

# Carbon Light Lines

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Board Actions JANUARY 2020

Approved the Department Production and Financial Reports.

Tri-State's Cost Containment Plan was reviewed and discussed.

Approved Director Page and Director Johnson as the NRECA delegates.

s an electric cooperative, Carbon Power & Light is guided by an elected Board of Directors who represent it's members' best interest when making important decisions. Being a Member of the Board is an incredibly important position in our community. A director's decisions will impact issues, such as service rates, rights-of-ways and work plans. This position holds great responsibility and requires men and women who understand their community's needs to serve in the best interest of the cooperative's membership.

As a Member-Owner of Carbon Power & Light, you are eligible to run for our Board of Directors. If you would like to submit your application and letter of interest to be a candidate to the Nominating Committee or inquire about more information, please contact Russell Waldner by email at rwaldner@carbonpower. com or call 1.800.359.0249 or 307.326.5206 before April 12, 2021.

Nominations are being accepted for Carbon Power & Light's

Board of Directors

DIRECTORS UP FOR RE-ELECTION THIS YEAR ARE:

**District 1**Gary Jacobsen

District 2 Kenny Curry

**District 3**Jim Rogers

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### Member-Owned Service - Proud



#### RUSSELL WALDNER, GENERAL MANAGER



It is the time of year, when we start to long for those warm summer days and get a few nicer days to make us know those days are in our future. Thinking of summer, our 79th & 80th Annual Meetings are Saturday, June 26, 2021. If you remember, COVID stole our regularly scheduled 79th Annual Meeting. It is the best Saturday in June, I always say.

The 79th & 80th Annual Meetings are needed to elect board members, report to the membership, and any other business that may come before the meeting. We regularly distribute capital credit checks also.

If you would like to become a Director or learn more about the duties and activities involved with being a Carbon Power & Light, Inc. Director, please visit our web site or contact me.

As always, if you have any suggestions or ideas please share them with us.



Member Statistics Report	Dec 2019	Dec 2020	
Financial			
Total Utility Plant	\$47,408,289	\$49,125,524	
Cost of Purchase Power	\$832,997	\$819,602	
Expenses Less Power Cost	\$389,436	\$410,639	
Tax & Interest Paid	\$37,729	\$44,248	
Interest Received on Investments	\$6,089	\$2,340	
Energized Line & Consumers			
Miles of Energized Line	1,978	1,984	
Consumers Per Mile	3.2	3.2	
Meters			
Total Meters	6,360	6,442	
Residential/Rural	5,184	5,278	
Irrigation	52	51	
Large Power/Commercial	1,074	1,063	
Other	50	50	
kWh Usage			
Total kWh	11,415,541	10,934,799	
Residential/Rural	5,103,381	5,206,272	
Irrigation	10,409	11,599	
Large Power/Commercial	6,029,402	5,481,478	
Other	272,349	235,450	
Averages			
Avg. Residential kWh Used	984	986	
Avg. Residential/Rural Bill	\$141	\$140	

Carbon welcomes any comments or questions members may have. If you have a question on any part of the cooperative business, please write or email the cooperative and we will see that your question is answered.\*Rock River Pocessing\* Mail comments to Carbon Power & Light, Inc. P.O. Box 579, Saratoga, WY 82331, ATTN: Newsletter or email info@carbonpower.com.

Visit our website at: <u>www.carbonpower.com</u> Edited by Joe Parrie

**IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH YOUR POWER:** Please check your breakers. If you can determine that your neighbors are also without power, call Carbon day or night at 307.326.5206 or 800.359.0249.

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

DISTRICT 1	<b>DISTRICT 2</b>	DISTRICT 3
Dan Hodgkiss	Shae Johnson	Dick Clifton
Gary Jacobsen	Kenny Curry	Clay Thompson
Laurie Forster	John Page	Jim Rogers

For online bill pay or ACH: <a href="https://www.carbonpower.com">www.carbonpower.com</a>
For more information,
please call the billing dept.

REMEMBER you can also pay your bill at the following location:

ANB

3908 Grand Ave

Laramie, WY

## Energy Efficiency Tip of the Month

Don't keep your refrigerator too cold. The Department of Energy recommends a temperature setting of 35 to 38 degrees for the fresh food compartment and zero degrees for the freezer.

Make sure the refrigerator doors are sealed airtight to maximize efficiency.

Source: www.energy.gov





#### **District 1**

Joe Glode 307.326.8880 Rocky Fiedor 307.326.5330 Jon Nelson 307.223.2194

#### **District 2**

Rodney Thornburg 307.378.2828 Gerald LeBeau 307.378.2329 Bobby Heward 307.379.2558

#### **District 3**

Nita Engen 307.742.9585 Raymond Leach 307.699.4461 Orville Johnson 307.760.6605





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#### **CARBON POWER & LIGHT**

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 $\frac{\text{MAY - SEPTEMBER}}{\text{Monday - Thursday}} \sim 7~\text{AM - 5:30 PM}$ 

OCTOBER - APRIL

Monday - Friday ~ 8 AM - 4:30 PM

