

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF)	
FARMERS RURAL ELECTRIC)	
COOPERATIVE CORPORATION FOR A)	CASE NO.
GENERAL ADJUSTMENT OF RATES)	2025-00107
AND OTHER GENERAL RELIEF)	

FARMERS RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION
PROOF OF PUBLICATION OF HEARING NOTICE

Comes now Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation (“Farmers”), by counsel, and does hereby provide proof of publication of hearing notice pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2)(b), the Commission’s July 23, 2025 Order, and the Commission’s August 7, 2025 Order and respectfully states Farmers has published notice in the September edition of *Kentucky Living*. Farmers further states that all members received the September edition of *Kentucky Living*.

This the 11th day of September, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the electronic filing was transmitted to the Commission on July 9, 2025, and that there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding. Pursuant to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085 no paper copies of this filing will be made.

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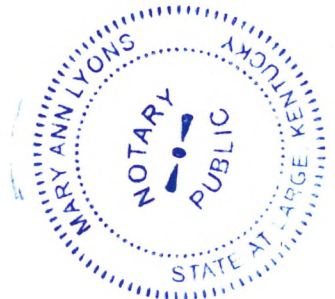
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the September 2025 issue of *KENTUCKY LIVING*, bearing official notice of a Public Service Commission hearing to cross-examine witnesses in PSC Case No. 2025-00107, regarding the FARMERS RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE application for a rate increase, was entered as direct mail on August 29, 2025.



Shannon Brock
Editor
Kentucky Living


County of Jefferson
State of Kentucky



Sworn to and subscribed before me, a Notary Public,

This 29th day of August, 2025.

My commission expires 6-9-2029


Notary Public, State of Kentucky

FARMERS RECC COOPERATIVE NEWS

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We're prepared for fall storms

After a battering from spring storms, including one of our sister co-ops being directly hit by a tornado and dozens of deaths in southern Kentucky, memories of Hurricane Helene's havoc might have dimmed. It's been nearly a year, but I haven't forgotten the widespread damage that began early on that last Friday in September.

Homes and businesses in Farmers RECC's service area were left in the dark when 60-plus-mile-per hour winds uprooted trees, causing extensive power line damage. Heavy rainfall washed away roads and bridges, slowing line-workers efforts to restore power.

Fall is here and it's the peak of hurricane and tropical storm season. Regrettably, scientists are predicting an above-normal number of major hurricanes. It's unknown whether these storms will affect our part of the world. Rest assured, though, your co-op is prepared to respond to any severe weather impact.

That preparation begins long before a storm is forecasted. To achieve the goal of restoring power quickly and safely after a storm, our employees monitor the grid 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, and keep our infrastructure in good repair. We also take preventative steps such as managing vegetation along our power lines to minimize damage from falling trees and limbs.



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Preparation is also the key to our storm plan. Dispatchers closely monitor for threatening weather. If a damaging storm is spotted, co-op employees are mobilized and properly equipped to respond as soon as safely possible. Each employee plays an important role in the restoration plan and has been trained to be ready as needed.

We'll keep you informed about restoration efforts by posting frequently on our Facebook, Instagram, and X accounts. You can also track our progress online at our Outage Center at www.farmersrecc.com/outages.

September is National Preparedness Month. It serves as a reminder that all of us can be proactive in dealing with the threat of a power outage at any time of the year. Before a severe storm is in

the local forecast, I urge you to visit our Outage Center for information you need to stay safe and comfortable should a prolonged outage occur. One recommendation I'll make is to be sure you have an emergency kit ready at all times. It's critical to ensure your and your family's safety.

Here's hoping for a fall full of blue-sky days. But if the storms come, know you're your co-op is prepared. And we hope you are too.



