



THE BUZZ

for members of CKenergy Electric Cooperative

Don't miss this year's Annual Meeting! Friday, August 11, at 5:00 p.m. in Weatherford, OK, at the Pioneer Cellular Event Center at SWOSU.

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2017 CKenergy Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Annual Report & Annual Meeting

Full details & Registration Card Inside.

CKenergy

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Monday-Friday,
8:00 am - 5:00 pm.

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800-868-8243
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Clint Pack, CEO

PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Pay online at www.ckenergy.coop.
- Pay by phone by calling **405-656-2322**, available 24 hours a day. Visa, Mastercard, Discover, or American Express.
- Pay in person at any of our offices: Binger, Cordell, Mustang, and Anadarko.
- Pay via automatic draft of your checking or savings account. To sign up, please visit www.ckenergy.coop or call **405-656-2322** or **580-832-3361**.
- Pay through our CKenergy App available for iPhones or Androids.

Letter from the CEO

Most consumers would not equate active involvement with their electric company with helping their community. But CKenergy Electric Cooperative, Inc. is not an ordinary utility company. We're a co-op, and our business model is meant to serve the members and the community in which it operates – not to make a hefty profit for investors five states away. CKenergy's customers are more than consumers; they are members of the cooperative. And herein lies the difference.

Our core purpose and mission is to provide safe, reliable and affordable power to our members. But as a co-op, we are motivated by service to the community, rather than profits. After meeting our annual expenses, we invest the extra money back into the co-op and the wider community. We depend on the guidance and perspective of our members and board to help set priorities for the co-op and guide governance decisions. At our annual meeting, we raise issues for voting consideration by the general membership. Our board of directors is comprised of members who live and work in our service

area, for they are in a position to know where community investments are most needed.

CKenergy is controlled by members who actively participate in setting policies and making decisions. This is why we value your participation in our annual meeting, held Friday, August 11th, and in other co-op events. CKenergy has numerous ongoing programs that impact the community. Every summer, for example, we participate in Youth Tour and take local high school students to the nation's capital to meet with lawmakers, enabling students to learn firsthand how our democracy works. We have a scholarship program and we also provide the opportunity for 8th grade students to spend a week learning the ins and outs of cooperatives and developing leadership skills at Youth Power Energy Camp. We are also dedicated to supporting community organizations through monetary donations, volunteering, or supplying the labor for certain projects. But the decisions and criteria for determining these programs are based on member guidance and feedback.



Clint Pack, CEO

We recognize the vital role CKenergy plays in energizing our local economy. But to continue to innovate and more effectively serve the community, we rely on you, our members, to provide guidance. We value your perspective, and we cannot operate effectively and help our community thrive without you. We hope to see you on Friday, August 11th at our Annual Meeting in Weatherford, OK, at the Pioneer Cellular Event Center located on the SWOSU campus.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

THIS IS THE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF CKENERGY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. PURSUANT TO THE BY-LAWS YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE 2017 ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF CKENERGY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, AUGUST 11TH, AT THE PIONEER CELLULAR EVENT CENTER, 900 N 7TH ST., WEATHERFORD, OK, AT 7:00 P.M.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING IS TO PRESENT:

1. THE OPERATING STATEMENT AND FINANCIAL REPORT.
2. THE REPORTS OF THE PRESIDENT AND CEO.
3. OTHER BUSINESS AS MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE MEETING.

REGISTRATION & MEAL BEGIN AT 5:00 P.M.

On Friday, August 11th, the CKEC Cordell district office will be closing at 3:00 p.m. for Annual Meeting.

Offices in Binger, Anadarko, & Mustang will remain open until 5:00 p.m.

In the event of an outage, please call:

**1-800-868-8243 or
1-888-832-3362.**

2017 Annual Meeting

CKenergy's Annual Meeting is fast approaching! This year's meeting will be held on Friday, August 11, at the Pioneer Cellular Event Center in Weatherford, OK. Member registration and the meal begin at 5:00 p.m., with the entertainment, business meeting, and prize drawings following after.

