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Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative

# Carbon Light Lines

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August 2022

## Meet Your New Directors!!



EVERETT SUMMERS  
District 2 Director

Board Actions  
MAY 2022

Approved the  
Department Production  
and Financial Reports.

Approved Work  
Order Inventory  
#557 for \$111,571.85.

Approved changes  
to the Stand by crew  
policy.



Debbie Reichert  
District 1 - 3 year term



Roger Cox  
District 1 - 1 year term



Shae Johnson  
District 2 - 3 year term



Everett Summers  
District 2 - 1 year term



Joe Devine  
District 3 - 3 year term



## Member-Owned Service - Proud



### RUSSELL WALDNER, GENERAL MANAGER



Carbon held its first monthly Board meeting since the election of three new Board members and the first order of business was electing officers and affiliate board representatives.

Your 2022 slate is as follows:

President Jim Rogers

Vice President Clay Thompson

Secretary Gary Jacobsen

Treasurer Debbie Reichert

Kenny Curry is our WREA (Wyoming Rural Electric Association) representative.

Shae Johnson is our WUE (Western United Electrical Supply Corporation) representative.

Joe Devine is our WUE alternate representative.

Clay Thompson is our Tri-State G&T representative.

As always, if you have questions or concerns please contact us.



| Member Statistics Report              | May 2021     | May 2022     |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Financial</b>                      |              |              |
| Total Utility Plant                   | \$49,816,430 | \$52,345,513 |
| Cost of Purchase Power                | \$594,109    | \$595,299    |
| Expenses Less Power Cost              | \$530,246    | \$511,548    |
| Tax & Interest Paid                   | \$62,095     | \$59,795     |
| Interest Received on Investments      | \$2,359      | \$5,651      |
| <b>Energized Line &amp; Consumers</b> |              |              |
| Miles of Energized Line               | 1,991        | 2,002        |
| Consumers Per Mile                    | 3.2          | 3.3          |
| <b>Meters</b>                         |              |              |
| Total Meters                          | 6,486        | 6,591        |
| Residential/Rural                     | 5,319        | 5,416        |
| Irrigation                            | 54           | 53           |
| Large Power/Commercial                | 1,063        | 1,072        |
| Other                                 | 50           | 50           |
| <b>kWh Usage</b>                      |              |              |
| Total kWh                             | 8,579,911    | 8,502,581    |
| Residential/Rural                     | 3,123,438    | 3,212,958    |
| Irrigation                            | 401,582      | 244,046      |
| Large Power/Commercial                | 4,857,666    | 4,845,533    |
| Other                                 | 197,225      | 200,044      |
| <b>Averages</b>                       |              |              |
| Avg. Residential kWh Used             | 587          | 593          |
| Avg. Residential/Rural Bill           | \$97         | \$98         |

Carbon welcomes any comments or questions members may have. If you have a question on any part of the cooperative business, please write or email the cooperative and we will see that your question is answered. Mail comments to Carbon Power & Light, Inc. P.O. Box 579, Saratoga, WY 82331, ATTN: Newsletter or email [info@carbonpower.com](mailto:info@carbonpower.com).

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**IF YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH YOUR POWER:** Please check your breakers. If you can determine that your neighbors are also without power, call Carbon day or night at 307.326.5206 or 800.359.0249.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

|                   |                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <u>DISTRICT 1</u> | <u>DISTRICT 2</u> | <u>DISTRICT 3</u> |
| Roger Cox         | Shae Johnson      | Joe Devine        |
| Gary Jacobsen     | Kenny Curry       | Clay Thompson     |
| Debbie Reichert   | Everett Summers   | Jim Rogers        |

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 For more information,  
 please call the billing dept.

REMEMBER you can also pay your bill at the following location:

ANB  
 3908 Grand Ave  
 Laramie, WY

## Energy Efficiency Tip of the Month

An easy way to save energy is to seal air leaks and holes where plumbing pipes run through walls in your home. You can also check wall-mounted cabinets for plumbing holes or air gaps in the back.

Fill any holes or gaps with spray foam. Wear protective gloves and use a damp rag for cleanup.

*Source: Dept. of Energy*



# *A New face at Carbon Power & Light, Inc.!*

## *Please welcome Journeyman Lineman Brady Borowski!!!*



Brady is originally from Spearfish SD. Brady enjoys hunting and outdoor activities. He is a graduate from the Powerline Construction and Maintenance Program at Mitchell Tech in Mitchell, SD. He and his wife Madison are moving to Laramie where he is stationed at the Laramie Outpost. Give Brady and Madison a Wyoming welcome!



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OCTOBER - APRIL  
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