Toby Moss
President and CEO

Farmers RECC in the field

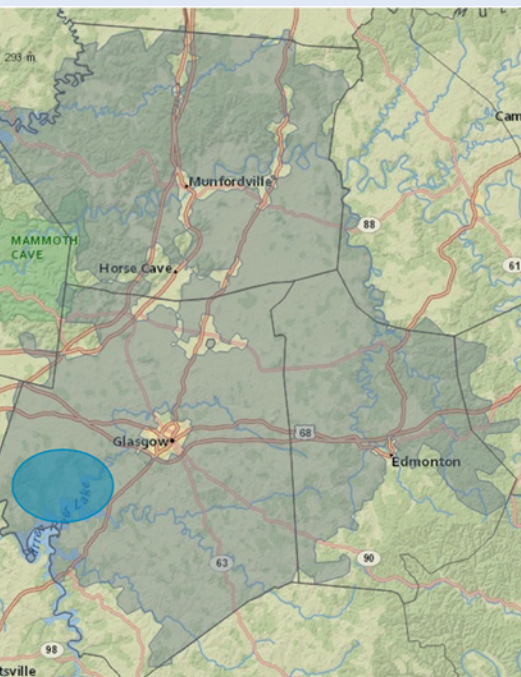


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● Line/pole inspectors

During the month of September, our field inspectors (represented in blue) will be working in the Beckton area.

Field inspection, except during emergency power restoration, is conducted during normal working hours: 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Every effort is made to avoid damage and unnecessary intrusion. If you have concerns about our work on your property, contact Farmers RECC at (270) 651-2191. We appreciate your cooperation.



C.F. Martin, Jr. Retires from Farmers RECC Board of Directors

Mr. C.F. Martin, Jr. retired from the Farmers RECC board in August. He has served on the board, representing District II, for thirty years.

Through his dedication and diligence throughout his time serving our members, he was an integral part of the Cooperative program. His leadership helped shape many of the initiatives and policies that continue to benefit the cooperative and its members today.

"All of us who have had the privilege of knowing and working with C.F., appreciate the fine person he is and the values he embraces," said Toby Moss, Farmers RECC President & CEO. "I personally appreciate the interest and dedication he has put forth on our board to represent our members and help ensure they receive the best of service."

His time on the Board of Directors included 2 years as the Farmers RECC representative on the Kentucky Association of Electric Cooperatives' Board of Directors, and two years on the East Kentucky Power Cooperatives Board of Directors. He also served as the Chairman of the Farmers RECC Board of Directors from 2002-2004 and again in 2012-2014. During his tenure, Martin also served as the Secretary/Treasurer and the Vice Chairman of the Farmers RECC Board.

Over the years, Mr. Martin proved to be a thoughtful and steady voice during times of growth and challenge. During his time as a Director of Farmers RECC, the cooperative



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experienced numerous achievements, including membership growth, the adoption of new technologies to better serve our members and a shift in energy generation fuels. In addition, Mr. Martin served on the Board when Farmers RECC helped fund, through Rural Development and Economic Development loans, the Landfill-Gas-to-Energy plant and the Shanti Niketan Hospice Home, both in Glasgow. Mr. Martin also helped guide the cooperative through numerous natural disasters, including the 2009 Ice Storm and challenges like the COVID-19 pandemic. Mr. Martin also worked with three of the cooperatives six CEO's in history.

The Farmers RECC family wishes to extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation to C.F. and Martha Martin for their loyal and enthusiastic commitment to our cooperative. Their contributions are a valuable part of our legacy.

The trip of a lifetime

Kentucky's electric cooperatives sponsored 61 high school seniors on the trip of a lifetime in June. A delegation of rising leaders visited the nation's capital for the 2025 Washington Youth Tour, experiencing the city's rich history and nonstop energy. Students enjoyed a front-row seat to the stories, service and sacrifices that have shaped our country and cooperative communities—all while making unforgettable memories of their own.

