



FEBRUARY 2022



## GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

### See You at the Annual Meeting

Wyrulec Company exists to provide reliable, affordable, and responsible energy to our members (that's you!). We also strive to provide quality service to our members now and in the future. This is where you can help with our mission.

As a member of the community, you have a perspective that is valuable--and we invite you to share it with the co-op. At the annual meeting, co-op leaders will discuss priorities and challenges, and discuss the financial health and priorities for the coming years.



Board President Kenda Knudsen addresses the membership

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**May through September**  
Office hrs: 6:30–5:00, Mon.-Fri.

**October through April**  
Office hrs: 7:30–4:00, Mon.-Fri.

#### Board of Directors

Kenda Knudsen  
*President*

Julie Kilty  
*Vice President*

Mark Knaub  
*Treasurer*

Dewey Hageman  
*Secretary*

Ben Scott  
*Assistant Secretary*

**General Manager**  
Ryan Schilreff

**Senior Staff**  
Miles Duffy  
*Operations Manager*

Tiphonie Fuss  
*Office Manager*

Your cooperative is a proud member of these fine organizations



Please Join Us!

86TH ANNUAL MEETING & DINNER

THURSDAY, MARCH 31ST, 2022  
5:00 PM - DOORS OPEN  
6:00 PM - DINNER

GOSHEN COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS  
RENDEZVOUS CENTER  
4740 US HWY 26/85  
TORRINGTON, WY

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Annual meeting is also the time to vote for new board members who will represent you--the members of the co-op. Board members are local consumers, just like you.

Wyrulec Company is one of the few local organizations that is uniquely positioned to bring together all members of the community. It is worth noting that the health of the co-op and the well-being of the community are closely intertwined.

Perhaps you may feel that you have nothing to add to the discussion, so there is no need to attend the annual meeting. However, every energy bill you pay to the co-op helps ensure better service and reliability for the whole community. Your dollars are reinvested locally into improvements that impact the reliability and affordability of your energy, and Wyrulec Company wants to hear from you to better inform our decisions as we plan for the future.



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Guest Speaker Duane Highley, CEO of Tri-State



Wyrulec employees share information about the Round-Up program

**The following names have been drawn for a \$25 bill credit. Contact Wyrulec Company at 877-WYRULEC to claim your credit!**

- Ann Marie Wilson
- Albert Giguere
- Jack Davidson
- Nathaniel McGowan
- John Goodpaster





Crew members Sawyer Rutt, Travis Gaukel, and Hayden Fleming



Member Kim DesEnfants and granddaughter Sophi

# Plant Trees Safely

Before you dig, call 811 to locate buried utility lines.

## LOW TREE ZONE

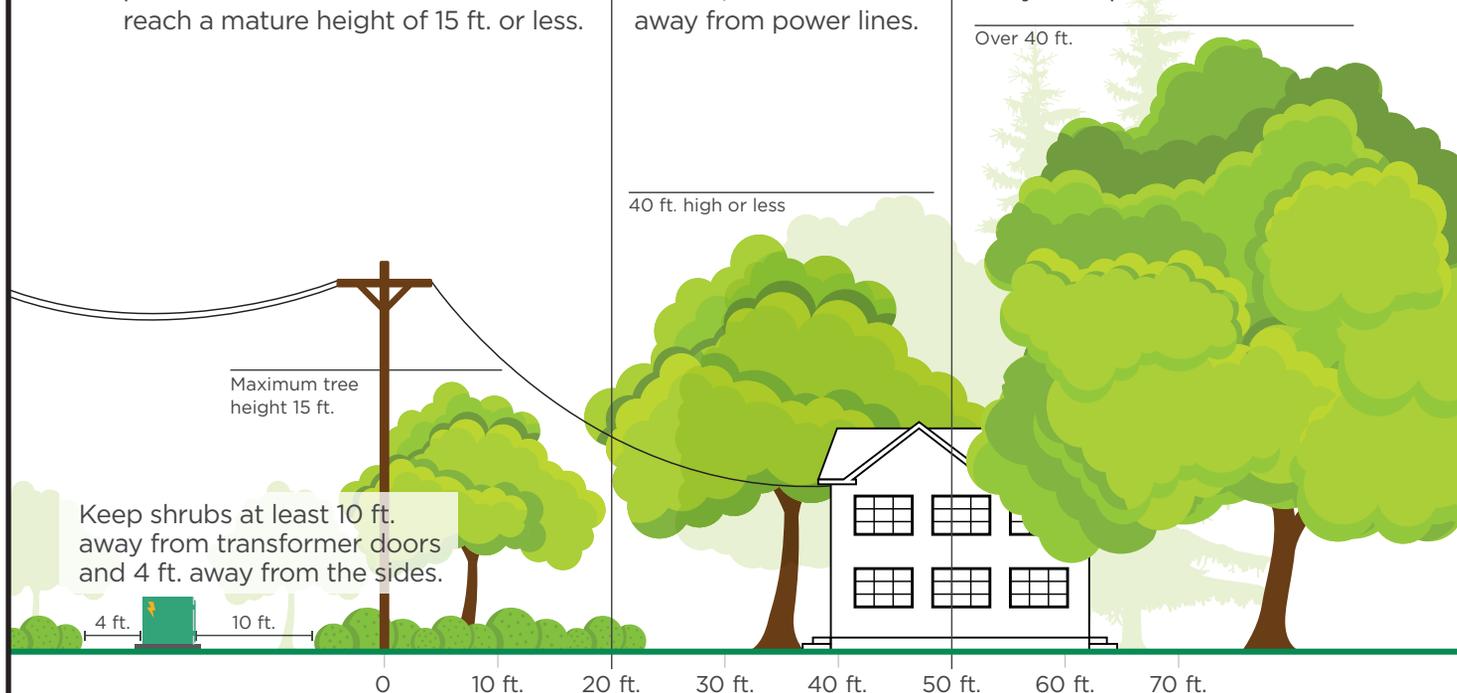
Avoid planting within 20 ft. of power lines. If planting is unavoidable, only plant shrubs and small trees that reach a mature height of 15 ft. or less.

## MEDIUM TREE ZONE

Plant medium trees (under 40 ft. when mature) at least 25 ft. away from power lines.

## LARGE TREE ZONE

Plant large trees (over 40 ft. when mature) at least 50 ft. away from power lines.



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*Wyrulec Members enjoying dinner*

Although Wyrulec provides convenient electronic options for bill-paying and communication, there are times when there is no substitute for in-person engagement. When members of our community come together for a common purpose, we improve the quality of life for all in our corner of the world.

If you've never attended our annual meeting, or if it's been awhile, please stop by. We'll have food, fun and door prizes, so mark your calendar for the annual meeting on March 31st. We'll open the doors at 5p.m., have dinner at 6 p.m. followed by our guest speaker, meteorologist Don Day of the Dayweather radio network. Then we'll start the business meeting around 7 p.m. Our co-op family looks forward to visiting with you!



*Maxine Mitchell casting her vote at the ballot box*



*General Manager Ryan Schilreff visiting with Governor Gordon*

### Energy Efficiency Tip of the Month

When was your cooling system last serviced? Most manufacturers recommend an annual tune up for your home's cooling system. March is a great time to schedule this service so you can beat the summer rush when the pros are busiest.

A qualified professional can check the amount of refrigerant, accuracy of the thermostat, condition of belts and motors and other factors that can impact the efficiency of your system.

*Source: Dept. of Energy*

