

# Energy Partners



New-Mac Electric Cooperative

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## Thank a Lineman

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Energy Partners is a monthly publication of New-Mac Electric for the purpose of informing members of the programs, services and happenings of and related to the cooperative.

Anytime the lights go out, lineworkers step up, around the clock, working safely and efficiently to bring power back to our homes and businesses.

Their commitment helps keep our community connected and moving forward, no matter the challenge. It's work they take seriously, because it serves neighbors, friends, and family.

We appreciate their dedication today and every day.



## Electric lineworkers keep the power moving

When people flip a light switch, they may not give much thought to why or how the light comes on.

Electric lineworkers provide an essential service: They work hard to install and maintain overhead and underground power lines that keep electricity flowing. These specialized workers are on call 24/7 in case severe storms or other circumstances cause the power to go out.

Lineworkers work with high-voltage electricity, often at great heights, in all kinds of weather conditions, such as snow, wind, rain, ice and extreme heat and cold. The work required to maintain the power grid is physically demanding. To become proficient, most lineworkers go through a technical training program and first learn on the job as apprentices under the careful eye of seasoned lineworkers who have earned journeyman status.

According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, electric power line installers and repairers typically:

- Install, maintain or repair the power lines that move electricity.
- Identify defective devices, voltage regulators, transformers and switches.
- Inspect and test power lines and auxiliary equipment.
- String (install) power lines between poles, towers and buildings.
- Climb poles and transmission towers and use truck-mounted buckets to get to equipment.
- Operate power equipment when installing and repairing poles, towers and lines.
- Drive work vehicles to job sites.
- Know and implement safety standards and procedures.

When a problem is reported, lineworkers must identify the cause and fix it. This usually involves diagnostic testing using specialized equipment and repair work. To work on poles, they usually use bucket trucks to raise themselves to the top of the structure, although all lineworkers must be adept at climbing poles and towers when necessary. Workers use specialized safety equipment to keep them from falling when climbing utility poles and towers.

Storms and other natural disasters can cause extensive damage to power lines. When power is lost, line repairers must work quickly to restore service to customers.

Although everyone at New-Mac Electric Cooperative works hard to provide reliable service, we salute our lineworkers who work around the clock to keep the power on. Their safety, as well as yours, is our top priority.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

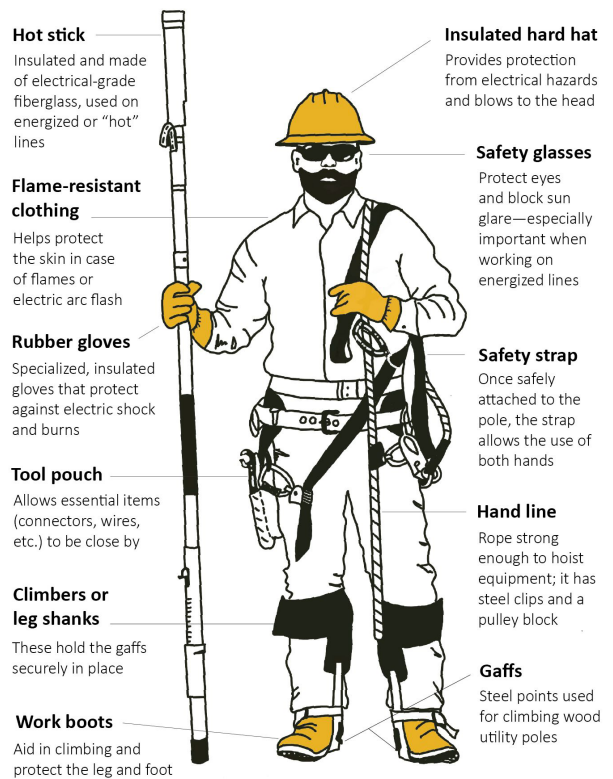
### ELECTRICAL LINeworkERS

Lineworkers install and maintain overhead and underground electrical systems. We rely on their expertise to power our world.

They must commit to safety above all else for the benefit of those they serve (you!), fellow crew members and themselves.

