Taylor Report



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Board Report – September 2016

- Approved August disbursements totaling \$908,889.10, accepted 14 new member applications, and July construction in the amount of \$63,910.09.
- Reviewed financial results through August 31, 2016 with year-to-date margins of \$254,793. Eighteen outages occurred in August, with 115 total for the year, totaling just under 4.3 hours per member of outage time. The outage time includes 2½ hours of power supplier outages (transmission related) and 1.3 hours of extreme storm related outages.
- 81 accounts were processed for collection in September owing just over \$31,000 (compared to 105 accounts owing more than \$38,000 at this time in 2015). They were given notice of intent to disconnect service if not paid in full within 10 days.
- One discounted early retirement of capital credits to an estate was approved with a net present value of \$294.76
- The Dairyland Power report included: margins ahead of budget by nearly \$3.6 Million, with projected year-end margins to be approximately \$4 Million over budget; sales to member co-ops in August were at an all-time high, but still under budget for the year-to-date; an update on the solar project at the Medford Substation with target startup date by the end of November 2016; 2017 Dairyland incentives with addition of a \$100 plugin electric vehicle charging station incentive; and, a

Dairyland committee is working issues of the Wholesale Power Contract.

- Patricia Waldhart was appointed as the Co-op's voting delegate for the WECA Annual Meeting to be held in November at Stevens Point. Chuck Zenner will be the Co -op's delegate to the Federated Youth Foundation Annual Meeting also to be held in Stevens Point.
- Directors approved renewal of a \$500 scholarship to the NTC-Medford Foundation, with funds to be requisitioned from unclaimed capital credits held at Federated Youth Foundation.
- Reviewed the list of member complaints.

November 2016

- Those who had attended the NRECA Region 5 meeting reported on the information presented at the meeting and the resolutions adopted.
- Briefly discussed the agenda of a planned meeting for the purpose of updating the Co-op's strategic plan.
- The 2016 capital credit refund was reviewed. The total being retired in early October is \$252,824.72. Of this amount, \$1,318.45 will be applied to previously uncollectible accounts and \$1,250.77 will be applied to delinquent current accounts. 1,651 active members will receive payments of more than \$169,000 and 1,107 inactive members will receive payments totaling more than \$75,000.

Christmas Wish Program

Celebrating 20 years of granting wishes

During the holiday season, thoughts turn to those in need. Taylor Electric, WKEB 99.3 FM and other area cooperatives are once again sponsoring the Christmas Wish Program. Send your wish requests for someone who needs some holiday cheer to: WKEB radio, PO Box 59, Medford, WI 54451; phone 715-748-2566; fax 715-748-2752; or visit the radio station's website: www.K99WIGM.com.

Please include your name, address, and phone number as well as the name, address, and phone number of the individual you are making a wish for and the wish you would like granted. Requests are being taken now until December 11, 2016.

Happy Thanksgiving

The office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 24th and 25th for Thanksgiving. Have a safe and enjoyable holiday weekend!

Don't forget to use your Co-op Connections card to save on holiday shopping. Go to connections.coop and get the deals.

Co-op Connections" Card

Don't be a turkey. Use your card and save.

Do you know where these people are?

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Fahrner, Janice Fawley, Jason FHA Fitzgerald, Kathleen Fox, Daniel Frazier, Jerry Fredrickson, Eugene Furseth, Andrew Gawenda, Kenneth Geiger, Edward Ginsing, Sherburne Glenzer, David Grauman, Michael Gruhlke Estate Dorothy Gustum, Kirk Hanson, Bruce Harbath, Andrew Harper, Duane Hauser, Scott Hein. Dawn Henrichs, Daniel Herbig, Joseph Herrell, Tim Holmes, Jeffrey Hutman, Keith Illmann, Judith Jardine, Neil Joles. Judv Kenny, Tom Knorn, Daniel Konig, Michael Kopper, Tammy Kostick, Jodie Kreb, Keith Krueger, Lori Lang, Peter Lekie, Kalem

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Rasmussen, Catherine Rasner, Walter Ricker, Harvey Rindt Estate, Douglas Rohloff, Steve Rollette, Monte Roush, Richard Rydberg, Douglas Sayles Estate, Donald Scheuneman, James Schuetz Estate, Charles Schultz, Howard Schwenke Estate, Ardres Seubert, Mary Sloniker, Ed Smazal, Ric Spreen, Bryan Stahnke Estate Al Steffen, Richard Swarey, Enos Thieme, Kim Thomas, Everett Thomas, Frank Vannorman, Karen Verdone, Todd Wagner, Wm Weatherford, Rodney Weinke, Shervl Westrich, Julie Westrich Estate, Mary Windle, Geraldine Woellner Estate, David Woellner, Theresa Yeager, Wade

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This means that SmartHub solution requires the latest version of your preferred web browser, such as Google Chrome, Microsoft Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox or Apple's

Safari. With a future release, expected in November, you'll no longer be able to access SmartHub if your browser is out of date. Please take any necessary steps to ensure SmartHub continues to work for you.

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