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Nominating committee to be appointed

IN PREPARATION FOR the April 7 Annual Membership Meeting, NEC's Board of Trustees will appoint the nominating committee for board elections at the regular board meeting scheduled for February 22. Pursuant to bylaw provisions, the nominating committee has the responsibility for placing qualified members on the ballot for the board of trustees election at the annual membership meeting. Candidates for the board election must be members of the cooperative in good standing who do not have any form of conflict of interest with the co-op. To be qualified, candidates must be residents on NEC's electric lines, obtaining all of their electricity for their primary residence from the co-op. Additionally, residential members must have lived at their residence on NEC's electric system for the previous seven consecutive years prior to the year of nomination for board election.

Methods of board nominations

There are two ways in which candidates can be nominated for the trustee election. Candidates

can be selected to be placed on the ballot at the annual meeting by the nominating committee. Bylaws require the nominating committee to appoint not less than one candidate from each of NEC's three districts (or zones) that delineate the co-op's service territory. Annually, one board seat is up for election in each of the three zones.

Members can also nominate qualified residential members for the board election by obtaining 10 percent of the members' signatures from the respective zone on an official NEC board nominations petition form. To nominate candidates for the board election, members must obtain this official petition form prior to the election and complete the required number of signatures (approximately 300 signatures) from legitimate members located in the zone. Each name must be listed as it appears on that person's electric bill, and each name must be accompanied by the signor's account number.

For more information on the nominations process as dictated by the Bylaws of Newberry Electric Cooperative, Inc., go by the co-op and pick up a copy of the bylaws or inquire at the co-op during normal business hours.

2010 NEC Annual Meeting scheduled

PLEASE MARK THE calendar now for Newberry Electric Cooperative's 2010 Annual Meeting. The event is scheduled for Wednesday, April 7. It will be held at the Newberry High School with early registration beginning at 12 noon. The business meeting begins at 7 p.m.

Statement of nondiscrimination

Newberry Electric Cooperative, Inc. is the recipient of federal financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Agriculture and is subject to the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, and the rules and regulations of the U.S. Department of Agriculture which provide that no person in the United States on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, or handicap shall be excluded from participation in, admission or access to, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any of this organization's programs or activities.

The person responsible for coordinating this organization's nondiscrimination compliance efforts is Daniel P. Murphy, president and CEO. Any individual, or specific class of individuals, who feels that this organization has subjected them to discrimination may obtain further information about the statutes and regulations listed above from and/or file a written complaint with this organization; or the Secretary, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250; or the Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, Washington, DC 20250. Complaints must be filed within 180 days after the alleged discrimination. Confidentiality will be maintained to the extent possible.

Employees, trustee reach service milestones

THESE ELEVEN INDIVIDUALS will be recognized for their years of service to the member-owners of Newberry Electric Cooperative. They will be honored at a service awards luncheon on Friday, February 26.

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Travis Renwick

5 years



Sherry Livingston



Chip Moore

10 years



Richard Koon
Trustee



Mike Livingston



Jason Merchant



Dan Murphy

15 years



Wanda Amick



Linda Lever

25 years



Keith McMorris

35 years



Janet Fulmer