appliances.

† Fuel line pipe sizes and wire sizes can change depending on distances; see sales associate.

#### Estimated Cost for your Kohler Generator System

Generator	Size/kW	Furnished Price	Furnished & Installed Price ‡
Air Cooled: (Natural Gas/LP Vapor)			
8.5RES	8,500 Watts	\$ _____	\$ _____
12RES	12,000 Watts	\$ _____	\$ _____
Delivery Cost		\$ _____	\$ _____
Cost of Permits		\$ _____	\$ _____
Estimated Total		\$ _____	\$ _____

‡ Includes Basic Installation

# Residential Generator Set/Transfer Switch Installation Checklist

Read and understand all of the safety precautions found in the operation and installation manuals. Make the following installation checks before starting the generator set.

**Note:** Use this form as a general guide, along with any applicable codes or standards. Comply with all applicable codes and standards. Improper installation voids the warranty.

Yes

## Enclosure

- 1. Does the location comply with clearances stated in the generator set operation and installation manual?
- 2. Is the enclosure clean with all materials not related to the emergency power supply system removed?
- 3. Is the area around the installation clean and free of combustible materials (leaves, dry grass, etc.)?
- 4. Do the enclosure doors close completely and lock?

## Engine and Mounting

- 5. Is the mounting surface properly leveled?

## Lubrication

- 6. Is the engine crankcase filled with the specified oil?

## Cooling and Ventilation

- 7. Is the air inlet clear of obstructions?

## Fuel

- 8. Is the fuel piping installed in accordance with applicable codes and standards?
- 9. Are flexible fuel lines installed between the generator set fuel inlet and fuel piping?
- 10. Is 7-11 in. (4-6 oz.) gas pressure available at the fuel regulator inlet?
- 11. Does the gas solenoid valve function?

## Exhaust

- 12. Does the exhaust system outlet location prevent entry of exhaust gases into buildings or structures?

Yes

## AC Electrical System

- 13. Do the nameplate voltage/frequency ratings of the generator set and transfer switch match normal/utility source ratings?
- 14. Do the generator set load conductors have adequate ampacity and are they correctly connected to the circuit breakers and/or the emergency side of the transfer switch?
- 15. Are the generator set load leads, battery charger cables, and AC wiring installed in separate conduit from engine starting leads and DC wiring?
- 16. Is the battery charger AC circuit connected to the corresponding voltage?
- 17. Is equipment grounded in accordance with local codes?

## Transfer Switch, Remote Control System, Accessories

- 18. Does the transfer switch mechanism operate without binding?  
**Note:** Disconnect all AC sources and operate the transfer switch manually.
- 19. Are the transfer switch AC conductors correctly connected? Verify lead designations using the appropriate wiring diagrams.
- 20. Is all other wiring connected, as required?

## Batteries and DC Electrical System

- 21. Does the battery have the specified CCA rating and voltage?
- 22. Are the engine starting cables connected to the battery?