

# VVEC LINE LIFE

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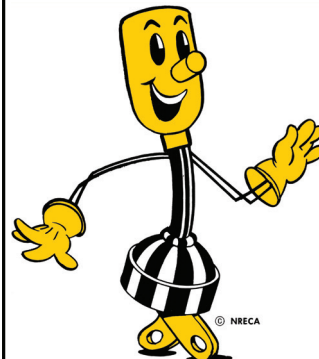
## WIRED UP FOR SAFETY

OKLAHOMA'S ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES

May is National Electrical Safety Month and since line work is one of the 10 most dangerous jobs in the U.S., it's our responsibility to educate our members and those around us about the dangers of these high voltages!

Throughout the month of May, members will receive a weekly email that is focused on electrical safety as well as social media posts geared toward safety and we'll end the month with a Member Appreciation lunch featuring safety tips!

### JOIN US FOR MEMBER APPRECIATION DAY!



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COME SEE US FROM  
11 AM - 2 PM ON  
**MAY 31ST, 2024**  
FOR A FREE HOT DOG,  
CHIPS AND DRINK!

## STAY SAFE IF YOU ENCOUNTER A DOWNED POWER LINE


OVERHEAD LINES OPERATE AT SEVERAL THOUSAND VOLTS; KEEP YOUR DISTANCE! ALWAYS ASSUME A DOWNED POWER LINE IS ENERGIZED AND STAY AWAY. A POWER LINE DOESN'T HAVE TO BE SPARKING OR SIZZLING TO BE ENERGIZED SO NEVER APPROACH ONE!


Here are some additional tips to keep you and your family safe:

- Remember the 10-foot rule: When carrying and using ladders and other long tools, keep them at least 10 feet away from all overhead lines - including any lines from the power pole to your home.
- Electricity always seeks a path to the ground. When you become part of this path, you may be injured or killed. Good conductors include water, your body, tree branches, poles and ladders.
- If you see a fallen line, fallen tree limbs, as well as anything they are touching - such as puddles and fences, stay far away. Keep pets and children away too! If there is a fallen power line near your home, stay inside unless told by emergency personnel to evacuate.
- Report downed power lines to Verdigris Valley Electric by calling 918-371-2584 or by using the SmartHub app at [www.vvec.com/smarthub](http://www.vvec.com/smarthub).

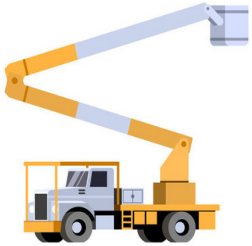


Let me win.  
But if I cannot win,  
let me be brave  
in the attempt.  
- Special Olympics athlete oath



May	Electrical Safety Month	
5.12	Mother's Day	
5.15-17	Special Olympics	
5.27	Memorial Day (Offices Closed)	
5.31	Member Appreciation Lunch!	

For the next few months, tree crews will be working to clear right-of-way in the North Bartlesville and Verdigris substation areas. Once completed, crews will move to the Collinsville substation area until it is complete.



Please contact Thomas Martinez at 918-586-6208 with any questions.



Do you know where this is? Be the first to correctly guess the location during the month of May and receive a \$50 bill credit! Call Megan Jackson at 918-371-2584 to submit your guess!

April's Location correctly guessed by Melissa: Hickory Creek Bridge on Old 169 between Rd 8 and Rd 9 in Lenapah, OK

# EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



## ANNIE STOUT



May's Spotlight is shining brightly on Office Manager Annie Stout! Annie will celebrate her tenth year as a VVEC employee in August and has held a variety of titles during that time! She's been a Member Services Representative, in Data Processing, Collections, CPCs, Billing, Engineering, Dispatching and is now the Office Manager.



Annie loves dogs and has three pups of her own - June, Josey and Doc - whom she loves to spoil! In her down time, Annie loves spending time with her nieces and nephews, going to concerts and hanging out with her friends. She's also a big fan of true crime and has a LOT of Halloween decor including some enormous inflatables!

Having different roles over the course of her career, Annie has learned the value of how we serve our members. "We care about our members and I see how we strive to give them the best service everyday," said Annie. Thank you for your hard work! Excellent job, Annie!

*"The relationships you build with members over time is really special and so important to our day!"*

## MEMORIAL DAY



HONORING ALL WHO SERVED



"KINDNESS IS IGNITING A LIGHT IN SOMEONE ELSE FOR NO REASON OTHER THAN TO WATCH THEM ENJOY THE GLOW."  
- RAKTIVIST



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## WE HEARD YOU!

A NEW LOOK IS COMING TO YOUR BILLING STATEMENTS!

