

### **Estimated installation time and equipment needed:**

Estimated installation time: 1 hour for preparation of the foundation and 1 hour for the installation, per pole. ~2 hours total.

This is based on average installation time from previous projects. Project specific installation time may vary.

Equipment: truck with crane. Backhoe for foundation digging and prep.

Labor: typically, 3 workers are needed for installation

Materials: they recommended getting the cost of the concrete based on the foundation dimensions and local costs. Anchor bolts are included.

### **Additional data points:**

- The system (solar array, battery size) was spec'd based on an analysis of weather data, solar irradiation (amount of solar power shining down on the specific project area for a given time) for the last 10 years. As additional data is finalized, e.g., pole locations, etc., a final feasibility study will be done. prior to system deployment.
- Energy consumption: the specified LED light pole uses between .020 and .026 kWh/night
- Annual energy consumption and Electricity Savings \$: it was calculated the project area has 4,500 hours of night per year. This represents 117 kWh of energy consumption annually per pole. (.026 kWh \* 4,500 hours)
- A traditional light pole using a high-pressure sodium bulb consumes 1,800 kWh per year per pole = 216MW per year for 120 poles (1,800 kWh \* 120 poles)
- The team calculated an estimated savings in electricity costs of \$306 per pole per year = \$36,720 = \$367,200 over 10 years (\$306 \* 120 \* 10).

### **Daily Consumption and Energy Generation:**

Because of the efficiency of the solar panels, the system generates power based on illumination, i.e., visible light, not just sunlight. So even on a cloudy, rainy, etc. day the solar array is generating power.

- Solar Generation: on an ideal, full illumination day with 9 hrs. and 25 mins (based on the shortest day of the year, Dec 20-21 at the Effingham Sand Hill Complex), the solar generation will be 2.867 kWh
- Summary: based on the shortest day of the year (minimal illumination, minimum amount of time to replenish, and longest period of darkness/light usage) the usage is .375 kWh, which represents just ~13% of the daily solar generation rate.

Technically the battery has the capacity to power the system for up to 4 days without any solar generation.

An optional backup function, called the "anti-blackout system", monitors the weather and the charge/discharge model over the past 5 days and can adapt the output to avoid a shut-down of the light.

The info in the drawing helps to ballpark an estimated application OM given these components:

Pole: ~14.6ft high x ~10"OD

Light: 1.55 ft<sup>2</sup> EPA (per Light1 drawing), drag coeff = 1

Light Arm: 5.4 ft<sup>2</sup> EPA (per Light1 drawing: double tube 3.5" 7ft rise, 8ft run), drag coeff = 0.67

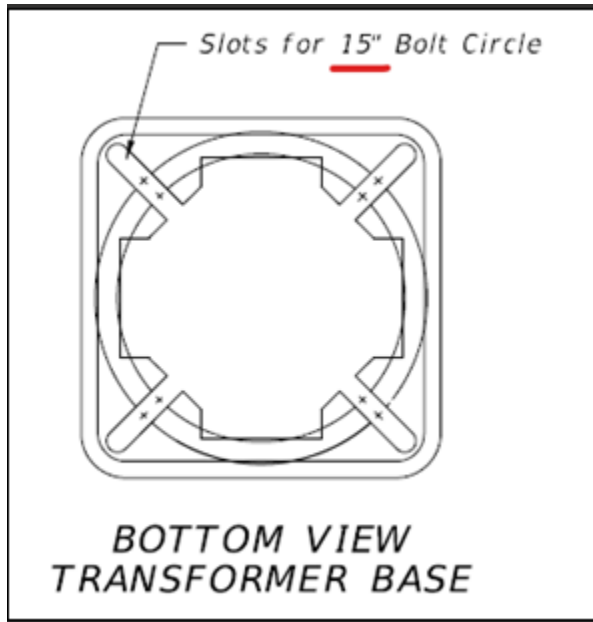
Wind speed: 170mph (per Light1 drawing)

Total Application OM will be ~13 kip-ft so it seems our standard 9.8"OD EasySet has the capacity for the application (20 kip-ft) if a hole can be dug up to 8ft deep (PJF to review and confirm).

Here's a potential concern that maybe you can check in w/ Kevin to see what his thoughts are:

The breakaway component they are using is actually a 1.5ft high Transformer Base Enclosure that connects into the foundation via a 15" bolt-circle and then ties into the pole via a 13.5" bolt-circle.

The flange for our EasySet has a bolt-circle range of 11.6" to 14" so maybe Kevin would know if those bottom slots (shown in the below figure) could work for that narrower range.



## Off Grid, Solar Street Lighting with Battery Storage Specifications

Pole Structure	
<b>Material</b>	Galvanized steel with hot dipped galvanized coating per ISO 1461 Anchors included.
<b>Shape</b>	Conical
<b>Paint</b>	Available colors with the RAL color matching system
<b>Height</b>	26.25 ft (8m)
<b>Circumference</b>	Base: 6.14 in (156mm), Top: 2.99 in (76mm)
<b>Arm Length</b>	2.62 ft (.8m), single arm configuration • Optional pole arm length from 1.64 ft to 4.92 ft (.5m to 1.5m). Price may differ.
<b>Voltage</b>	24V
<b>Operating Temperature</b>	-40F to 158F
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Party Peripherals</b>	Not supported under current architecture*
<b>Foundation</b>	2.62 ft x 2.62 ft x 4.27 ft (0.8m Width x 0.8m Length x 1.3m Depth)



Pole Layout:

