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April 2023



SHAE JOHNSON

Board Actions JANUARY 2023

Approved the Department Production and Financial Reports.

Approved Director Johnson as the WUE Voting Delegate and Director Devine as alternate.

Approved State of Wyoming Electric Personnel of Applicant for Mr. Parrie.



Carbon Power & Light, Inc. \sim Since 1941 82nd Annual Meeting of the Membership



RUSSELL WALDNER

We have had a real winter this year and it seems it is enjoying encroaching on our spring. We have been reviewing the weather stations we use for display on the billing and are in the process of selecting the closest weather station to each meter. This should give us some better data.

The cold and wind causes usage to be higher as homes are impacted by wind chill in their loss of heat and the need for additional heat to maintain a state of comfort. I know mine has been burning through the kWh with wild abandon. You would think they would know we have budgets with enough pressure already.

We have been planning for our annual meeting and I hope you also plan to attend. June, 24 2023 at the Platte Valley Community Center, 201 W Elm, Saratoga, Wyoming. Doors open for registration at 10:30 AM.

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

Starting the week of May 1, 2023, Carbon Power & Light will begin the 4-day work week through September 28, 2023. Hours will be Monday - Thursday 7 AM to 5:30 PM

Member-Owned Service - Proud

We are currently searching for a number of Member-Owners that had service with us for whom we've attempted to send capital credit checks to but were returned undeliverable. If you recognize anyone on this list or are the heir of their estate, please contact us. Thank you.

Aaron, Bryan Abbas, Vince Abelson, Roger W Ackerman, Stanley Adams, Richard Adams, Rodney D Aeschilman, Velma Aeschliman, Joyce M Ahlquist, Randy Aiken, Roy Alameda, BJ Allred, Edward Allsopp, Jeremiah Andrews, Bert Z Armijo, Amos Baker, Linda Barber, Clint Barthel, Brian Bauer, Charles Baxter, George T Bayer, Kris M Beck, Gerlad R Beckett, Warrant Beckwith, Bill Bedell, Robert Beeken, Leslie Beers, Bill **Bighorn** Lodge Blake, Chad D Blocker, Nick Bock, Mitch Bonenberger, Brandon T Bonnett, William Boyd, R M Boykin, Bear Boykin, Carl D Brady, H W Brayshaw, Charles H Brettell, Lisa Brewington, David & Don Brower, Arlin Browitt, Harold Brown, Douglas E Brown, Edwin Brown, Keith Bunn, Doris L Burnett, Debra Butler, Curtis H Byram, James & Charlott Caires, Matthew R

Caldwell, Stephen Cantrell, Kevin L Centennial Valley Fuel Depot Chambers, Amber M Chandler, Jaqueline Chipman, Paul M Christiansen, Gary E Clark, Gary E Clark, Jeff Cloos, D H Coffey, John C Cohn, Fredrick Cole, Jeffrey Collins, James W Connally, Clinton B Cook, Marty Cooksey, Greg Courtney, Michael Covey, Christina A Crabtree, Lester Craig, Kimberly Craigie, Scott Cring, Donald C Crowe, Kim M Cuff, Shawna Cushing, Wes Daly, Dave Daniels, John C Daniels, Wanda Daugherty, Vickie Davin, Bill Davis, Joe Debree, Robert J Debruyn, Kelly Dehart, Robert Del Rio LLC Deline, Robert E Demarque, Charles Denning, Daniel Derringer, Erik Dever, Brent Dicker, Pat Dickey, Lad Dinkins, Dollene Downs, Glenn Duffy, Kevin Dunkelberger, Darlene E Dunkin, Harold L Dunnuck, Roger

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Hamby, Mark Hamel, Jerry Hammer, James Hansen, Gerald Hansen, Jeffrey A Hansen, Travis Hanson, Erma Hardekopf, James Harnden, Shirley Harris, Darrin R Harris, J P Hawkhill Ranch Haycock, Ryan Hayes, Steve P Henthorn, Linda L Herrick, Rupert Hitner, Keith Hoffman, Anthony J Hoffman, Heidi Hoffschneider, Anna Holliday, Brad Holycross, James L Hood, Thomas L Hopkins, Jim Howe, Marvin Howe, Orville Howell, Tim Huckins, Wes Hulme, June D Hulsey, Richard Hunt, Tom Huntley, Marie Hurd, Carroll P Hutchins, Ronald E Ingham, Sarah Jackson, Dennis Jankovsky, James J Jenkins, Charles Jensen, Harris Jessen, Jacquelin E Jewett, Ben Johnson, Chariti Johnson, Linda A Jones, Abe Jones, Corey Jones, Marjorie Jones, Stanley Jordan, Ben Junker, Jason Keldsen, Lana Kelley, Robert C

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Kenehan, Katie Kern, James L Kerr, Angela Kessler, Jim Kimbrell, Pamela Kinner, Ken Knotwell, Skyler Koroulis, Dayshia Kuntz, Don Lacroix, Arthur J Lafave, Danny Lairy, Troy Lake, Edward Lamb, Richard L Lambert, Randy H Lane, Jessica A Laramie Boat Club Lasco, Colt Layne-Western Lee, David Lee, Joe Lee, Tony Lell, Billy Lewis, Scott D Lindsey, David Loll, Robecca A Lorentz, Michael Madden, Tanya D Madigan, Terence P Maes, Robert Makinen, Lyle Malmborg, Kenneth Marich, John P Martin, Charles Martin, Jeff Martinez, Amber L Mason, Annette Mast, Christoph E Maston, Mary B Matula, Jerry M Mauk, Ellen Mauk, Jerry Maxfield, Gary Mcglothlin, Scott Mcgraw, Mike S Mcguire, Daniel P Mcilvaine, Robert M Mckenne, Thomas G Estate Mckenney, Patricia E Mckinsey, Greta A Mealey, Catherine Melvin, William C Merritt, Kelly R Messinger, Richard Meyers, J Mike Mielke, Bobby Miller, Dorothy Miller, Walter Milner, Donetta Minier, Al & Mary Moede, Robert Montoya, Rafael P Moore, Dean Morgan, Sophie Morningstar, Cat Morris, Michael J Mortensen, Tyler Mosnik, Josphine M Mulford, Devin A Mullen, Jesse Munroe, Lisle Murdock, Samuel Music, Linda Mutchie, Holly Nachtmann, Jason Nash, Roger Nelson, Lori L

Nickell, Carol A Niss, Calvin L Noton, Mary L O'Brien, Kevin Odom, Chris Ogden, Fred L Olson, Keith E Olson, Phillip Osburn, Nancy Osterman, Sharon E Overstreet, Joe P Padget, Roxanne Pantier, Geneva Parvin, Merle D Patrick, Andrew Payne, Michelle Pearson, Pam Peck, Roscoe Peddie, Rob Perdue, Daryl Perdue, Mike Peterson, Bob D Pickren, Tom W Pinedo, Rodrigo Platte Valley Storage Porter, Richard Potter, David Powell, Richard C Premiere Asset Services Presse, Gary R PV Lutheran Church Pyle, Carroll A Rainbow Valley Resort Rainbows Unlimited Rau, Paul Reasoner, Dean Reed, Tiffany Richardson, Lyle G Richardson, Noel M Ridgeway, William J Riedesel, Edward Ritchey, R Lee Riverbend Ranch, LLC Riviera Lodge LLC Roberts, Gregory D Robillard, Karen Robinson, Barbara Romsa, L.A. Russell, Jonathan Sabulsky, Al Sandoval, Maria E Sanford, Robert Sargent, Heather Savely, James W Schirmer, James Schmidt, Dan R Schmidt, Deborah Scott, Amanda Scott, Bobbie Scott, Gregory D Seawest Seiloff, Ken Seymour, Gary Sharick, Dave Shaeffer Construction Shaffer, Sue Ann Shannon, Chris Shields, Shawn Short, Robin Sigel LLC Sis, Terry Sisco, Susan Skidmore, Anastasia Skiles, Mason F Smith, Dean D Smith, Gene Smith, Jethro Smith, Kathleen

