



April 2026

JOIN US FOR THE CWEC 88TH ANNUAL MEETING APRIL 9

Join Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative on Thursday, April 9, 2026, for our 88th Annual Meeting. The meeting will be held at Rosholt High School. Registration begins at 5:15 p.m.

Refreshments will be served until the start of the meeting at 6 p.m.



President & CEO Lila

Shower will keynote the meeting's business session, which begins at 6 p.m. During the business session, members will have the opportunity to hear how their co-op is faring financially, learn details about various services offered by their member-owned power supplier, and receive updates on state and federal regulatory issues of importance to electric co-ops. An election of three board positions will be held.

As a member-owner of an electric cooperative, you can voice your opinions at the annual meeting, observing the annual meeting rules. This is an advantage that cooperatives have over the investor-owned utilities, whose customers have no say in the management of the company and cannot vote for their board of directors.

Members who attend the in-person Annual Meeting will receive a \$20 bill credit. Members who bring the address slip from the front cover of the April 2026 issue of Wisconsin Energy Cooperative News will have the chance to win a \$50 energy credit. In addition to many door

prizes, one lucky member will be drawn as the winner of a grand prize consisting of a TV. For all of the drawings, winners need to be present.

2026 CWEC ANNUAL MEETING INFORMATION

MEET THE CWEC DIRECTOR CANDIDATES

The CWEC Annual Meeting is also a time to vote for new directors who will represent you and our community's interests in the co-op. As a member of CWEC, you have the power to help shape our community's energy future.

Electric co-ops are democratically controlled by the members we serve, which means you have a say in who governs our co-op. By voting in the annual director election, you can weigh in on the leaders who will make important decisions about the future of the cooperative and our local energy needs.



CWEC's board of directors are community-minded individuals with different skill sets. We rely on them to help us make more informed decisions on long-term priorities and investments. CWEC has seven directors who live in the co-op's service area. We consider them the eyes and ears of the community because they provide their unique perspective on various local issues.

2026 CWEC DIRECTOR ELECTIONS INFORMATION

LINEWORKERS ARE READY WHEN IT MATTERS MOST

In April, we take time to pause and recognize the brave men and women who help keep electricity flowing every single day—our lineworkers.

When storms impact our communities and outages occur, many people

experience the inconvenience, but our lineworkers see a call to action. Our crews are always ready when it matters most—leaving family dinners, working through the night and heading into challenging conditions to restore power as safely and quickly as possible. That readiness is not accidental. It comes from rigorous training, deep experience, and a shared commitment to serving others.



What makes lineworkers especially remarkable is that they aren't just restoring power to a system—they're restoring power to their own communities. They live here. They raise their families here. They understand that electricity is more than a convenience; it's essential to daily life, to local businesses, to schools, farms and emergency services. Powering the places we call home is personal to lineworkers.

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NEED HELP PAYING YOUR ENERGY BILLS?

As spring approaches, the date in which utility companies can start disconnecting customers and members for non-payment of their monthly bill, is also approaching. The end of the winter disconnection rules is April 15.

If any Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative (CWECC) members are having difficulty paying their monthly electricity bill, please contact our office at 715-677-2211 to setup payment arrangements.



There may also be financial assistance available to some members to help them pay their utility bills.

CWECC's Commitment to Community Program is designed to help households with their energy costs, including electric bills. For many Wisconsin households, energy costs place a severe and continuing stress on the family budget. To better serve our members, CWECC is part of the Wisconsin Home Energy Plus (HE+) program.

This program is funded through public benefits and federal dollars to help eligible low-income households pay for home energy assistance and weatherization. Members may be eligible if they meet the HE+ program guidelines. Members should contact their local agency to determine eligibility.

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CALLING ALL THIRD-GRADERS:

You're invited to participate in the
Wisconsin Electric Cooperative Association's

ELECTRICAL SAFETY POSTER CONTEST

Submit an original poster supporting electrical safety to your local electric cooperative by **April 30, 2026**, for a chance to win a **\$25 gift card**! The top three posters will be entered into the statewide poster contest for a chance to win one of three great prizes:



1st place – Chromebook
2nd place – \$100 Gift Card
3rd place – \$75 Gift Card

Posters should be at least 8.5x11 inches, but no larger than 11x14 inches.

Entries must include completed entry form and student's name on the back of the poster.

Central Wisconsin Electric Cooperative (CWECC) will also offer a \$25 check to one local winner, a \$15 check to a local second place poster, and a \$10 check to a local third place poster. Registration forms and eligibility details can also be found on the CWECC website at www.cwecoop.com under the "News" tab.

If you see roadside crews,
please slow down and move
over when possible.



**Work Zone
Awareness
Week:
April 20-24**



Bill Payment
Options

Energy
Conservation
Rewards

Small Business
Loans

Operation Round
Up Information

Thinking about
adding solar
energy?

Community
Events Calendar

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