By attending, CKEC members will be entered to win a brand new lawn tractor, possibly walk away with some extra cash (\$50- \$150), and will also be able to enjoy the comedic stylings of ventriloquist Gary Owens and the musical talent of Graystone Bluegrass Revival. That's not to mention the registration gifts you will receive and the always delicious meal provided by Adventures in Catering out of Mustang, OK. There will also be children's entertainment going on throughout the evening. Your little ones will be able to enjoy their very own registration gifts and prize drawings, two different bounce house obstacle courses, a train ride, and SnoCones!

This year's registration gifts will include a CKenergy ball cap, tote bag, an embroidered apron, and a \$20 credit that will be applied to your electric bill! We hope to see you there!

Annual Meeting Agenda

CKenergy Electric Cooperative, Inc.
August 11, 2017
Pioneer Cellular Event Center
Weatherford, Oklahoma

5:00 p.m. Registration & Meal
5:30 p.m. Musical Entertainment
7:00 p.m. Business Meeting

Call To Order Glenn Propps,
Board of Trustees President

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance
National Anthem

CEO Report.....Clint Pack,
CKEC CEO

Prize Drawings CKEC Employees



Gary Owens, Ventriloquist



Graystone Bluegrass Revival



Kid's Entertainment

Grand Prize



This year's grand prize is a Kubota Commander lawn tractor. 22 hp Kawasaki, with a 42" cut.



OFFICIAL MEMBER REGISTRATION CARD 2017

Please fill out and present this card at the registration table.

2nd Annual Meeting of Members
Friday, August 11, 2017

PLEASE UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone # _____ Cell # _____

CKEC Acct # _____

Email: _____

Cooperative Financials

Statement of Income & Expenses

Revenue Received:

Farms & Rural Homes	\$29,440,202
Town & Seasonal Residential	\$828,910
Large Power & Commercial	\$29,072,042
Public St. Light & Hwy. Light	\$63,786
Irrigation Accts.	\$3,110,179
Penalties & other Operating Revenue	\$2,047,141
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	\$64,562,260

Cost of Electric Service:

Purchased Power	\$37,830,942
Line Operations & Maintenance	\$10,623,695
Consumer Accounting & Collecting	\$2,458,063
Power Sales Expense	\$793,552
Administrative & General Expense	\$2,800,344
Depreciation	\$4,393,886
Taxes	\$1,165,447
Interest on Long Term Debt	\$3,507,116
Other Deductions & Short Term Interest	\$582,248
TOTAL COST OF ELECTRIC SERVICE	\$64,155,293

Patronage Capital & Operating Margins	\$406,967
Plus Non-Operating Margins Including Earned Interest	\$337,105
G & T Capital Credits	\$1,868,705
Equity Investments	\$0
Capital Credits	\$0
Other Capital Credits	\$320,283
Extraordinary Items	\$0
TOTAL PATRONAGE CAPITAL & MARGINS	\$2,933,060

Balance Sheet

What we have:

Lines, Buildings, Equipment	\$161,929,133
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	-\$44,023,085
Net Value of Property	\$177,906,048
Cash on Hand & Temp. Investments	\$9,661,110
Investments & Capital Credits Due from Associated Organizations	\$27,003,385
Owed to us for Electrical Service & Loans	\$14,077,289
Material & Supplies in Stock	\$583,853
Deferred Debits, Other Assets & Prepayments	\$14,494,669
TOTAL ASSETS	\$183,726,354

What We Owe:

Other Long Term Debt	\$41,072,130
Economic Development Loan	\$766,163
Rural Utility Service (RUS)	\$57,276,041
Notes Payable	\$20,312,623
Consumer Meter Deposits	\$777,302
Accounts Payable	\$790,946
Operating Provisions	\$3,162,920
Other Deferred Credits & Liabilities	\$5,388,933
TOTAL OWED	\$129,547,058

Our Net Worth:

Membership Fees	\$73,905
Patronage Capital & Other Equity	\$54,105,391
Total Equity	\$54,179,296
Total Liabilities & Net Worth	\$183,726,354

Giving Back to our Communities

Electric cooperatives are known for their dedication to the betterment of the communities in which they are located.

A couple of ways that we are proud to give back to our communities are through gross receipts tax to local school districts and Operation Round Up.

We are a nonprofit, member-owned corporation. Rural Electric Cooperatives do not pay income taxes, but we do pay gross receipts tax (in lieu of property taxes). These taxes, paid by CKEC totaling \$1,164,553.18, were paid to the Oklahoma Tax

Commission, which distributes the money to school districts located in counties in which we serve. The amount of taxes paid to a school district depends on the number of miles of line the cooperative has in that district.

Our Operation Round Up board approved a total of \$53,675.00 for grants since the beginning of this year. Those funds will be used to improve the lively hood of individuals, fund school programs, help local law enforcement better protect citizens, and so much more!



Dear Cooperative Member:

In the past, Co-op owners have been instrumental in stopping costly legislation. Currently, we're battling proposed regulations from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) that effectively eliminate coal as an electric generation fuel source. This would have serious consequences on the cost and availability of electricity.

We are committed to a clean environment. Our power supply cooperatives work hard to meet and exceed EPA requirements, but we believe the EPA is going too far this time. We need your help as Co-op Owners to support members of Congress who agree to ask the EPA to create more sensible rulings.

Please join 33,000 other electric cooperative members, employees and trustees nationwide who are part of the political action group, Co-op Owners for Political Action, or ACRE (Action Committee for Rural Electrification).

Co-op Owners for ACRE are our best tool to get the attention of decision makers in Oklahoma and across the nation. Just \$25 a year makes you part of this voice for electric cooperatives. It's a small investment that can help keep electricity affordable and reliable. Simply return the completed form below with your next bill payment and we will forward your contribution on to ACRE.

Sincerely,

Clint Pack

Clint Pack
CEO

YES! I want to help keep the voice of rural electric cooperatives heard in the state and national political process by participating in Co-op Owners for Political Action.

Regular Co-op Owners Member: \$25.00
 Century Club Member: \$100.00
 Vice President's Club Member: \$250.00*
 President's Club Member: \$500.00*
 Other \$ _____

I affirm that my contribution has been made with non-corporate funds:

Name: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Account #: _____ Signature: _____
Email Address: _____ Phone: _____

Return to CKenergy Electric Cooperative, P.O. Box 70, Binger, OK 73009

*Federal Election Law requires the following information for contributions equal to or exceeding \$200:

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

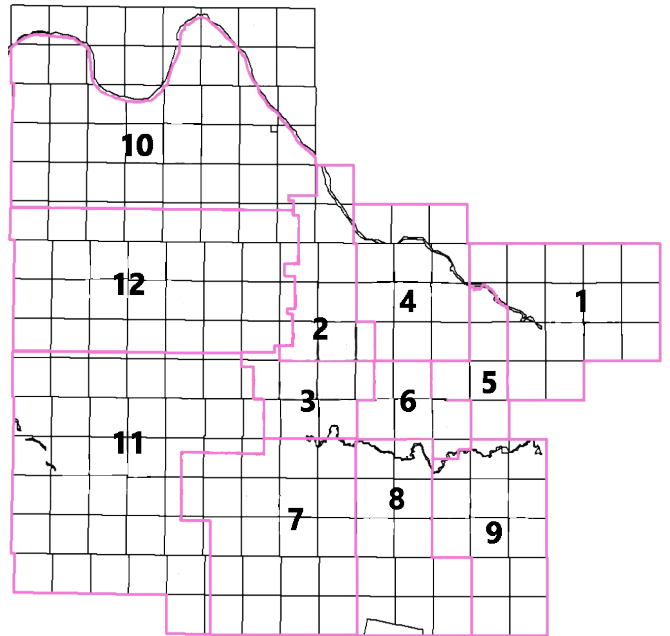
CKEC Board of Directors



Back row L-R: Don Payne, Jack Sawatzky, Mark Slem, Gary Brewster, Dr. Fred Reuter, & Greg Little.
Front row L-R: Jack McLemore, Walter Hrbacek, Herman Myers, Robert Travis, John Schaufele, & Glenn Propps.