### WHAT THEY WEAR

Protective clothing is required to shield lineworkers since they work around high voltages. Gear can vary depending on pole structure (wood or steel) and weighs up to 45 pounds.



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## Unclaimed patronage available for former members of New-Mac Electric

Names listed are former members of New-Mac Electric who have unclaimed past patronage with the Cooperative. You must contact the New-Mac office at 417-451-1515 within 60 days in order to claim your property. Properties listed fall within a defined monetary range. For an extensive listing of all unclaimed patronage, visit our website at [newmac.com](http://newmac.com). More names will be published in upcoming issues of this newsletter.

AHRENS, MARJORIE  
ALLEN, JANET  
ALLERTON, JOHN W  
ALLMAN, MARY  
ANAYA, ROSE  
ANDERSON, JAYNE E  
ANDERSON, O R  
ANDREWS, NANCY  
ANKNEY, JOHN & CHRISTI  
ARELLANO, MARTHA  
ARMSTRONG, BARBARA  
ASHWORTH, JILL L  
BAKER, AARON  
BAKER, ROBERT A  
BAKER, SARAH J  
BALDWIN JR, DANIEL LEE & HEATHER  
BANKS, VERA A  
BARKER, TERRY A  
BARNARD, ROGER & JEANNE  
BARNES SR EST, WILLIE D & HELEN F  
BARNES  
BARNHART, MARJORIE  
BARRATT, SHARON  
BARTLEY, LYLE & CONNIE  
BARTON, CHAD R & LILIANA R  
BARTON, JAMES G  
BATES, CRYSTAL  
BEAL, JOHN R  
BEARD, GREG & KIMBERLY  
BEAUFORD, J C & LEONA  
BEAUFORD, JOYCE  
BECK, TIM & KRISTA  
BELL, MICHAEL E  
BELL, RICHARD L & CYNTHIA K  
BERRY BROTHERS  
BERRY, CARL ALLEN & KATHY  
BEST WESTERN SANDS INN  
BEZDAN EST, MYRA L  
BINETTE EST, NATALIE P  
BISHOP, CHRISTINE  
BLACK EST, CARL  
BLAND, CELINA D  
BLEVINS EST, SHANON  
BOGGS EST, FRED RAY  
BOGLE, RANDY  
BOWERS, CYNTHIA  
BOWERS, DONALD L  
BOX, APRIL  
BOYD JR, BYRON A & CONNIE  
BOYER EST, CLEO GEORGE &  
JOSEPHINE  
BOYER, ANTHONY  
BOYER, IRETA

BOYT EST, RICHARD D & ELIZABETH M  
BRASSFIELD, RICHARD  
BREAZZEAL, VICTOR  
BRICKLEY, LARRY A  
BRISCOE EST, PAUL  
BRONK, HANK & KAREN  
BROWN, PAUL & AMY  
BULLETTE, BARBARA  
BURGIN, VOYAGE  
BURKS, RICHARD  
BURNS, TERRY & HOLLY  
BUSH, ROBERT L  
CAMPBELL, LEWIS & STEPHEN  
CANDLER, AARON  
CARL, JACK W & TEMPIE  
CARPENTER, CARL D & UNA F  
CARPENTER, DAN & MARTY  
CARR, DAVID  
CARR, JEANNE F  
CARTE, D R  
CARTER, BARBARA  
CASADA, FRED & DORIS  
CASEY EST, CHARLES R & RACHEL  
CAYLOR, JIM & JEANNIE  
CLANTON, DAVID  
CLARK EST, OLGA M  
CLARK, BASIL W & MELISSA A  
CLARK, CALVIN & ABBY  
CLARK, JEFF & TAMI  
CLARK, SUSAN  
CLARNO, ISIAH J  
CLEMONS, MURRIEL  
COCHRAN, KARL J  
COLE, FREDIA  
COLLINS, JOHN & DEANNA  
COLVIN, G FRANK & JAYMEE L  
COMBS, RENA  
CONKLIN, MONTE J  
CONNELLY, PATRICK M & EDWARD  
MINER  
COOPER, FRED G  
COOPER, MARY W  
CORNWELL, MICK & SHARLENE  
COTTLE, TRACI & JASON P SNEED  
COUCH, JED  
COULTER EST, TED F  
COURSEY, JUDITH E  
COYLE, SHANE  
CUMMINGS, JOHN & KATE  
CUNDIFF, ERNEST L  
CUNNINGHAM, JOHN  
CUNNINGHAM, PATRICIA  
CUPP, DAVID  
DABBS, LYMAN F  
DARDEN, PEGGY  
DAVIDSON, TERRI R  
DAVIS EST, R J  
DAVIS, CHRISTOPH ER & JUDITH A  
SPARKS  
DAVIS, DORIS E  
DAVIS, JOHNNY RAY & AMANDA  
ALEXANDER  
DAVIS, LLOYD EVERETT & ESTHER  
DAY, DENNIS & JENNIE  
DAY, JAMES & MARILYN  
DEARBORN, DERRICK  
DENNISON, SCOTT & MARISA  
DEPRIEST EST, ZELMA  
DEVRIENDT, WANDA  
DICK, JOHN

