



HI-LITES

President's Invite

This Cooperative belongs to you. Your perspective, your vote, your voice—they all matter here. That's why I'd like to personally invite you to the Annual Meeting of Tri-County Electric Cooperative on Saturday, July 12, 2025, at our Mount Vernon office.

This meeting is a celebration of what makes our Cooperative different—neighbors coming together to share a meal, connect with one another, and shape the future of the co-op we all rely on. We'll have great food, cold lemon shakeups, kids' activities, a live line safety demonstration, and prize drawings for those in attendance.

If you register before the meeting starts, you'll also receive a \$15 credit on your August electric bill—just our way of saying thank you for showing up and getting involved.

During the meeting, we'll share updates from the board and leadership team, and members will vote to elect three directors to new three-year terms. The official meeting notice was sent in the June 2025 Hi-Lites, as required by our bylaws.

We know your time is valuable, but your voice, your vote, and your presence help keep our Cooperative strong, transparent, and member-driven.

We'd be honored to have you join us on Saturday, July 12th.

Sam Phillips
Board President



Mt. Vernon Office
3906 Broadway
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864
Monday - Friday
7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Salem Office
1631 E Main St.
Salem, IL 62881
Tuesday - Thursday
7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Closed: 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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TCEC



2025

ANNUAL MEETING



REGISTER BY
10:00 A.M. AND
RECEIVE A \$15
BILL CREDIT!

SATURDAY, JULY 12TH

DOORS OPEN AT 8:30 A.M.

MEETING BEGINS AT 10:00 A.M.

Join us for the 87th Annual Meeting!

Annual Meetings are a key part of how Tri-County Electric Cooperative stays transparent, accountable, and connected with our members. As a member-owned cooperative, you're not just a member — you're a part-owner. This meeting gives you the chance to hear updates on the co-op's financial health, vote in director elections, learn about upcoming projects, and ask questions directly to leadership. It's also a time to gather as a community, celebrate progress, and enjoy a day of family-friendly fun, food, and fellowship. Your voice matters, and the Annual Meeting is your opportunity to be heard and stay informed.

Your
VOICE
MATTERS

DOORS OPEN AT 8:30 A.M.

DONUTS
& COFFEE



Start your morning with Krispy Kreme donuts and coffee served by local 4-H students! After you've enjoyed your treat, grab a seat near the main stage for an exciting Live Line Demonstration showcasing electrical safety in action!

9 AM

Live Line Demonstration

Get a front row seat to electrical safety in action!

10 AM

Business Meeting

Participate in the business of your cooperative and vote for your directors.

11 AM

After the Annual Meeting, we will have prize drawings, lemon shakeups, and lunch!

BRING THE KIDS!

Bringing your kids to the TCEC Annual Meeting is a great way to combine fun, learning, and community connection—all in one event. Children will love exploring the Robo Rams robotics display and even have the chance to win their own robotics kits, sparking interest in STEM through hands-on excitement. There will be fun face painting, games, giveaways and photo opportunities. Local law enforcement will offer free Child ID kits for peace of mind.

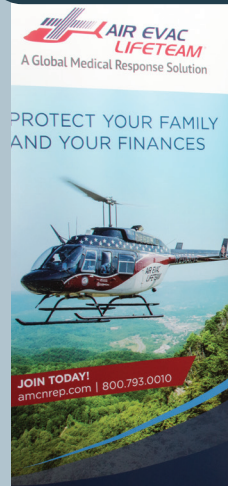
The experience is topped off with refreshments served by 4-H youth and a delicious catered meal by Big Boy BBQ, giving families a chance to relax and connect with neighbors. Whether it's the fun activities, the safety education, or the sense of community, there are plenty of reasons to make it a family outing your kids won't forget!



SPARK CURIOSITY!

Don't miss the Robo Rams Robotics Station at the Annual Meeting! Kids can check out exciting, hands-on robotics demos and learn how real robots work. Plus, they'll have a chance to win their very own robotics kit—a perfect way to inspire young minds to explore science and technology!

BE PREPARED: AIR EVAC ENROLLMENT ON-SITE



Air Evac will be at the Annual Meeting to help families get signed up for their membership program. It's a great opportunity to learn how Air Evac provides emergency air medical services and to ensure your family is prepared in case of a medical emergency. Stop by their booth to ask questions, get information, and take advantage of on-site enrollment.



2025

Tri-County Electric Cooperative Annual Meeting of Members

Saturday, July 12th, 2025

Tri-County Electric Cooperative
3906 Broadway St.
Mt. Vernon, IL

Agenda

- > 8:30 A.M. GATES OPEN
REGISTRATION
DONUTS & COFFEE
- > 9:00 A.M. LIVE LINE DEMO
CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES
- > 10:00 A.M. BUSINESS MEETING*

**Register before the 10:00 a.m. business meeting and enjoy a \$15 credit on your August 2025 bill!*

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2025 Official Registration - \$15 Value

Name: _____

Account #: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

