

# Sun River Electric Cooperative



**Office Hours:** 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri.  
**Phone Numbers:** 406-467-2526 or 1-800-452-7516

**Website:** [www.sunriverelectric.coop](http://www.sunriverelectric.coop)

**After Hours & Weekend Dispatch:**  
**406-467-2526 or 1-800-452-7516**

If calling from a local number or cell phone –  
please use: 406-467-2526 or 406-467-2527

**Be sure to check your breakers before reporting outages.**

# Ripples

**JULY 2023**

## SREC directors receive CCD, Gold certification



Chris Music



Bryce Johns



Russ Bloom

Sun River Electric Cooperative (SREC) Directors Chris Music and Bryce Johns each recently received the Credentialed Cooperative Director Certification from the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA). Director Russ Bloom received the Director Gold Credential Certificate.

An ever-changing business environment has imposed new demands on electric cooperative directors, requiring increased knowledge of changes in the electric utility business, new governance skills and a solid knowledge of the cooperative principles and business model. Sun River Electric has made a commitment to work through NRECA to sharpen this body of knowledge for the benefit of their electric cooperative members.

The NRECA Credentialed Cooperative Director (CCD) program requires attendance and demonstrated understanding of the basic competencies contained in five core courses: Director Duties and Liabilities, Understanding the Electric Business, Board Operations and Process, Strategic Planning and Financial Decision Making.

The Director Gold Credential recognizes directors who have already earned their CCD and the Board Leadership Certificate (BLC), who wish to continue to learn throughout their service on the board. RM



### SIGN UP FOR FREE KIDS BOOKS

Preschool children, ages birth to 5, who live within the Sun River Electric Cooperative service territory, are eligible.

You can register online at <https://imaginationlibrary.com> or scan the QR code below.



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If you find your account number hidden in this issue, it is worth a \$50 credit on your next statement. There is one number hidden in every issue.

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### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

#### OFFICERS

Robert Pasha, President ..... 406-799-2292  
Mitch Johnson, V.P. .... 406-467-2109  
Chris Music, S/T ..... 406-600-8375

#### TRUSTEES

Russ Bloom ..... 406-431-0168  
John Burgmaier ..... 406-463-2522  
Bryce Johns ..... 406-289-0730  
Leonard Sivumaki ..... 406-264-5482

#### MANAGER

Brad Bauman ..... 406-467-2526

# 2023 RETURNED CAPITAL CREDIT CHECKS

In March, Sun River Electric Cooperative sent out capital credit refund checks for the years 2002 and 2003. Some of our members have moved off the system, so we received the following checks back. If you know anyone on this list, please contact them and ask them to notify our office with their new address. Call 406-467-2526 or 1-800-452-7516.