DIENHART, TIMOTHY A & MIRIAM R  
DIVINE, PIPER  
DOHLE, FRED  
DONOHO, BOB D & DELORES  
DOOLITTLE, LARRY & STACI  
DOWNING, CLARENCE D  
DOZIER, DANIEL  
DRAKE, FRANKIE  
DUNNING, LARRY  
DURBIN, KEVIN  
EDDIS, CARL & KAREN L  
EDEN, BARRY & JOYCE  
EDMONDS, NORMAN & PAULINE  
EDWARDS, PATRICIA  
EGGLESTON, JESSIE P  
ELAM, TIM  
ELSENPIETER, GERRA-LYN N  
ERNEST, JUSTIN & DONITA  
ERWIN, JEFF  
ERWIN, LINDA  
EUBANKS EST, ETTA M  
FAIRMAN, JASON  
FANNING, TRACY S  
FAUVERGUE, GEORGE O & EARLENE  
FAVAZZO SR, DAVID C  
FINK, ROBERT L & CAROLYN R  
FISHER, SHIRLEY L  
FITZJOHN, C R  
FLORES, OMAR  
FORCUM EST, HENRY W  
FORKNER, PATRICK & CHAROLETT E  
FORTIN, JEREMY D & CARRIE M  
FOSTER, HAROLD & SHIRLEY  
FOWLER, L GALEN & CHERYL A  
FOX, ROY  
FUHRMAN, F E  
GARCIA, BONIFACIO  
GARNER, DEBBIE  
GATES EST, JACK  
GIBBS, LUKE & WENDY  
GILLIAM, CRISTI  
GILMAN, MELVIN W & ALICE B  
GILMORE, AARON & AUDREY  
GOLDEN, DANIEL L & NORMA J  
GOODWIN EST, MELVIN W  
GREGORY, MICHELE  
GRIFFITH, ROY A  
GRINER, AIMEE D  
GROLL, RUSTY  
GROVES, JAMES  
HADDIX, IRENE  
HALL, ADAM  
HALL, CARL J & WILLIE M  
HALL, SCOTTY J  
HAMMERS, BARBARA S  
HANNA, ROY R  
HAPPEL, PHILLIP & WANDA  
HARPER, MARY ANN  
HARPER, SCOTT M  
HARRELL, RODNEY D  
HARRINGTON, FLOYD & OLA  
HARRISON, CHARLES A & CHRISTINE  
MOORE  
HART, MELISSA  
HAWLEY, JENNY  
HAYES, ELLIE  
HAYS, JULIA & BETTY  
HEATH BROS  
HECKADON, RICHARD L & MAELLA  
HEGEMAN, MIKE