Board Districts

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| Dist. 1- Dr. Fred Reuter | Dist. 7- Don Payne |
| Dist. 2- Jack McLemore | Dist. 8- Walter Hrbacek |
| Dist. 3- Greg Little | Dist. 9- Herman Myers |
| Dist. 4- Glenn Propps | Dist. 10- Robert Travis |
| Dist. 5- Mark Slem | Dist. 11- John Schaufele |
| Dist. 6- Gary Brewster | Dist. 12- Jack Sawatzky |



Cooperative Facts

- Approximately 7,300 sq. miles in territory
- 7,728 miles of line
- Average 3.26 members per mile of line
- Approximately 150,559 poles across territory
- 25,243 active meters
- Average usage for April 2017- 1,813 Kwh
- 101 FT employees

Headquartered in Binger
District offices in Anadarko, Cordell, & Mustang.

Counties served: Blaine, Caddo, Canadian, Comanche, Custer, Dewey, Grady, Kiowa, Roger Mills, & Washita.

Outage numbers: 1-800-868-8243 or 1-888-832-3362.

CKenergy is not owned by far- away investors, and it is not run by an appointed board of directors. We are run by a democratically elected board of directors – a board who is given the privilege to serve because of your vote.

Automotive

I buy junk cars & farm machinery, call 405-641-3344 for more information.

Hilltop Small Engine Repair, 3 mi north of Gracemont, 1/2 mi west on CR 1230. 405-638-0325.

Carburetor Rebuilding- 30 yrs experience on all carburetors. 1000's in stock with 1 year warranty. I'll save you time & money! 541-515-2933.

Apache Starter & Alternator- 2.5 miles N. of sale barn. Apache, OK 580-588-9284.

83 chevy blazer 4 X 4 good full size truck 3,900. 83 chevy parts truck 350/350 all or part 300.00. Cash only 405-818-9011.

55 Chevy Bel Air. 2 dr, hard top, 350/350. Lots of new parts. Runs & drives great. Great all power & ac car. New tires & cragers. \$28,500. 405-818-9011.

Farm/ Equipment

Marrow's Tractor Tire Repair, Sales, & Service 405-668-0248

7ft. Brush Hog MX7. Almost new. Used very little. 2 tractors- 1- 1947 & 1- 1948, need TLC. 405-352-0827 or 405-613-5731.

'57 WD 45 Allis Chalmers tractor. Sheet metal good, stored inside. \$15,000. 405-352-4525.

Swap 'N Shop

For Sale or Trade

Note: CKEC does not endorse or guarantee any of the products or services in these ads.

4020 John Deere- Big Rubber 23-1-30. Dual loader & bucket 8'. Good paint, new seat, PTO, no dents. \$16,500. 580-331-7304.

Great plains solid stand drill. 24' Krause Model 2423 disc javorsky field cultivator. 30' International 7/18 on land mold board. '62 Ford F-600 steel bed & lift. 580-347-2785.

Livestock/Pets

Saanan billy goat. 1 1/2 years old. Great breed for milking. \$175. N of Weatherford. 580-613-1423.

Fresh Raw Goat Milk \$6/gal. Basic Goatcheese \$5/lb. 405-643-9948.

Nubian/Boer mix goats for sale. Various ages. 405-284-6419.

3 1/2 year old, full blood, Black Angus bull. Not registered. Owner retiring. Good calf crop past 2 years. 580-574-0254.

Free to good home- 6yr old, spayed female blackmouth mountain cur dog. Sweet disposition, kid friendly, obedient, housebroke, up to date on shots. Needs fenced in yard. 580-309-1489.