- EASIER TO READ ✓
- MARKETING MADE EASY ✓
- COST COMPARISON OVER TIME ✓

Coming Soon!

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## VVEC IS LOOKING FOR LOST MEMBERS – CURRENT ADDRESSES NEEDED

From time to time members move out of VVEC's service territory or pass away but Capital Credits still have to be allocated for the energy used while members had active service. Sometimes VVEC's last known address is not correct and the capital credit checks that are sent out come back to the cooperative. We need your help to find these former members. If you see a name on the list that you recognize and you have information about a current address, please contact us at 918-371-2584.

HOUGH LAURA	KARA ERNEST	LESSLEY SONORA	MCCREARY SAWYER
HOUSER DAN	KARRIMAN ASHLEY	LEVECQUE PIERRE	MCCREEDY M A
HOUSTON RICHARD	KARTHER MARTHA	LEWIS RYAN	MCDANIEL SHARON
HOWARD WILLIAM	KASH JAMES	LEWIS CARL	MCDANIEL MIKE
HOWARD DESMOND	KEATON JOE	LEWIS MYRNA	MCDONALD HAROLD
HOWE KRISTYN	KEENEN HELEN	LEWIS TOMMY	MCELROY DANA
HOWELL JULIAN	KEENER TRAVIS	LINDE TONEY	MCGILL OIL COMPANY MCGILL
HUDSON AMBER	KEETCH EDWARD	LINDESMITH CARL	MCGINNIS DENNY
HUDSON ANITA	KEILBARTH DENISE	LINTZ JEAN	MCINTIRE JOHN
HUFF BEN	KEITH M R	LIPPERT JACK	MCKINNEY JOHN
HUGHES JOANNA	KEITH CHERYL	LITTLE TRAVIS	MCLAIN CHRISTOPHER
HUGHES KATIE	KELLEHAN CONNIE	LITTLE JAMES	MCLAUGHLIN CALVIN
HUMPHREYS LEXIE	KELLEY ROGER	LOEWECKE ROGER	MCLEMORE RONELL
HUNT MISTY	KELLCUT TERRY	LOFFER MICHAEL	MCSPERITT ALEISHA
HUNTER TRAVIS	KELLY BILL	LOFFER MCKENZIE	MEAD LAURENCE
HUNTER FRANK	KELLY JAMES	LONG LAURA	MEAD VAUGHN
HUTCHINSON ROGER	KELSEY RENEE	LONG LESTER	MEDCALF MISTY
HUTTON JERRY	KENNEDY MICHAEL	LONG PAUL	MEDLOCK SUSAN
IKENBERRY CARL	KERR FRANKIE	LONGO KIMBERLY	MEDLOCK RICK
INLOW RANDY	KERSEY SCOTT	LOPEZ EDUARDO	MEEKS TROY
INVESTMENT SWINSON	KESTER CHAD	LOPEZ-DOMINGUEZ LILIA	MEIER NATALIE
INVESTMENTS PALLIDON	KIMBELL GLENN	LORD DENA	MELTON NORIE
ISAACSON MARVIN	KING RYAN	LOUSCH RICHARD	MERCHANT MICHAEL
ISAAK JOHNNY	KING JOYCE	LOVE MICHELLE	MESCALERO OIL & GAS
IVEY C M	KINLAW PETROLEUM CORPORATION	LOWE TERRI	MESSMER CARL
J & B BIG VALLEY LLC	KIRK LINDA	LOWE BEN	MEURER EDWARD
JACKSON MELVIN	KIRK JEANETTE	LOWE MARK	MILLER EDGAR
JACKSON TIM	KIRK JUDITH	LOYD FRANCES	MILLER DANIEL
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JACKSON	KIRKPATRICK LAURON	M & T PRECISION SERVICES LLC	MILLER JUNIOR
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JARREAU MICHEAL	KNIGHT DUANE	MALLORY LINDSEY	MILLER JUDY
JEFFERSON DAKOTA	KNIGHT J R	MALONE VIOLA	MILLS BUCKY
JENKINS JOHN	KNIGHT DWIGT	MALOY BOBBY	MILLS JAMES
JENNINGS GARY	KOEX INC WAYSIDE OIL LTD II	MANES PAUL	MINIER CHAD
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JOHNSON N'COLE	LAND KATIE	MARTIN ANNA	MOORE JACKLYN
JOHNSON CURTIS	LANDWEHR JR SAMUEL	MARTIN SKIP	MOORE DANIELLE
JOHNSON CYNTHIA	LANGLEY GLENDA	MARTINEZ LISSET	MOORE WILLIAM
JOHNSON NANCY	LARMAN BRYAN	MARTINEZ JR E S	MOORE KEVIN
JOHNSTON CHARLES	LARSH JOHN	MASINGALEAMBER	MOORE BOB
JONES FRANCES	LAUGHLIN DAVID	MASSEY KENNETH	MORAST GRANT
JONES CRYSTAL	LAUMAN VELMA	MATSUSHIMA DONNA	MORGAN LANNETTE
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KANE EDITH	LERCH MICHELLE	MCCREA VICTOR	MULLIS VICKI