HEIMAN, CHARLES D & KACY M LEE  
HEISKELL, KENNETH & PEARL  
HELMER, DRINA  
HENCY, NELSON  
HENDERSON, BETTY  
HENDERSON, STEPHEN & SUSAN  
HENSON, TINA  
HERRING, ARLINA  
HIGGINBOTHAM, NINA  
HILL, JEFF & NIKKOL  
HILL, TERESA  
HINES, TRAVIS R & DEBORAH  
SHOWALTER  
HINES, WILLIAM & VICKY  
HINKSTON, LINDA  
HINSON, JIM L  
HITE, NANCY  
HOAGLAND EST, CRAIG  
HODGE, JENNIFER  
HODSON EST, GENEVA L  
HOGAN, RONALD R  
HOLM, G JASON & CHRISTY GAYLE  
HOLMAN, JAMES  
HONEYCUTT, RICKY L & MICHELLE A  
HOOD, ELVIN & SHIRLEY  
HOOVER, ROGER L  
HOPPER EST, LESTER & BETTY  
HORTON, INA JANE  
HOWELL EST, SALLIE D  
HOYER EST, ELDON A & ELSIE  
HUBBARD, RAMONA  
HUERTA, GABRIEL  
HUFFMAN, LEONA R  
HUGHES, MINNIE  
HURLBERT, NANCY  
HUTCHESON, IDA MARIE  
HUTCHINSON, BILL & ELANNA  
INGRAM, LINDA  
ISELL, JAMES L  
JACKSON JR, J W & DOVIE  
JAMESON, TONY & TAMMY  
JARVIS, HARMONY J  
JEFFERS, BRUCE & CHRISTINE  
JELLISON, DENNIS & JEAN  
JILGE, MICHAEL & KIMBER  
JOBE, DENNY S  
JOHN, C C & BETTY L  
JOHNSON, JOE B & DELORA  
JOHNSON, LARRY D & TAMRA L  
JOHNSON, ROBERT R  
JOHNSON, SISSY  
JOHNSON, STACY  
JONES, DANNY LEE  
JONES, DONALD E & JAMIE L  
JONES, JEHU C & VICKY  
JONES, SAUNDRA  
JURINO, KATHY  
KARLSSEN, EVA  
KEITH, KIM M  
KELLER, JANICE M  
KELLEY, ROENA  
KELLNER, RAYMOND E  
KELLY, W A  
KEY, PAMELA  
KEYES EST, BARBARA  
KING, SCOTT & ALLISON  
KIRCH, JOHN S  
KNAPP, SUE L  
KRAMBERG EST, LESTER  
KRAMER EST, MARY D

# Energy Partners



## Unclaimed

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KREBS, CARL A & CYNTHIA A  
LANE, BETTY  
LANGFORD, VELMA JEAN  
LANHAM, REBECCA A  
LAUGHLIN, LARRY E  
LAVOICE, MARGE  
LAW, ROBERT D  
LAYNE, JACK MICHAEL & EVELYN J  
LEACH, CLAYTON D & VICKIE S  
LEE, SARAH  
LESLEY, GREG P & TAUNYA L  
LEWIS, TIMOTHY & SHAUNNA  
LIAKOS, JONATHAN  
LIND EST, CARL & JUNE  
LINGENFELTER, BETTY E  
LONG, BETH  
LOVELESS, MICHAEL & GINA L  
LOVING EST, JOE S  
LOWE EST, ADRAIN V & MARY M  
LOWE, WILBER E  
LYSTER, BEVERLY K  
MARNEY EST, C C  
MARRS, EVELYN E  
MARSHALL, HERBERT  
MARTIN EST, GLENNA DEENE  
MARTIN, VIRGINIA  
MASON, DON & SHIRLEY  
MASSEY, CHARLES  
MATHEWS, ALLEN L & JENNIFER D  
2.HUTCHINSON  
MATHEWS, WILLIS & JANE WHITECROW  
MATHIS, ROBERT L  
MAXEY, CHRIS & ANGELA  
MAY, LAURA  
MAYFIELD, MARK A  
MCANALLY, VALAREE  
MCBRIDE, T A & EULA F  
MCCARTY, MARY ANN  
MCCLARY, JANA  
MCCOY EST, BETTY  
MCDANIEL, STEVEN J  
MCDONALD, DUSTIN C  
MCEVERS, ANGALENE  
MCGRANE, ROB W  
MCKAY, ELIZABETH DAWN  
MCMANUS, KENNETH L  
MCMURTREY, N C & STELLA  
MEEK, LARRY  
MEINECKE, VALERIE  
MELTON, NORIE L  
MENDOZA, DAVID G & BERNICE J  
MERRIMAN, ROBERT  
MILES, ADAM & MICHELLE  
MILLER, FRANK  
MILLS, GERALDENE  
MITCHELL, JOE & GERTRUDE  
MONTGOMERY, EDWIN C & LOLA M  
MOORE, TOM & SHARON  
MORGAN, CARSON W  
MORRIS, WALTER P & BONNIE J  
MORSE, JUSTIN