Anderson, Byron	Realty - Attn: Jodi Erickson, Joseph E. Ewing, Tim T.	Hughes, Robert & Angela Jensen, Jim & Senya Johnson, Lloyd & Jeannie Johnson, Rebecca J. Jones, William R. & Anita Kalista, Gordon Kalista, Lucy King, Gayle Kloss, Alice Krick, Jim Lacunza, Cadet Lee, James H. Lee, Rhonda Lewis, Jerry & Dan Lincoln, Anita R. Lindermann, Bill Luraas, Diane Manzanares, Frederick & Suzette Manzanares, Suzette Mateka, Terry & Cynthia Mcmillan, Gordon & Sharlene Mcmurry, George & Nelson, Majorie Metropolitan Mortgage- Attn: Peggy Miller Metz, Martin Mishler, Doc	Mitchell, Brenda & Phelps, Marlene Moore, Mayra Moorehead, Ray & Paula J. Mora, Dean Murphy, Michael Nicholls, Mary E. Nist, Leo & Kathie Padayao, Chris & Tracy Patrin, Ronald R. Pearson, Wesley & Angela Pierce, Joan (Chosen Reality Groups) Pittman, Richard & Sarah Phillips, Dave Phillips, Pamela H. & Williams Powell, David Probst, Dennis & Michele Quicksilver Resources Inc. - Attn: Acct Payable Rafferty, Terry & Marlene Rasmussen, Flint Reifer, Rickey Reilly, Brett & Tracy Richards, Thelma Richey, Daniel & Elana Rigsby, Tom Sazenski, Jim	Schram, Charlene Schulke, Daniel & Sherry Schultz, Richard R. Seward, Wes Shaver, Doris Shepherd, Cecilia Skinner, Dr. Robert Smith, Francis B. & Fagenstrom, Shelly Smith, Shawn Speckman, Kim W. & Chapman, Oliver J. Stone, Timothy D. Story, Dolan H. Sr Sun River Ranch Tramelli, Lisa Vanden Bos, Belinda Vernon, Steve Wade, Matthew Ward, John W. Washington Mutual- Accts Payable Watson, Joan J. William/Mary Greve Foundation Inc. Wiseman, Terry L. & Eustance, Eileen L. Young, Gladys Zobel, David H.
Armstrong, Walter				
Ash, John				
Ball, Eugene & Jacqueline	Fasbender, Hazel M.			
Barksdale, Carol	Feeler, James R. Jr. & Peggy			
Bell, James P. & Candy	Fleet Mortgage - Attn: Ap Foltyniewicz, Rich Fookes, Patricia Foss, Bruce Frey, Dennis Frohberg, Gina Gianarelli, Todd & Shari Goodman, Gibson G. & Lynne			
Benoit, Gary	Griffiths, Mark W. & Gay Gunter, Jon P. & Kimberly Halcro, Dixie Hall, Rob A. Hatch, Dean Heilman, Joseph Helfrich, Jim & Rebecca Henneford, Kurt Hoiland, Patricia R. Holland, Ginger Holland-Yohe, Ginder & Yohe, Vince Holland, Mary E. House, Michael G. Hoy, Mike & Judy			
Berrinjur, Rich				
Bickle, Larry				
Bittle, John & Doreen				
Branch, Thomas & Paula				
Butler, Charles & Laura				
C Bar F Angus Ranch				
Campbell, Wayvan				
Carroll, Lewis & Roselynn				
Chaffin, Richard & Linda				
Christiaens, Joel & Mary				
Conover, Patricia A.				
Cook, A.J. & Crystal				
Cornwell, Richard & Cheryl				
Darby, Bill				
Darby, Daniel				
Debolt, Tom				
Drishinski, James C.				
Durnell, Richard M.				
Dutchak, Michael J.				
Dwyer, Lynne B. & Denzer, Lyman				
Eastwood, Medwin				
Era American Horizon				

## WE OFFER ENERGY-EFFICIENT APPLIANCE REBATES

**H**AVE you recently purchased new appliances?

Sun River Electric Cooperative offers rebates for household appliances to our members. If you purchase an Energy-Star-compliant clothes washer and dryer, dishwasher, refrigerator or freezer, you are eligible to receive a \$25 rebate. Just download the rebate form from the website: [www.sunriverelectric.coop](http://www.sunriverelectric.coop).

*coop*, fill it out, attach a copy of the receipt and send it to SREC. The application will be reviewed, and the \$25 credit will be applied to your billing account. For a listing of Energy-Star-rated appliances, check out its website: [www.energystar.gov](http://www.energystar.gov). 293985

If you purchase an electric water heater, you may qualify for a \$100 rebate. The water heater must be at

least 90-percent efficient and at least 40-gallon capacity. The rebate form is also on the SREC website, simply download it, fill it out and attach a copy of the receipt.

Rebate forms must be submitted within 90 days of purchase. If you have any questions, call Christy at Sun River Electric, 467-2526 or 1-800-452-7516.

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### REMINDER:

Bills not paid by the 10th of the month will be charged a \$10 late fee.

Pay as you go with  
**prePAY**  
electricity from SREC. It is easy!  
Call SREC to get started.