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MUNIZ SHERI  
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MURPHY PAT  
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MUSGRAVE JAMES  
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MYERS BEN  
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OSWALT CARLENE  
OUSLEY TIM  
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PARKER DUSTIN  
PARTAIN STEVE  
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PCS SOUTHWEST  
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PEARSON KAYE  
PEARSON TOMMY  
PEASE JACK  
PEER F F  
PENDERGRASS SUSANE  
PENDLEY RALPH  
PEPPER NICOLE  
PERKINS NORMA  
PERKINS KELLY  
PERRY BYRON  
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PLUMER PEGGY  
POE KARAH  
POINTER SANDRA  
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POTTS ZELMA  
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POWELL ROBERTA  
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RIDEWATER OPERATING  
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ROBERTS JENNIFER  
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ROLLINS CLINTON  
ROONEY LINDA  
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ROSS TERRI  
ROSS BRITTON  
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ROTH MARILYN  
ROUND AMBER  
ROWDEN KAREN  
ROWE JACK  
RUDLUFF ROBERT

RUMINER-RODLUN LORA  
RUPE DARRELL  
RUSSELL ALAN  
SAGI JANOS  
SAINTZ LARRY  
SALLEE MARY  
SAMAROO DYLAN  
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SANCHEZ KIERRA  
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SANDERS VANESSA  
SARTIN MERCEDEZ  
SATTEFIELD SUSAN  
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SAWNEY LAURA  
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SMITH DAVIS  
SMITH JAMES  
SMITH DWIGHT  
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# DID YOU KNOW?



[HTTPS://WWW.VVEC.COM/  
CAPITAL-CREDITS](https://www.vvec.com/capital-credits)

YOU CAN SEARCH FOR LOST MEMBERS ON OUR WEBSITE!

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SCOTT MICHAEL  
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SEALS SR RONALD  
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SERRINI CHARLES  
SEVISON JOSHUA  
SEXTON CODY  
SHARITT JOHN  
SHARP COLTON  
SHARP MICHAEL  
SHAW ROY  
SHAW CHAS  
SHEA TOMMY  
SHEARER RACHEL  
SHELDON ADAM  
SHIELDS JACK  
SHIREMAN PAUL  
SHOEMAKER AMBER  
SHORT RANDI  
SHULL JUDY  
SILVA MICHAEL  
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SIMMONS RESIDENTIAL HOMES GROUP LLC  
SIMMS ANTHONY  
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STANDRIDGE ROGER  
STANFORD SUSAN  
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STARK DAVID  
STARK JOE  
STARK MARK  
STARK KEITH  
STARMER ROCKY  
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STATUM AARON  
STCLAIR RON  
STEIDLEY MADELIN  
STEVENS CANDACE  
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 STRAINS TAYLOR'D  
 STRETCH FREDERICK  
 STRICKLAND AMANDA  
 STRICKLIN TAMMY  
 STRITZKE JERRY  
 SULLIVAN RYAN  
 SULLIVAN MITCHELL  
 SULLIVAN ASHLEY  
 SUMMERLIN DENISE  
 SUMNER KEITH  
 SUNAGOOWIE TEX  
 SUND CAMERON  
 SUNDAY LAVERNE  
 SUPAKA A R  
 SURGUY DAVID  
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 SWAN CLARA  
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 THOMPSON MADISON  
 THOMPSON LOIS  
 THURMAN EDWARD  
 TIBLOW BARBARA

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 WICKHAM MARY  
 WICKS PAUL  
 WILHITE MICHAEL  
 WILHOIT JACOB  
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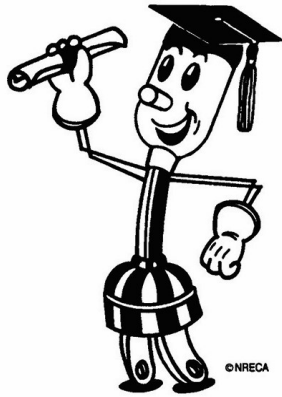
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## BE WISE TO GUY WIRES

Did you know that guy wires on power poles provide grounding as well as support? Damaging a guy wire can cause an electric current disruption, creating a dangerous situation.

