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# EnLIGHTening NEWS



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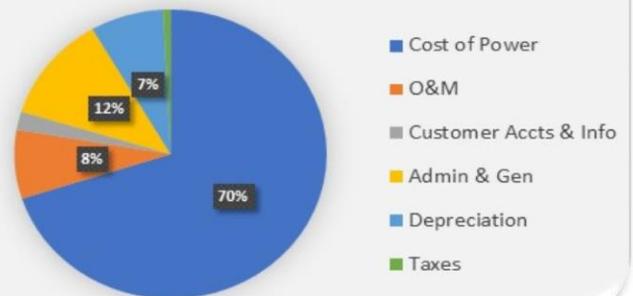


## 2020 Financial Annual Report Working through a pandemic

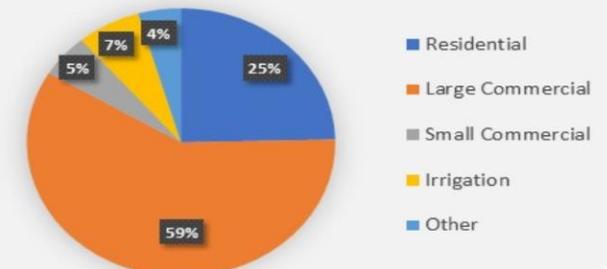
The pandemic affected several businesses, farms and households and it was no different here at the Stanton County Public Power District. We worked through the pandemic without significant impacts to our financial strength. We continue to monitor expenses, customer accounts and investments including utility plant to ensure we are in strong financial position to continue serving the customer long into the future. Our focus will always focus be on delivering safe, reliable electric service to customers as safely as possible.

There were no electric rate increases in 2020 for the sixth year in a row and we have actually lowered a few rates over that period of time. We continue to pass through a Power Cost Adjustment (PCA) credit from our wholesale power supply back to the end use customer.

### 2020 Statement Of Expenses



### 2020 Sources of Revenue



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# Welcome to the Team!

Stanton County Public Power District crews welcomes three interns for the summer; Thad Hazen of Creighton, Korbin Voecks of Stanton, and Makenna Waldow of Norfolk.

Thad and Korbin have just finished their first year in the Northeast Community College Utility Line program. They will spend the summer assisting the line crews and continuing their education. Makenna just finished her first year of college, majoring in accounting. She will be assisting the office staff with a data conversion project and helping with daily tasks. We are excited to help them all further their education and gain some work experience.



Thad Hazen



Korbin Voecks



Makenna Waldow

## Energy Efficiency: Smart Thermostats

**If you have a home Wi-Fi connection and a central air-conditioning or heat pump system, you may qualify for an EnergyWise<sup>SM</sup> incentive of up to \$100 for installing a qualifying smart thermostat.**

**Smart thermostat technology is most beneficial for households that have extended periods during the day when no one is home, those that turn their thermostat down during bedtime hours or those that have irregular occupancy.**

**Contact the SCPPD office for an application today!**



## EnergyWise Incentives >>>



# 2021 Incentive Rebate Programs

Energy Efficiency is important to all! If you are looking for ways to save energy and money, check our list of rebate programs. There are several options for customers to take advantage of in the 2021 year. For more information, check the website at [www.scppd.com](http://www.scppd.com) or call the office at 402-439-2228.

### Residential Heat Pump Water Heater:

- \$400 for air source with an EF > 1.9
- \$650 for ground source with an EF > 2.8

### High Efficiency Heat Pump:

- \$400 - \$3,300 Incentive
- Minimum SEER 15, EER 12.5 & HSPF 8.5
- Includes Air-to-Air, and Water/Ground source

