



Community Electric Cooperative News

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Energy Efficiency Tip of the Month



Avoid setting your thermostat at a colder setting than normal when you turn on your air conditioner. It will not cool your home any faster and could result in excessive cooling and unnecessary expense.

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Community Electric Cooperative is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

Notice to the Membership

In accordance with Article IV, Section 4, of the Bylaws of Community Electric Cooperative, a Nominating Committee appointed by the Board of Directors met June 8, 2018, at the Cooperative's office, Windsor, Virginia. The meeting was called to order by the duly elected Chairman, J. Derwood Bunch, who kept the minutes thereof. The Chairman then announced that the following were present:

Ashby B. Brown

Gayle B. Brown

J. Derwood Bunch

Peter F. Crocker

Donald C. Cross

D. Wayne Ellis

Jane T. Joyner

William W. Day

William F. Seiling

being all members of the Nominating Committee.

In accordance with the Bylaws, the Nominating Committee nominated the following candidates for directors for a three (3) year term to be voted upon by the membership of the Cooperative at the Annual Meeting to be held Tuesday, Aug. 21, 2018, at Georgie D. Tyler Middle School, North Court Street, Windsor, Virginia.

CITY OF SUFFOLK

Michael A. Faulk

ISLE OF WIGHT CO.

Philip F. Edwards III

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY

Douglas A. Chesson

Date: June 8, 2018

J. Derwood Bunch, Chairman

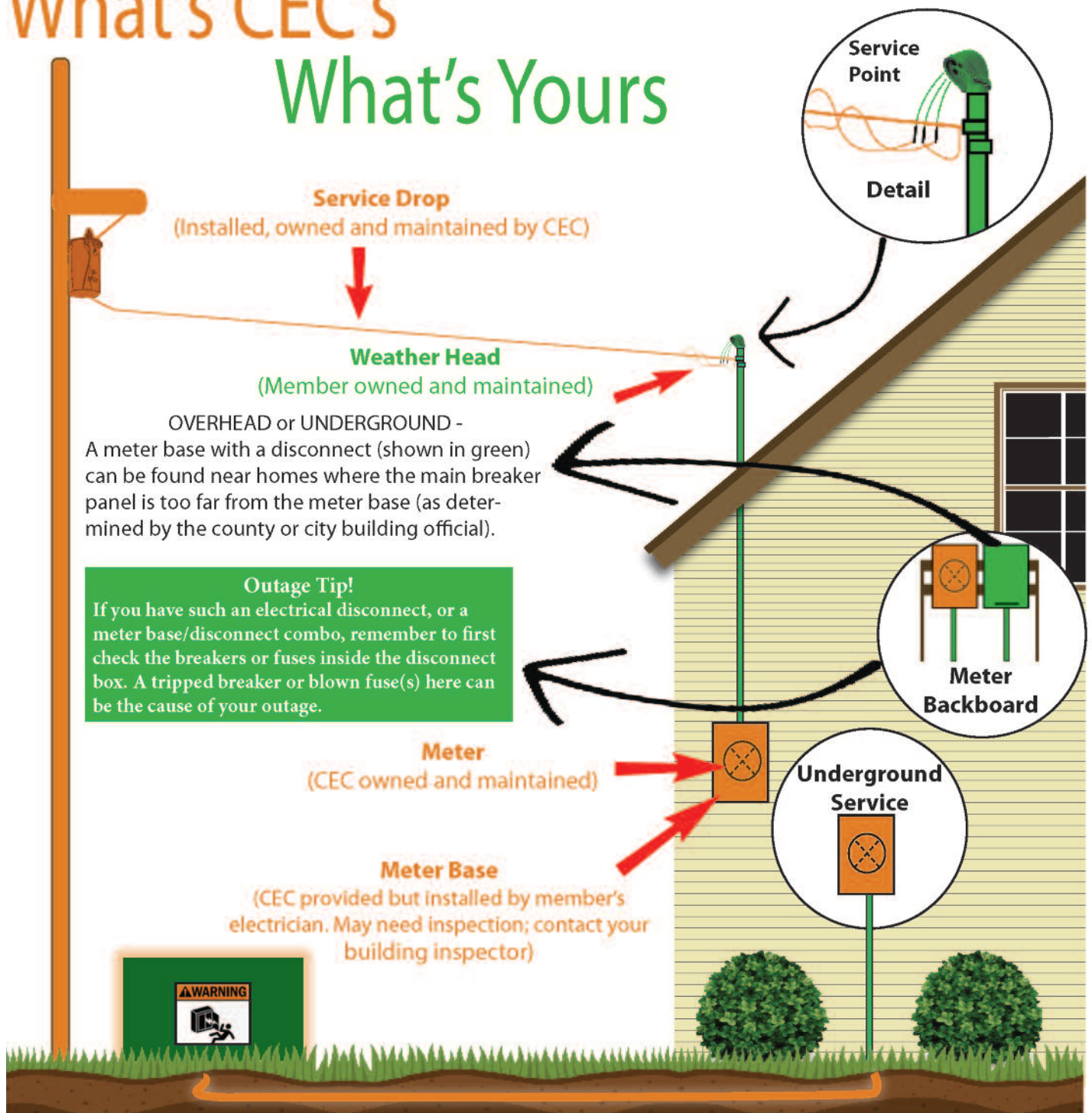
2018 Sales Tax Holiday Aug. 3-5

The General Assembly combined Virginia's three sales tax holidays into this one three-day holiday from Friday, Aug. 3, through Sunday, Aug. 5. During this period, purchases of certain Energy Star- and WaterSense-qualified products purchased for non-commercial use and costing \$2,500 or less will be exempt from sales tax. The exempt Energy Star items include dishwashers, clothes washers, refrigerators, air conditioners, ceiling fans, compact fluorescent light bulbs and dehumidifiers that carry the Energy Star designation. The exempt WaterSense items include bathroom sink faucets, faucet accessories, showerheads, landscape irrigation controllers and toilets. School supplies, clothing and footwear, as well as hurricane- and emergency-preparedness items are also included in this tax-exempt holiday. Learn more at www.tax.virginia.gov/virginia-sales-tax-holiday.



What's CEC's

What's Yours



OVERHEAD or UNDERGROUND -
A meter base with a disconnect (shown in green) can be found near homes where the main breaker panel is too far from the meter base (as determined by the county or city building official).

Community Electric Cooperative (CEC) owns and maintains a portion of the electric facilities connecting your home to our distribution system, while the remainder is owned and maintained by you. Should a tree fall and pull the electric service from your home, CEC will re-attach the service drop...but only after your electrician has made needed repairs to the weather head, the service entrance cable, and has secured the meter base to your home or meter backboard. The National Electrical Code further requires certain services to have a "disconnect" in addition to the meter base. Should you experience damage to your "Electrical Service Entrance," contacting a licensed electrician can go a long way in expediting the restoration of your power.

This sketch gives you a simple description of how your service is connected. If you have specific or detailed questions, please call your local CEC office before beginning any work.