

The Outlet

SEPTEMBER 2024

September is National Preparedness Month

Be prepared for storms and power outages

Riverland Energy works year round to strengthen the electric grid and prevent power outages, but Mother Nature is a tough opponent and it's important to plan ahead for storms and power outages.

If your electricity goes out this fall:

1. Check circuit breakers, fuses and the neighbors.
2. Report outages on SmartHub or call 800-927-6206.
3. Keep away from fallen power lines, and trees and branches near lines. Report these hazards.

Crews respond to hazards and emergencies first, then substations and major distribution lines, followed by smaller tap lines and individual service lines.

Visit riverlandenergy.com for a live outage map, and follow our Facebook page for outage updates.

Energy Assistance

If you need financial assistance, we suggest you contact one of the following agencies:

Buffalo County:
Buffalo County Human Services
(608) 685-4412

La Crosse County:
La Crosse County Human Services
(608) 785-5582

Trempealeau County:
Social Services: (715) 538-2311
Western Dairyland E.O.C.:
(715) 985-2391

Energy Services : (800) 506-5596



MEMBER APPRECIATION DAY

OCTOBER 1, 2024 4PM-7PM
ONALASKA OMNI CENTER

Entertainment:

- Balloons by Kevin
- Face Painting
- MadLee Band

Free meal to include hotdogs or brats and a Free Registration Gift

- Chance to Win Electric Bill Credits
- Kids Activities and Prizes
- Bucket Trucks and other Equipment
- Co-op Information

GAMES

FREE FOOD

PRIZES

OPERATING STATISTICS

	July			
	Monthly		Year-to-date	
	2023	2024	2023	2024
KWHS PURCHASED	28,691,416	28,973,735	177,169,101	168,696,029
KWHS SOLD	27,716,961	28,346,405	170,683,622	163,700,764
REVENUE	\$4,267,463	\$4,424,706	\$24,972,297	\$25,551,542
COST OF PURCHASED POWER	\$2,534,115	\$2,604,684	\$14,265,658	\$14,209,222
OTHER EXPENSES	\$1,445,312	\$1,762,008	\$10,124,076	\$10,685,511
OPERATING MARGINS	\$288,036	\$58,014	\$582,563	\$656,809
NON-OPERATING MARGINS	\$8,623	\$4,676	\$67,008	\$71,605
CAPITAL CREDITS-ASSOC. ORGANIZATIONS	\$82,334	\$267,382	\$465,097	\$736,274
TOTAL MARGINS	\$378,993	\$330,072	\$1,114,668	\$1,464,688

ENERGY EFFICIENCY TIP OF THE MONTH

Now is the time to schedule annual maintenance for your home's heating system. During fall months, HVAC technicians are typically less busy, making this an excellent time for maintenance and any necessary repairs before the winter months.

A qualified technician can clean filters, check for leaks and ensure all system components are working efficiently to keep your home cozy and warm when the temperatures begin to drop.



High School Juniors



Co-op Youth Ambassador Leadership Program

Riverland Energy Cooperative encourages high school juniors interested in learning about cooperatives, enhancing leadership skills, gaining personal growth, and working with others to apply to become a Cooperative Youth Ambassador!

This program focuses on the Cooperative business model, electrical safety, career options, renewable and sustainable energy, teamwork and leadership!



- Perks of this program:**
- Attend leadership conference
 - Meet new people
 - Teamwork with other students
 - Earn a trip to Washington D.C.
 - Lunch provided at all meetings
 - Get paid per diem and mileage for attending

To Apply: Must be a Junior in High School the 2024-2025 school year.
Apply online at: www.riverlandenergy.com or ask your guidance counselor.
Questions: Email jljen@riverlandenergy.com

Deadline to apply: October 1, 2024

Update Your Contact Information:

Have you moved, got a new phone number, or changed your email address? For us to deliver important information regarding your electric service, we need to have accurate contact information on file. This includes your name, phone number, and email address. If you have not done so recently, please take a few minutes to verify the telephone number(s) and email address(es) we have on file for you. This allows us to utilize multiple methods of communication to ensure you stay informed.

- Update your contact information by:
- Visiting SmartHub, our account management tool.
 - Calling us at (800) 411-9115.
 - Sending an email to info@riverlandenergy.com.
 - Filling out the form on our website under Your Account/Update Contact Information.

Help us help you by taking the time to ensure we have your contact information up to date!