MT OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH  
MULLIN, MARY  
MUSTAIN, WILLIE  
MYERS, CHRISTENA  
MYERS, FRED S & RUTHANN  
NALLEY, TERRY & LISA  
NELSON, ROBERT  
NEWMAN, OMA  
NIELSON, TRAVIS & JESSICA  
NUNNALEY, MARY C  
OLD COUNTRY CHURCH  
OLIVER, MAXINE  
OSKO, ALAN B  
OSTERHOUT, CLYDE L & JANA L  
OWENS, EDNA  
OXENDINE, STEVE  
PANNELL, CLAY  
PARKS, BEVERLY I  
PARKS, JIM  
PATRICK, NORMA  
PATTERSON, JOHN & JEAN  
PATTERSON, THELMA L  
PAUL, ETHEL N  
PAYNE, CONNIE M  
PAYTON, LAURA  
PERKINS, JANICE E  
PETERSON, DENNIS & PATRICIA  
PHILLIPS, BRIAN & PAM BUSHEY  
PHILLIPS, SARAH K  
PHILPOTT EST, MICHAEL G  
PHIPPS, I JOE & S KAY  
PICKREN, C A  
PIERCE, JASON & BRANDY  
PLATNER, MELISSA  
POLHEMUS, DAVID & BETTY  
POPE, JEFFREY & TAMARA  
PORTER, SUSAN G  
PORTON, MICHAEL E  
POULTON, RAY L & STEPHANIE  
PRICHARD, EDWARD R & LAVIETTA  
PROCTOR, MARK & JULIE  
PROVOST, JOHN R  
PUGH, MARK & SHERI  
RAMAGE, EDGAR C  
RAMIREZ, SALVADOR & DOVIE  
RAY, LILLIAN R  
REBER, MATT  
REED, JULIA L  
RICHARDS EST, BRENDA S  
RICHHART, WILLIAM C  
RINER, AARON & CHASITY  
ROBERTS, DANNY RAY & REGINA A  
ROBERTS, SCOTT M & BARBARA B  
ROBINS, THURMAN & LUCY  
ROESLER, PETER R  
ROGERS, APRIL  
ROOKS, JERRY & DENA CARROLL  
RUIZ, JOSE & SHARON DAVIS  
RUMSEY, JEFFERY L  
RUSK, DEAN & HOLLY  
RUSSELL II, REX & JENNIFER  
RUSSELL, KAY  
RUTHERFORD, RUSSELL & RETA  
SALGADO, JUAN R & ROSA AGUILAR