### SMART thermostat:

- \$25-\$100 Incentive options

Cooling System Tune-up: \$30

Attic Insulation: \$0.15 per square foot - \$300



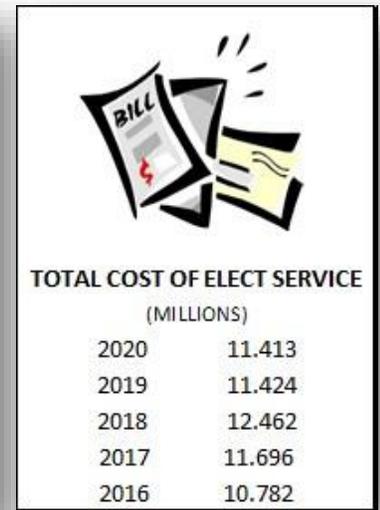
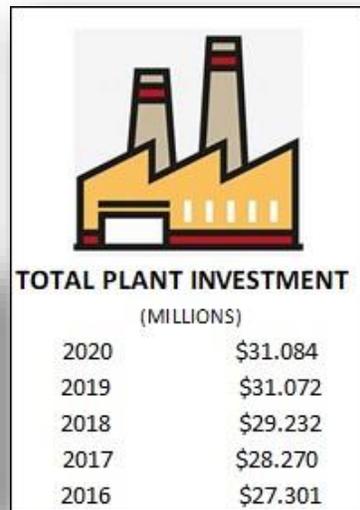
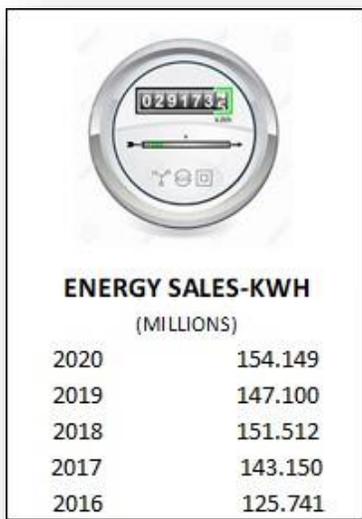
# 2020 Financials:

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You can find your PCA credit listed as a line item on your electric bill. This PCA credit will continue through 2021. We understand the role of Public Power and just how important low cost, reliable electric service is to the area we serve. We will continue to strategically position the District financially to adapt to the changes coming in this industry.



Chad Waldow; General Manager CEO



## LED Benefits>>>

Traditional incandescent bulbs produce light by heating a wire filament to a temperature that results in a generation of light. Incandescent bulbs were popular because they were inexpensive and available in a wide range of colors. However, much of their energy went into heat production and very little toward emitting light.

Incandescent light bulbs also have a very short lifespan, lasting only about one year on average. Although they are no longer available in U.S. stores, the energy costs associated with the once-popular bulb, along with its stunted lifespan, far outweigh the initial savings at the cash register. Since incandescent bulbs produce a lot of heat, they may cause burn injuries and pose a fire risk.

Nowadays, the three most popular light bulbs are the light-emitting diode (LED), the halogen incandescent and the compact fluorescent light (CFL). LED light bulbs work when an electrical current passes through a microchip, which illuminates the tiny light sources we call LED's, and the result is visible light. LED light bulbs produce light up to 90% more efficiently than traditional incandescent light bulbs. They also include features that keep the bulb cooler to the touch, which avoids potential injuries and fire risks.

### MAKE THE SWITCH

SAVE MONEY and REDUCE ENERGY USE by replacing outdated lightbulbs with newer, more efficient LED lights.



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# Holiday Closing

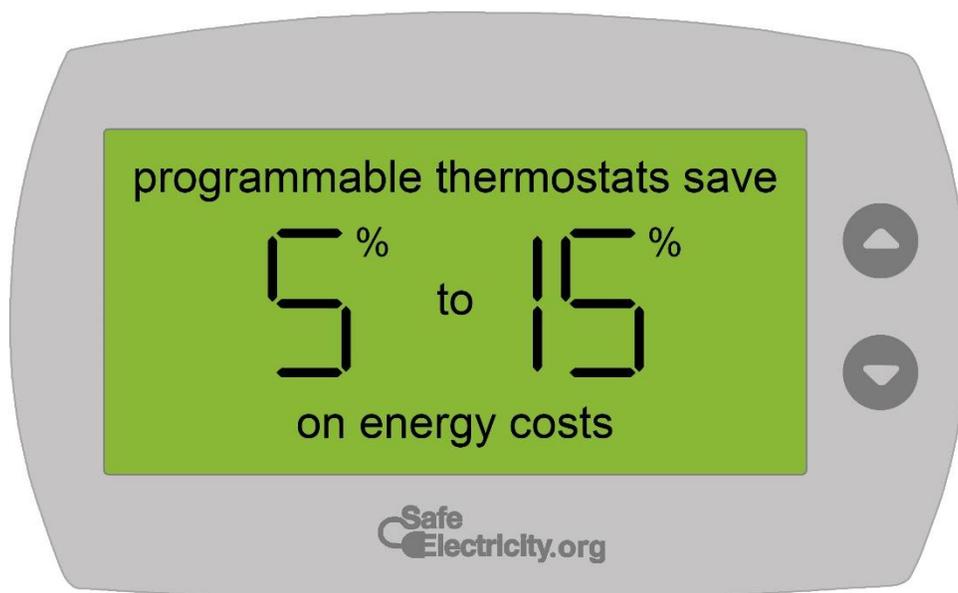
The Stanton County Public Power District office will be closed Monday July 5, 2021 in observance of the Independence Day holiday. We wish you all a safe and happy Fourth of July!



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