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Board of Directors Election Results

Jackson Purchase Energy held the company's Annual Meeting of the Membership Tuesday, June 24, 2008, at the Luther F. Carson Four Rivers Center. During the meeting, the results of the Board of Directors election were announced. The election was conducted by mailed ballot before the meeting.

Three incumbent board members were re-elected and one new board member was elected. Board seats in Districts Three, Six, Seven and Eight were up for election this year.

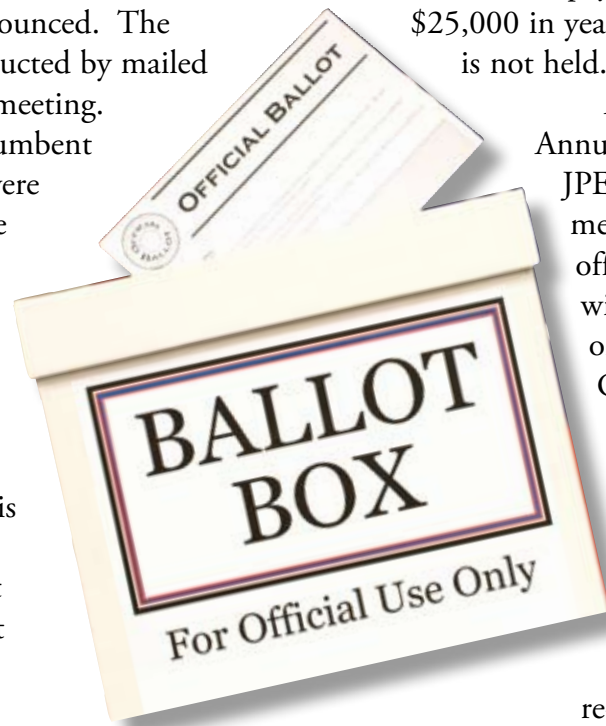
In District Three, incumbent Lee Bearden ran unopposed. In District Seven, incumbent Wayne Elliott also ran unopposed. Erick Harris was elected as a new board member for District Six. Harris ran unopposed in the district. In District Eight, incumbent Jack S. Marshall was re-elected. Marshall

defeated Kenneth Barlow.

JPEC's board is made up of eight members who are elected by JPEC customers. Elections are held in even-numbered years, which saves JPEC ratepayers around \$25,000 in years an election is not held.

After the Annual Meeting, JPEC's board met to elect officers who will serve for one year. Gary Joiner was elected to continue as Board Chairman. Marshall and Elliott were re-elected to serve as Vice-Chairman and Secretary/Treasurer, respectively. John Walker was elected to

serve as the company's representative on the board of the Kentucky Association of Electric Cooperatives.



Where Do I Dispose of Compact Florescent Light Bulbs?

At Jackson Purchase Energy's Annual Meeting, the company distributed more than 500 compact florescent light bulbs to attendees. And, in October of last year, during JPEC's member appreciation month, your cooperative gave away another 10,000 bulbs.

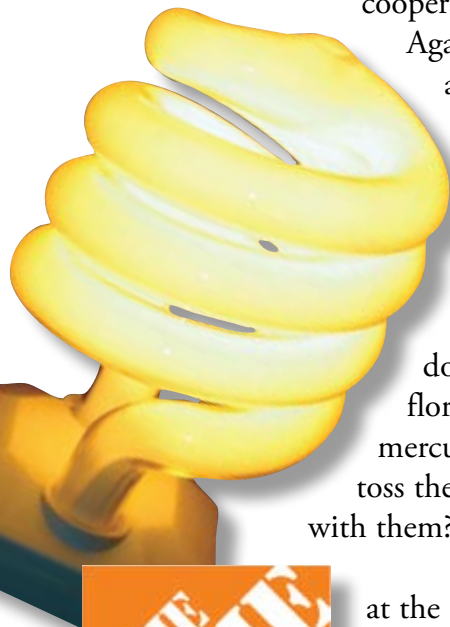
Again this year, in October, JPEC will give away energy-efficient bulbs to our members as part of the company's Caramel Apple Friday event.

All told, by the end of 2008, JPEC will have given away more than 20,000 light bulbs. That's a lot of bulbs!

While they last a long time, they do eventually burn out. Because compact florescent bulbs contain a small amount of mercury, it is recommended that you don't just toss them in the garbage. So, what should you do with them?

Last year, JPEC began taking bulbs back at the corporate office. The company has an agreement with a recycling center to dispose of the used bulbs properly. Now, however, you have another option. In mid-July, The Home Depot announced they too will collect compact florescent bulbs for recycling.

The Home Depot will be rolling out this program over the next few months at all their stores across the country. Check with your local store for details on when the program will be available.



Home Energy Expo Coming to JPEC

Energy efficiency is important to Jackson Purchase Energy members and the company has long been a proponent of energy efficiency.

Energy saving tips are often featured in *Plugged In*, and have a permanent location at JPEnergy.com.

Now the company is taking the commitment to energy efficiency a step further.

On Saturday, Oct. 18, JPEC will hold the first-ever Home Energy Expo at the SportsPlex, off U.S. Highway 60, just west of Kentucky Oaks Mall.

The Expo will feature exhibitors from across the region that specialize in energy efficiency changes you can make to your home. From new windows and siding to a complete HVAC overhaul, the experts will be there.

Not only will there be expert advice, there also will be chances to win more than \$20,000 dollars in prizes and services from those experts. Admission is free. Look for complete details next month.

The Board Report

The following items were approved at the June 26, 2008, regular board meeting: a consent agenda including minutes of the May board meeting, the May Operating Report and the board of directors' fees and expenses for May.

The board heard a report from JPEC's representatives on the Big Rivers Electric Board and a report from the Kentucky Association of Electric Cooperatives Board Meeting. In addition, reports were presented by JPEC's vice presidents and the president/CEO.

The board reviewed the selection of officers and the KAEC board representative. The officers were selected at a special board meeting following the Annual Meeting. Complete details can be found in this month's cover story.

Board meetings are normally held the fourth Thursday of the month. August's board meeting will be held on Aug. 28, 2008. Members wishing to address the board must contact the CEO's office at least seven working days prior to the meeting.



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