Farmers RECC proudly sponsors the statewide youth your program, which gives students the chance to explore our nation's history, meet elected leaders and see cooperative principles in action. "We believe in giving young people opportunities to lead," says Mallory Wafzig, manager of cooperative outreach for Kentucky Electric Cooperatives. "The youth tour helps students build confidence, expand their network and develop the leadership skills they'll carry into the future."

This year, Emma-Kate Fields, Mary Claire Warren, Addison Morgan and Braydon Thompson represented Farmers RECC on the tour.

Thompson enjoyed the trip and leaves this advice for future delegates: "Even if you are nervous, embrace every single moment of it. You will miss it once it's gone."

Trip highlights included a tour of Thomas Jefferson's Monticello, a visit to Arlington National Cemetery, where students took part in a wreath-laying



Farmers RECC Washington Youth Tour delegate Braydon Thompson stands next to Kentucky's pillar at the WWII memorial. Photo: Tim Webb

ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the 9/11 Memorial at the Pentagon, the Marine Corps Sunset Parade and a walking tour of D.C.'s iconic memorials and monuments. Students also spent time exploring the Smithsonian museums and experienced the power of language at the Planet Word Museum.

For the first time, Kentucky's delegation toured the White House, with some students catching a glimpse of President Donald Trump as he oversaw a flagpole installation on the lawn. At the Capitol, students asked questions and explored how government works. They

met with Sen. Rand Paul and engaged in thoughtful conversations about the farm bill, artificial intelligence and the role of Congress in shaping national policy. Staff from the House Energy and Commerce Committee, as well the offices of Rep. James Comer and Rep. Thomas Massie, offered a behind-the-scenes look at the legislative process.

"As part of our commitment to community, Farmers RECC invests in the leaders of tomorrow," says Farmers RECC CEO Toby Moss. "The Washington Youth Tour is an experience that stays with them for life."

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Kentucky Public Service Commission (the "Commission") will conduct a hearing at 9 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time on Thursday, September 18, 2025, in the Richard Raff Hearing Room 1 at the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602, for the purposes of cross-examination of witnesses of Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Farmers") in PSC Case No. 2025-00107, regarding Farmers Application for a rate increase. This notice is provided in compliance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2)(b). This hearing will be streamed live and maybe viewed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov. Public comments may be made at the beginning of the hearing. Those wishing to make oral public comments may do so by following the instructions listed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov.



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Abigail Nuetzman, Editor

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Power through during an outage

Power outages are sometimes the unfortunate result of the fall storm season. In conjunction with National Preparedness Month in September, Farmers RECC urges you to be prepared in the event of an outage.

Power outage checklist

- **Medically fragile care:** Have a contingency plan in place for patients who have a medical necessity for electricity. This can include backup power, extra supplies or an alternate location until the outage is over.
- **Light:** Make sure you have flashlights, battery-powered lanterns and extra batteries. Avoid light sources that require a flame or fire.
- **Water:** If you depend on a well, fill bathtubs or other large containers for household use like flushing toilets. Stock up on drinking water. If you have livestock or poultry, make sure you have a stand-by generator to run the well.
- **Power:** If electricity is critical for your day-to-day needs, have a licensed electrician properly install a backup generator and obtain a fuel supply for it. Buy an external power pack or car charger for your cell phone and an extra battery for your laptop. A power inverter allows you to run your laptop from your car.
- **Food:** Stock up on nonperishable foods like protein bars, peanut butter, crackers, trail mix, fruit cups and canned meat. Buy cans with pop tops or get a manual can opener. Don't forget to stockpile special foods for infants or pets.
- **Information:** Get a portable radio with extra batteries for local information and a NOAA Weather Radio for weather warnings.
- **Medical:** Have a fully stocked first-aid kit and keep an adequate supply of prescription medications.
- **Money:** Have extra cash on hand because electronic card readers and cash machines may not work.

Visit Farmers RECC Outage Center at www.farmersrecc.com/outages for more information on preparing for and coping with power outages, including tips for medically fragile patients, generators, storm safety and power restoration.

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