2 Free Donkeys. 3 year old & 4 year old. 405-638-0208.

Business

BackWoods Welding & Construction- Farm & ranch welding, pipe fencing, steel buildings, metal roofs, pole barns, state certified & insured. 405-320-8379.

Hauling/moving of most anything. Will pick up old cars/and junk metal. 405-952-4993.

Welding & Fabrication work. Call Tony, 405-834-1128.

Hooked on Antiques. 209 W Main, Binger. Open Wed. 9:30 a.m.- 5 p.m. Thurs. 9 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. Call 405-202-6563 for more info.

King Cement Services, Eakly, OK. 405-545-2141 or 580-450-7804.

Miscellaneous

Portable Generator- black max subaru. 6560 max watts. 5250 running watts. \$400 OBO. 405-376-5678.

Red Hat Society- IG crochet afghan. Has several matching accessories. \$125/all. 405-643-9980.

Swap 'N Shop Ads are continued on page 8

You may submit classified ads, businesses, or services to Swap 'N Shop, P.O. Box 70, Binger, OK 73009, ads@ckenergy.coop, or fax to 405-656-2327. One ad per member unless there is additional space available.

Circle category:

Autos Farm/Equip Furn/Appl Hay/Wood Livestock/Pets Misc
Real Estate Wanted-Notices Business

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone # _____

CKEC Acct # _____

Swap 'N Shop is a classified advertisement service that we provide to our members at no cost.

- Members are able to submit written ads through the mail, fax, drop off, or by email.
- Ads are **NOT** taken over the phone.
- Ads need to be received by the 10th of each month to appear in the next month's issue.
- Ad space is limited to a 25 word maximum.
- Contact the editor at 405-656-2322 for information about availability of ad space.
- CKEC reserves the right to reject any ad deemed inappropriate.
- Ads will automatically run for 2 months, additional run time must be requested **before** the 10th of the month.

Miscellaneous Cont.

Generator, 7500 Watt. Electric start, like new. 3-4 hours of use. \$650. 405-623-8934.

Used: 170ft. 48" galvanized link fence. Rolled up and ready to load. 8 rails, 10 posts. \$200. 580-302-4175.

Furniture/Appliance

3 retail business show cases \$25 ea. Dining room table & chairs \$25 ea. Nice living room chair \$34. Nice glass shelves w/ storage in bottom \$30. Going out of business 402 E Central, Anadarko, OK.

Real Estate

12x60 3bd, 2ba, partially furnished, mobile home. \$30,000. Crow's Roost Edition. 405-601-0382.

16X80 3 bed 2 bath, Mobile Home on 64X120 lot. 2 yr old central H&A, new carpet, new hot water tank, new pressure well. Covered porch. 14X30 pole barn, \$41,500. 405-601-0382. Call for info.

480 acre grass, 2 live creeks- good hunting. 160 acre w/ 145 acre cultivated & pivot irrigation- between Eakly & Hydro. Call 405-388-1827 or 405-570-4893.

Ft. Cobb Lake House- Crows Roost area. 2 bed, furnished. 2 lots, new metal roof, garage & carport. Also, Waverunner & Seadoo on double trailer. \$62,000. 405-623-4231.

Rainbow Lake- between Binger & Minco. Back lot seeded, 40ft trailer, new deck very good condition. \$19,900. 405-543-6012.

20 Acre Horse Property. 4250sqft home, barns, arena, pipe & cable fence, bermuda, 14X80 mobile home, 20 min from OKC. El Reno area. \$695,000. 405-410-5222.

Nice Brick Home in Eakly. 2 bd, 2 ba. Nice storage, basement, 2 car garage, front porch, back porch w/ patio. Building in back yard. \$85,000/negotiable. 405-687-0375.

1 Acre Commercial Zoned. 4 3/4 E of Tuttle on HWY 37. 405-794-4612.

Hunting Lodge- sleeps 6. Rent by week or month with all amenities, all appliances, & new beds. \$500/week or \$1,800/month. Close to Fort Cobb Lake.- Call Wanda. 580-302-3051.