SALSMAN, BRUCE E  
SARRATT, DOUG  
SAULEN, DAVID & SHASTA  
SAVERY, DALE & VIRGIE  
SAYRE, JOHN L & BECKY S  
SCHULZ, HAROLD  
SCRIVEN, KENNETH  
SCROGGINS, IRENE G  
SEALS, BRUCE & GENEVA  
SEIBERT, TROY E & CHERYL A  
SHADE, MICHAEL & CRYSTAL  
SHAY, IAN & SHERI NORMAN  
SHEEHAN, GARY & DEVONNA  
SHEEHAN, RUBY L  
SHIELDS, IVAN & SANDY  
SHIMMIN, DAVID A  
SHOEMAKER, LESLIE  
SHORT, JACKIE  
SHUEY, BILLY J & JANET R  
SILVEY JR, HENRY DAVID & MARSHA R  
SIMMONS, NIKI  
SIMMONS, SHON  
SIMS, VIOLA M  
SINGLETON, MARVIN & ANITA  
SLANKARD, LARRY & KATHY  
SLATON, DON & CHRISTINA  
SLINKARD, HELEN  
SMITH EST, SIDNEY M  
SMITH, BILLY J & LINDA  
SMITH, FRANK & MARTHA  
SMITH, HAZEL M  
SMITH, JEAN  
SMITH, LESTER  
SMITH, SHIRLEY J  
SMITH, WESLEY D  
SNOW, THOMAS E & CINDY L  
SOUTHERLAND, RUTH  
STA-LO OIL CO INC  
STANDRIDGE, EVELYN  
STARR, RUSSELL  
STEEL, JAMES GT & LANI  
STEFFENS JR, LEONARD & PATRICIA A  
STILL, BEVERLY  
STORY, ROGER L  
STRINGER EST, VIVIAN R  
SURBER, JUSTA  
TABB, TOM & HEATHER  
TALLEY, AMBER  
TATUM, R A  
TESTER, CURTIS & MARY  
TEVAULT, NANCY C  
THEIL, STEVEN  
THOMPSON, WILLIAM P & SHEILA R  
THURMAN, LESTER  
TIMS, CHRISTOPH ER  
TOLLE, KAREN & DIANE  
TRESVAN, SILVIA & DAWSON GILSTRAP  
TRIPLE R ENTERPRISES  
TRIPLETT EST, JIM & VIRGINIA  
TRIPLETT, GLENDA  
TRIPOLI, MELISSA  
TRI-STATE HYDRAULICS  
TROY, CECIL & MELISSA  
TUCKER, BETTY J

TURNER, CLAYTON  
TURNER, JERRY L & DEBORAH R  
UPCHURCH, STANLEY  
VAN ARSDALE, TINA & ANGELA FRAZIER  
VILANDRE EST, SHIRLEY  
VILLINES, RICK & TAMMY  
WADE, JAMES & DAWN  
WALKER, JAMES & TABITHA  
WALKER, LYMAN  
WALKER, TRAVIS & MARY  
WALL, RUDY & VELTA  
WALTERS, JIM & AMANDA  
WARREN, LEO & BRENDA MCNELLY  
WATKINS, ANGELA  
WATSON, JOHN A  
WEAVER, LADONNA  
WEHR, NATHAN & DARLENE  
WELCH, JAMES & SHERRY Z  
WELCH, KATHY L  
WELLNER, HARRY W & M ELIZABETH  
WESTON, STEPHANIE S  
WHEELOCK, RONALD W  
WHITAKER, DAVID A & JAN M  
WHITE, BARBARA  
WHITE, ELIN  
WHITE, ROBERT & LISA PETERS  
WHITEHOUSE, RICHARD & JUDY  
WHITESEL, GORDON L  
WHITESIDE, WAYNE & MONA  
WHITMER, MAURICE E & NELMA N  
WHITNEY, JUSTIN  
WIGGINS, JAMES R & MARYN  
WILCOX, AL & EVELYN  
WILLIAMS, DWIGHT & CANDACE  
WILLIAMS, PERRY D & JOYCE  
WILLMON, PHYLLIS M  
WILSON, CHRISTOPH ER  
WILSON, DELILAH  
WINFREY, MIKE  
WINGFIELD, GEORGE & PATSY COX  
WINGO, KATIE  
WISE EST, MARVIN  
WISE, CHRISTINA  
WOLFE, JASON R & CHERI L DAVIDSON  
WOOD, HOLLY  
WOODS, JACQUELYN N  
WOODS, KENNETH & LORETTA  
WOOLARD, CHRIS  
WOOLEY, TOD  
WOOTEN, KENT D  
WOOTEN, KENT D & LISA J  
WORLEY, ROY & PAT  
WORTHLEY, WILLIAM H & JUANITA  
WRIGHT, FRANKIE L  
WRIGHT, STEPHEN C  
WYRICK, MIKE  
YATES, PATRICIA H  
YEARTON, SHIRLEY  
YOCOM, ROBERT & LORETTA  
ZORNES, TANYA

### Management Team:

**CEO/General Manager** - Stan Irsik  
**System Engineer** - Jeff Crites  
**Manager of Billing Services** - Josh King  
**Operations Manager** - Jeremiah Taylor  
**Controller** - Marti Wiley

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Neosho, Missouri 64850

### District Office:

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12:30 to 5 p.m.

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