

# Southeastern Electric Co-op

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## 71st ANNUAL MEETING

Thursday, August 5th

The 71st Annual Meeting of Southeastern Electric Cooperative will be held at Durant High School auditorium at 5 p.m., Tuesday, August 3rd, 2010. Trustees will be elected for Districts 4, 5, and 6 in accordance with Article IV, of the Cooperative's By-Laws.

### -Notice of Candidacy-

Any member of a district desiring to be a candidate for election as a trustee from that district shall file with the Secretary of the Cooperative written notice, on a form provided by the Secretary, of their candidacy and intention to stand for election to the office of trustee from their district not less than twenty-five (25) days nor more than thirty (30) days prior to the annual meeting of the members of the Cooperative.

Only persons filing written notice of their candidacy and intention to stand for election shall be eligible for election at the annual meeting.

## BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Robert O. Shephard.....	Dist. 1
Dennis Bowen.....	Dist. 2
Llyod G. Owens.....	Dist. 3
William J. Haddock.....	Dist. 4
Ted Dosh.....	Dist. 5
Anthony Dillard.....	Dist. 6
David Blackburn.....	Dist. 7
James M. Dancer.....	Dist. 8
Jeff Willingham.....	Dist. 9

## MANAGER

Larry Speaks

## STAFF

Randy Chambers	James Fox
Randy Cloyd	Susan Harness
Jim Coleman	Bill Hutchinson

## PERSONNEL

Jeff Angel	Eric Dunegan	Tom Liwai
Kevin Ashley	Michael Green	Brandon Lyles
Dale Boyd	Tiffany Hempstead	Brian Phillips
Susan Boyd	Warren Hunnicutt	Earl Pratt
Leith Burkhalter	Donna Iams	Janie Proffer
Kenny Compton	Kelby Johnson	Chance Sinor
Randell Connor	Sharla Justus	Dustin Stepp
Jennifer Crane	Sean King	Leah Tyner
Dennis Cullum	Jeff Lake	Kathleen Weller
		Mary Young

## SEC Updating it's Life Support Equipment Register

Southeastern Electric is in the process of updating it's "life-support equipment" registry. If you believe your condition is such that you should be included on this list please contact Southeastern Electric at 580-924-2170 or 866-924-1315.



## STATEMENT OF NONDISCRIMINATION of Southeastern Electric Cooperative

Southeastern Electric Cooperative is the recipient of Federal financial assistance from the Rural Utilities Service, an agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and subject to the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Section 504 of Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, and the rules and regulations of the U.S. Department of Agriculture which provide that no person in the United States on the basis of race, color, national origin, age or handicap shall be excluded from participation, admission or access to, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any of this organization's programs or activities.

The person responsible for coordinating this organization's nondiscrimination compliance efforts is Jim Coleman, Director of Marketing & Member Services. Any individual or specific class of individuals, who feels that this organization has subjected them to discrimination may obtain further information about the statutes and regulation listed above from and/or file a written complain with the organization, or the Secretary, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250; or the Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, Washington, D.C. 20250. Complaints must be filed within 180 days after the alleged discrimination. Confidentiality will be maintained to the extent possible.

# SOUTHEASTERN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. DISCONNECT POLICY

Objective: It shall be the policy of Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Cooperative") to disconnect electric service on delinquent accounts when any and all attempts have failed to collect payment for services rendered.

Delinquent Accounts: The Cooperative will always consider the welfare of each member before an account is disconnected. The following provisions will be followed in an effort to ease the hardship caused to members being disconnected, as follows:

- A. Delinquent accounts will only be disconnected between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Monday through Thursday and between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. on Friday.
- B. The employee sent to disconnect the service will make a reasonable effort to make personal contact with the member at the residence or meter location, if service is non-residential.
- C. Delinquent accounts will not be disconnected when the ambient temperature is above 100° degrees or below 32° degrees Fahrenheit.
- D. No service will be disconnected on the day before banks are scheduled to be closed.
- E. All applicable charges prescribed within the Cooperative's Standard Rate Schedule, along with an increased or additional security deposit, may be collected before any delinquent account will be reconnected.
- F. After a delinquent account has been disconnected and the reason for the discontinued service has been eliminated, Cooperative will reconnect the service in the normal course of its daily workload.
- G. Cooperative reserves the right to amend or modify its Disconnect Policy.
- H. Cooperative reserves the right to refuse service to any consumer who uses an alias, the name of a relative or other person(s) as a method to escape payment on an unpaid obligation for electrical service provided to them.

Notices: The Cooperative will bill each consumer as promptly as possible according to their billing cycle.

- A. The due date listed on each bill is the date the consumer must pay by, in order to avoid a penalty charge.
- B. The due date listed on the bill applies only to the current bill and not any past due balances.
- C. Consumers will be notified on the current bill that amounts not paid by the due date are subject to disconnection.
- D. The Cooperative may send one (1) 48 hour cut-off notice prior to disconnecting service.

Date Adopted: May 23, 2005

Date Amended: November 23, 2009

## Second Notice of Rate Revision

On May 24th the SEC Board of Trustees approved a 2010 Rate Revision. The new rate will go into effect for "bills rendered on and after August 1st." Additional information may be obtained on SEC's Website:

**www.se-coop.com, or call  
580.924.2170 and ask for  
Member Services.**

### Agencies Offer Assistance with Unpaid Electric Bills

Southeastern Electric members who find themselves unable to pay for electric service may be eligible for bill paying assistance from one or more government or social agencies. The following is a list of those agencies.

#### Department of Human Services

County Of:

**ATOKA:** P.O. Box 418 • 401 N. Greathouse Dr. •

Atoka, OK 74525

Telephone: 580-889-3394

**BRYAN:** P.O. Box 837 • 4302 Hwy. 70 • Durant, OK  
74701

Telephone: 580-924-1866

**COAL:** 1 North Main • Coalgate, OK 74538

Telephone: 580-927-2379

**CHOCTAW:** P.O. Box 40 • Antlers, OK 74523

Telephone: 580-298-3361

**JOHNSTON:** 1009 E. Main • Suite A • Tishomingo,  
OK 73460

Telephone: 580-371-9591