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NEC employees Caleb and Joseph presented the Corpus Christi Pregnancy Center with a grant in the amount of \$7,500 to help fund parenting classes, counseling and support, mentorship, and fatherhood.

Operation Round Up: Small Change that Saves Lives

Operation Round Up is a powerful but simple billing program. Through Operation Round-Up, NEC Co-op Energy members “round up” their electric bills to the next dollar, and this change becomes our community grant program! For example, if your monthly bill were \$85.79, it would be rounded up to \$86.00. All of the additional change adds up each year, and Nueces Electric Charities (on behalf of all of the participating NEC members) gives a check to various worthy community organizations. The monthly donation by a member, per account, never exceeds 99 cents per month, can be as low as a penny, and averages just \$6 per year.

This will truly be an opportunity for NEC Co-op Energy members to show the power of cooperation by banding together around a single cause: to improve the communities we live in. To date, NEC Co-op Energy members have made it possible to award \$147,000 to 30 local charities! These dollars supported charities doing important work in our communities.

Ever heard that a penny goes a long way? In this case, hundreds of thousands of pennies donated each year by NEC Co-op Energy members go a very long way to help Coastal Bend organizations.

Because of the generous donations of our members, Nueces Electric Charities is able to grant awards each year to worthy charitable organizations in our member communities. Nueces Electric Charities is a financial supporter whose giving is meant to help non-profit organizations address and positively impact community life for NEC Co-op Energy members.

Enroll by scanning the QR code to start contributing your change to local charities that benefit the communities we serve.



Scan the QR code to learn more about our Member Referral Program



Refer a New Member. Get a \$50 Bill Credit!

When you refer a friend or business who has never been a member, you'll both receive a \$50 bill credit if they join. And here's the great part: there's no limit on new member referrals.

Get a \$500 Bonus Bill Credit

We're giving a \$500 bonus bill credit to the member with the most referrals, and a \$250 bonus bill credit to the member with the second most referrals! Recipients are announced at the NEC Annual Meeting in October.

NO LATE FEES

SIGN UP FOR RECURRING PAYMENTS

NO POSTAL DELAYS

IT IS VOLUNTARY, MEMBERS CAN SIGN UP FOR RECURRING PAYMENTS 3 EASY WAYS:

- 1) CALL OUR PHONE PAYMENT SYSTEM** **1-855-632-7348**
- 2) THROUGH YOUR CUSTOMER PORTAL**
- 3) CALL MEMBER SERVICES** **1-855-632-7348 EXT. 4**

Hurricane Preparedness Guidelines

Hurricane Season is June 1–November 30

PREPAREDNESS CHECKLIST:

- * Make an evacuation plan. Find activated evacuation routes at DriveTexas.org or by dialing 1-800-452-9292. Call 211 to find out if you live in an evacuation zone.
- * Sign up for emergency alerts. Make sure your mobile device is enabled to receive Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEAs).
- * Prepare an emergency supply kit. Learn how to build an emergency kit at ready.gov/build-a-kit.
- * Review your home insurance policy.
- * Register with State of Texas Emergency Assistance Registry (STEAR) at stear.tdem.texas.gov/ or by dialing 211 if you live in an evacuation zone and:
 - Have a disability or medical needs and do not have a car or other vehicle to use in an evacuation.
 - Have a disability or medical needs and do not have friends or family to help in an evacuation.

Information collected for STEAR is confidential.

- Residential members depended on electric-powered medical equipment, such as those designated as Critical Care or Chronic Condition, in accordance with PUC Section 25.496, are encouraged to have solid back-up plan in the event they lose electricity. It is important to note that these members are not excluded from controlled outages and may lose power during a load shed event. Anyone who depends on electricity for life-sustaining equipment should have a back-up plan in place.

HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS ONLINE RESOURCES

Texas Division of Emergency Management: tdem.texas.gov

Texas Department of State Health Services: texasready.gov

American Red Cross: redcross.org

U.S. Department of Homeland Security: ready.gov

Office of Texas Governor Greg Abbott: gov.texas.gov

DIVISIÓN DE ADMINISTRACIÓN DE EMERGENCIAS DE TEXAS

Directrices para Huracanes

La temporada de huracanes es del 1 de junio al 30 de noviembre

LISTA DE VERIFICACIÓN DE PREPARACIÓN:

- * Haga un plan de evacuación. Encuentre rutas de evacuación activadas en DriveTexas.org o marcando 1-800-452-9292. Llame 211 para averiguar si usted vive en una zona de evacuación.
- * Regístrese para recibir alertas de emergencia. Asegúrese de que su dispositivo móvil esté habilitado para recibir Alertas de emergencia inalámbricas (WEAs).
- * Prepare un kit de emergencia. Aprenda como construir un kit de emergencia en ready.gov/build-a-kit.
- * Revise su póliza de seguro de hogar.
- * Regístrese con el Registro de Asistencia de Emergencia del Estado de Texas (STEAR) en stear.tdem.texas.gov/ o marcando el 211 si vive en una zona de evacuación y:
 - Tiene una discapacidad o necesidades médicas y no tiene un auto u otro vehículo para usar en una evacuación.
 - Tiene una discapacidad o necesidades médicas y no tiene amigos o familiares para ayudaren una evacuación.

La información recolectada para STEAR es confidencial.

- Se alienta a los miembros residenciales que dependen de equipos medicos electricos, como los designados como Cuidados Criticos o Condicion Cronica, de acuerdo con la Seccion 25.496 de la PUC, a tener un plan de respaldo solido encaso de que pierdan electricidad. Es importante tener en cuenta que estos miembros no estan excluidos de los cortes controlados y pueden perder energia durante un evento de cobertizo de carga, Cualquier persona que dependa de la electricidad para el equipo de soporte vital debe tener un plan de respaldo en su lugar.

RECURSOS EN LÍNEA PARA LA PREPARACIÓN PARA HURACANES

División de Administración de Emergencias de Texas: tdem.texas.gov

Departamento de Servicios de Salud del Estado: texasready.gov

Cruz Roja Americana: redcross.org

Departamento de Seguridad Nacional de los Estados Unidos: ready.gov

Oficina del Gobernador de Texas Greg Abbott: gov.texas.gov