

CONNECTIONS NEWSLETTER

YOUR TRUSTED ENERGY PARTNER

AUGUST 2018



ADAMS-COLUMBIA
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE



A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative



Summertime ENERGY SAVING TIPS

Use a ceiling fan to help circulate the air and cool down.

Clean or replace Air Conditioner filters.

On hot days run the dryer and dishwasher at night.

Keep the blinds and windows closed during the day and open at night.

Instead of using the oven, try using a microwave, toaster oven, or grill.

Set your thermostat temperature a little higher.

ADAMS-COLUMBIA ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

Your source for Co-op news and information.

BROADBAND EXPANSION GRANT

This year, the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin is offering a Broadband Expansion Grant. Adams-Columbia has joined with Marquette-Adams Telephone Cooperative and applied for this grant in hopes of bringing better communication options to our area.

This grant would mean additional security for the co-op's communications. We've taken many precautions over the years to keep your personal information as safe as possible and this grant is simply the next step we are taking to continue on that road.

The long-term goal with this grant is to provide broadband communications to each of our substations. This would mean better SCADA (Supervisory Control And Data Acquisition) communications, surveillance, and it would open the door for an AMI (Advanced Metering Infrastructure) system. And lastly, for Marquette-Adams to expand their internet offerings to more communities.

VISIT ACECWI.COM FOR
NEWS & INFORMATION

acecwi.com

SAVE THE DATE CO-OP MONTH EVENT

October is co-op month. Once again, we are offering our members a special perk. Save the date for Saturday, October 13th and join us at Flyte's Family Farms in Coloma. There will be a variety of family activities to enjoy. More details to follow in future publications.

STUFF THE BUS

Our Stuff the Bus campaign wraps up August 10th. Thank you to all members who donated to children in need. If you would still like to drop off a donation, the following items are needed:

DONATE BEFORE
AUGUST 10TH

- Markers
- Pencil pouches
- Colored pencils
- Watercolors
- Scissors
- Glue sticks
- Notebooks
- Folders
- Filler paper
- Backpacks
- Composition notebooks
- Ear buds and ear phones

- Monetary donations: Checks can be made out to Stuff the Bus and can be mailed to:
ACEC
Attn: Stuff the Bus
PO Box 70
Friendship, WI 53934



Donations can be dropped off at our Friendship office: 401 E Lake St

WE GIVE WHERE WE LIVE OPERATION ROUND-UP[®]

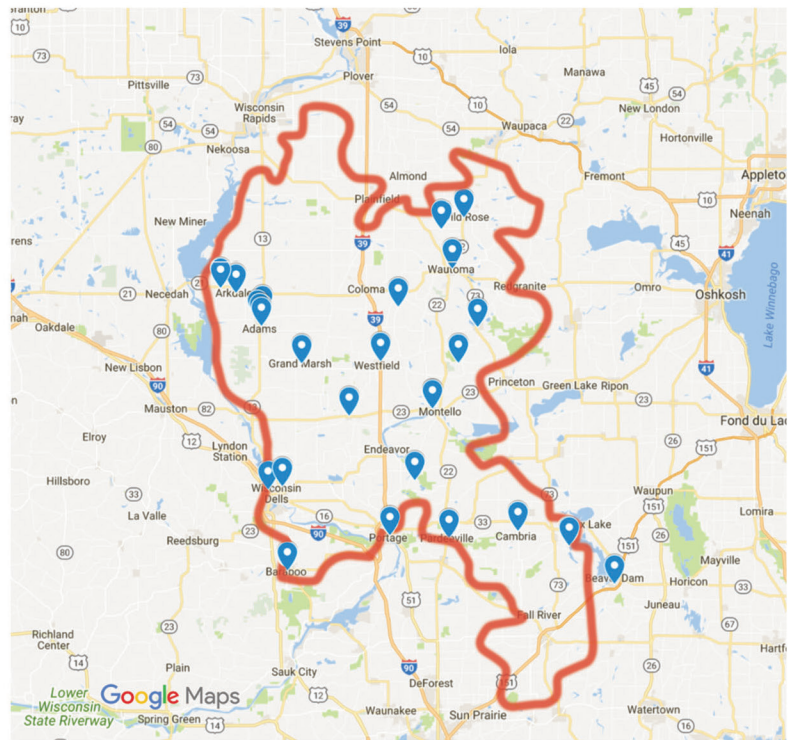
Adams-Columbia Electric Cooperative's voluntary Operation Round-Up[®] program is funded by cooperative members who agree to "round up" their electric bill to the next highest dollar amount. On average, participating members contribute about \$6 per year to the Operation Round-Up[®] fund.

As you can see from the map on the right, Operation Round-Up[®] has helped many people and organizations throughout our service territory. Money has been awarded for new LED lights on firetrucks, community Thanksgiving dinners, new tools for Habitat for Humanity, remodeling restrooms for a homeless shelter, and much, much more!

Individuals and community service organizations in ACEC's service territory are encouraged to apply for donations from our Operation Round-Up[®] program. Applications are available on our website or by calling our office.

If you would like to give to Operation Round-Up[®], you can join by checking the box on your electric bill, signing up on SmartHub, or by calling our office at (800) 831-8629.

ACEC'S SERVICE TERRITORY WITH DONATION LOCATIONS



SEP 3

Labor Day

Our office will be closed on Monday, September 3 in observance of Labor Day.

SEP 21

Jay's Discussion Days

Visit our CEO, Jay Porter, between 7:30am - 11:30am in Pardeeville - W6290 State Rd 33, and between 1:00pm - 4:00pm in Wautoma - N1519 State Rd 22

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