Observe the 10-foot rule and stay clear of guy wires and overhead power lines. If a guy wire is broken, do not try to fix it yourself. Call the professionals at your electric cooperative.





CONGRATULATIONS

TO THE CLASS

OF

2024!

Go into the world and do well. But more importantly, go into the world and do good.  
-Minor Myers, Jr.

Is your account number 1331400213? If so, call Megan Jackson at 918-371-2584 during the month of May and claim your \$50 bill credit! CONGRATS!

## PCA EXPLAINED

A Power Cost Adjustment (PCA) is a line item on electric bills that can be a charge or a credit.

When the cost to produce power is higher than expected, a charge is used to recover the added costs.

When the cost to produce power is lower than expected, a credit is applied to pass along those savings to members.



## Watch out for SOLAR SCAMS

Members beware! Don't fall for deceptive solar sales scams. Salespeople and ads are circulating claiming false information about pricing and rebates in association with VVEC. Watch out for:



### PUSHY SALES

Don't let anyone pressure you with deadlines or urgent messaging.

### NAME DROPPING



Just because a salesperson says they are working with VVEC doesn't mean they are.

### TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE



If something seems too good to be true, it probably is. Confirm rebates and tax credits with the state or US Government.



### SOCIAL MEDIA ADS

Don't click on the ad - verify information on ads by researching the company through a third party website.

### BEFORE YOU SIGN



Call VVEC before you sign a solar contract to make sure we are able to accommodate you and your solar contractor.

### QUESTIONS?



Contact your local co-op energy experts at 918-371-2584 before purchasing solar.

Scan the QR code for more information!





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- District 3: Vernon Lewis - 521-5461
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- District 5: Jimmy Lambert - 760-7029
- District 6: Dennis Lenox - 289-5961
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- District 9: Buddy McCarty - 272-5364

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# CLASSIFIEDS

**SUBMIT ADS** to [classified@vvec.com](mailto:classified@vvec.com) or send to ATTN: Classified, P.O. Box 219 Collinsville, OK 74021. Ads must be in writing. Your account number, name, address and a phone number is required on all ads. The deadline for all ads is the 1st of the month. Ads submitted by the 1st of the month will run in the following month's newsletter.

*Classified ads are a free service to VVEC members only. As many ads as space allows will be included in each issue. VVEC reserves the right to delete or shorten items or descriptions..*

- Professional, personalized dog grooming at your home. Small dogs only. Most dogs only \$40.00. Over 40 years experience. 918-381-1170
- New Ninja Air Fryer - 4 Qt AF101U7 \$80 - still in box. 918-273-8696
- Old black clock with key; \$100.00 918-639-8492
- Maytag clothes dryer; 2000 series; 15 years old - one owner. \$250.00. 918-231-6385
- 2002 Harley Davidson Trike Touring Model FLHTCU-1; 36K original mi; \$13K OBO. 918-694-5905
- New Ninja Foodi TenderCrisp Pressure Cooker OP300 Series; \$100. Contact 918-273-8696
- 1957 Piper PA-22-150 Basket case, complete. Current registration. Text 918-808-9051
- OK Handyman Service; No job too small; Fair and reasonable rates servicing Collinsville, Oologah, Owasso and Tulsa Metro. Call 918-231-6385
- Dual Halogen Work Light with heavy duty telescopic tripod stand that extends 4" - 6". Still in box, never used. 918-808-9051
- 500 Watt Deluxe Portable Halogen Light 918-808-9051
- Used construction trailer; 56'x12'. Needs tires; empty with door for an office. Easy exit from pasture. \$3,000.00; 918-504-6264
- Cast iron bank; \$75.00 918-639-8492

## IN CASE OF AN OUTAGE

- First, check your fuses or circuit breakers. Every service is different. You may have fuses or circuit breakers in your house, on the side of your house, under your meter, or all three places. Check to see if your neighbors have electricity.
- Then, call the co-op at 371-2584 or 1-800-870-5948. Have your account number, name as it appears on the account, and address handy to give to the dispatcher. If you should get a recording, leave your information; every message will be answered.
- Download the SmartHub app at [www.smarthubapp.com](http://www.smarthubapp.com) to report outages from your smartphone.

## SUMMER RESIDENTIAL RATES

April through September usage;  
May through October billing

**Customer Charge | \$40.00**  
**Energy Charge | 1st 2000 kWh | \$.08279/kWh**  
**| over 2000 kWh | \$.08789/kWh**

A power cost adjustment (PCA) will be applied to all bills when the actual cost of power purchased exceeds or is less than 62.088 mills per kWh.

In addition, a gross receipts tax of 2% of revenue will be included, plus additional taxes, if applicable.

*This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.*