Smithson, Scott Souza, Malinda K Spaeth, Josh Springsteen, Ruby Sprunger, Jill Stevens, Brandi Stevens, Zoe Stevenson, Felicia Stoddard, Jenny Stone, Kismet Stonesifer, Alfred C Stonetree Custom LLC Stoney Creek Outfit-ter LLC Strayer, Robert Strick, Stacey Suit, James Sumare, Amanda S Surdam, Ronald Sutton, Nelson SVF Shamrock LLC Sybert, Heath Toro, Duane Tree, Daria Trumbull, Robert D Tuttle, Douglas Ussery, Celia Utter, Billie J Von Hedder, Lee & Nicho Von Tersch, Matt Wadsworth, Jason Waechter, Jack Wagoner, Preston Walker, Kent Warner, Boyd L Watson, Kellie & Ann Weaver, Adrian Wedgewood Development Ŵeibel, Duncan G Weibel, Wilma Weinberger, Steve Weldon, Cookie Wells, Jim Westerfield, William White, Alice Whitfield, Levi Wick, Zetha N Widman, Roy Williams, Dićk Williams, Edward Williams, Kathy Williams, Nick Williams, Robert Williams, Roger L Williams, Nick & Fenner, Ton Wilson, Judith H Wilson, Kathy Winter, Brenḋa Witchel, Wade J Withroder, Matt Wood, Dale Wood, Robert Woodward, Fredrick E Wright, Floyd D Wrinn, Tina Wyman, Shaymus E Young, Robert Yust, Amanda Zordell, Ralph & Pat

Energy Efficiency Tip of the Month

Do you have a home office? Set equipment like printers and scanners to automatically switch to sleep or energysaver mode when not in use. In addition to saving energy, the equipment will stay cooler, which will help extend its life.

Another way to save in the home office is to use energy efficient lamps for task lighting. Small lamps use less energy than whole-room lighting.



Member Statistics Report	Jan 2022	Jan 2023	
Financial			
Total Utility Plant	\$51,003,663	\$56,134,579	
Cost of Purchase Power	\$854,578	\$880,843	
Expenses Less Power Cost	\$553,350	\$638,821	
Tax & Interest Paid	\$73,869	\$77,263	
Interest Received on Investments	\$2,254	\$16,852	
Energized Line & Consumers			
Miles of Energized Line	2,001	2,008	
Consumers Per Mile	3.3	3.3	
Meters			
Total Meters	6,571	6,648	
Residential/Rural	5,398	5,468	
Irrigation	50	51	
Large Power/Commercial	1,073	1,079	
Other	50	50	
kWh Usage			
Total kWh	11,893,695	12,369,390	
Residential/Rural	5,296,821	5,607,592	
Irrigation	10,444	13,167	
Large Power/Commercial	6,330,268	6,483,073	
Other	246,162	265,558	
Averages			
Avg. Residential kWh Used	981	1026	
Avg. Residential/Rural Bill	\$142	\$148	

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.*Duane StoIns* Mail comments to Carbon Power & Light, Inc. P.O. Box 579, Saratoga, WY 82331, ATTN: Newsletter or email info@carbonpower.com.

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

ANB

3908 Grand Ave

Laramie, WY

NRECA Lineman Appreciation day is April 10, 2023. Thank a lineman when you see them.



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Top to bottom: Kirby Larson, Brady Borowski, Menphis Smith, Andrew Everett, Matt Drake, Cory Juhnke, Peter Bennett, Trevor Larson, Garrett Ricketts, Skip Voss, Nick Cary, Matt Love, Tom Westring. Not pictured Josh Saier and Perry Davidson.

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MAY - SEPTEMBER Monday - Thursday ~ 7 AM - 5:30 PM

OCTOBER - APRIL Monday - Friday ~ 8 AM - 4:30 PM