Ft. Cobb Lake (Flying Inn #2) 3 bd, 2 ba, 1456sqft. 30x50 shop. Less than 500ft from water (boat dock), open floor plan, formal din, kit din, lg covered ft & bk porches. Excellent condition. \$134k 580-772-4663.

60x60 shop w/ living app. 3600 sq. ft. 3000 working. Complete shop with anything you could need. Has heat with 2 lifts. 580-331-7180.

4.5 acres W edge of Cordell. 4 bd, 3 1/2 ba, brick home. 40x60 barn, basement, new kitchen, carpet, tile, windows, roof, & fence. Must see. 940-395-1370.

5 acre tract of land. Timber, wildlife. Financing available. Minco school district. Electric & water available. new home site, no trailer homes. 405-352-5190.

1102 SW 8th, Anadarko. 3 bd, 1 updated ba, cellar in garage, fenced in yard. Great neighborhood. ABC Realty 580-515-1752.

528 S. Spencer, Hinton. Completely remodeled. Must see. 3 bd, 2 ba, utility room. Detached garage. 1,450 sq. ft. MOL. 405-306-1538.

2,128 sq. ft. home. 3 bd, 2 1/2 ba. Lg. living room. 5 walk-in closets. Metal roof, all electric. Well kept-40x50 steel bldg. on 5 acres. Gracemont. Serious lookers only. 580-515-4126.

3 bd, 2 ba brick home. XL lot west edge of Cordell. New Four Seasons sunroom/patio. basement, storage shed, fence, updated throughout. \$199,900. 940-395-1370.

Gracemont: Quiet, small, rural acreage w/ 3b, 1 1/2 ba brick home. Attached garage, storm shelter, shop building, 2 car carport, old barn,

water well, close to town, paved road. Reduced to \$79,900. 405-402-0895.

Auto- transmission shop. All equipment w/ it. 60x60x14 building. 6 lots on corner. Built in 05. 580-331-7180.

1 acre commercial zoned. Between Tuttle & Tricity on highway 37. 4 3/4 mi east of Tuttle. 405-794-4612.

3 bd, 1 ba. Carport, storage building, fenced in yard, new kitchen, remodeled bathroom with wood, tile, & carpet floors and new windows. \$83,000, just have to see. 405-952-4171.

Two lots. Well, electricity, 2 metal buildings, 21 ft. Tahoe travel trailer. Used very little but needs repairs. Make offer. Swan Lake area. 405-681-6991.

Fort Cobb Lake Lots- Crow's Roost area. 3 lots recently cleared & levelled off. 1- 92' wide x 120' deep, 2 water wells., 405-694-0625.

Cedar Lake Cabin (lot 821). Dock space, 2 bed, 1 bath. 1048 sq. ft. \$65,500. 405-295-2401.

Events

SAVE THE DATE: 2017 Women in Ag & Small Business Conference. Featuring keynote speaker- Farm Babe. Must see! 11/09/2017. www.thefarmbabe.com

Lemon Lush

Ingredients:

8 tbsp softened Butter
3/4 cup Sugar, divided
3/4 cup Flour
8 oz Cream Cheese
1/2 cup Sugar
1 pkg Instant Lemon Pudding Mix (3.4 oz)
1 3/4 cup Milk
8 oz thawed Frozen Whipped Topping

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350. Line an 8x8" dish with aluminum foil. Cream the butter and 1/4 cup sugar until creamy. Beat in the flour until well blended. Press into bottom of prepared pan and bake 25 minutes or until lightly brown on edges. Allow to cool. Beat together cream cheese and 1/2 cup sugar until well blended. Spread over cooled crust. In another bowl combine pudding mix and milk and beat for 3 minutes until barely thickened. Spread over the cream cheese. Refrigerate until pudding is set. Remove from pan by lifting foil. Cut into bars. Spread whipped topping over bars.

