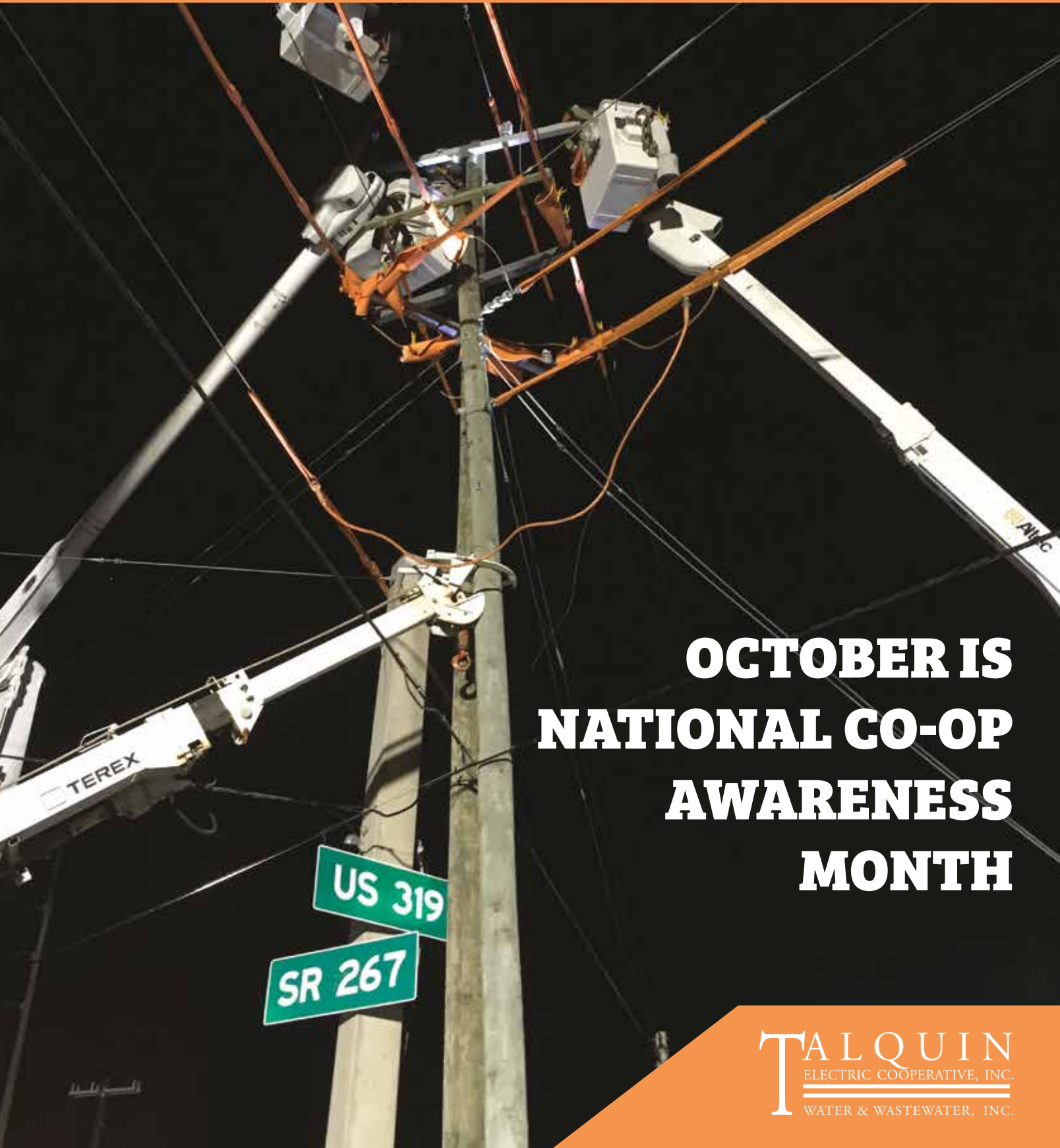


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The Talquin Electric Cooperative, Inc. and Talquin Water & Wastewater, Inc. Boards regularly schedule their workshops on the 1st Monday of each month and meetings on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at the Headquarters' Office in Quincy, FL at 6:30 PM. If necessary, an Executive Session may be held in conjunction with any regular meeting, special meeting, or workshop. Notice of any changes will be listed at <https://www.talquinelectric.com/about/board-meetings-workshops/>.

When the Next Storm Comes, Talquin Will be Ready!

Hurricane Barry, the second named storm of the 2019 Atlantic hurricane season, kept a safe distance from Florida, merely passing by on its way through the Gulf of Mexico to Texas and Louisiana. But seeing that storm form just after the July 4th holiday brought memories to the surface for those of us who have lived through storm after storm in Florida year after year.

Every storm is an important reminder of the hard work and dedication of the employees at Talquin.

It was less than one year ago when Category 5 Hurricane Michael came over Florida's Panhandle, devastating Florida's Forgotten Coast and many rural communities inland. Days before, Florida families were preparing for the storm. Everyone stocked up on food, water and supplies. Many boarded up their homes and businesses. Some evacuated the region to safer places.

The employees at Talquin are prepared for hurricane season. Each year, they participate in pre-storm briefings - reviewing the latest best practices and safety protocols for linemen to use when responding to natural disasters. They complete a series of trainings and pre-storm drills in which they respond to hypothetical situations so they know what to do when faced with the same situation in real life.

And while most Floridians were caring for their families when Hurricane Michael struck, the employees at Talquin were staged to respond. As soon as the danger had passed, linemen and other support employees deployed to begin getting us back online.



Carrie Durden
Board President



Tracy Bensley
General Manager

After Hurricane Michael, 99% of Talquin's Members were without power.

Talquin employees, supported by many more linemen and other support personnel from co-ops around the country, worked 16-hour days for 16 days to restore power to the homes and businesses of our four county service area.

This was not only a big task, but an extremely dangerous one. After a storm, linemen are forced to navigate blocked roads. They move around debris to get poles back up. They come across downed power lines covered in water, which can be life-threatening.

We remain extremely grateful to the linemen and the many other team members who played a role in helping this community recover, restore, and rebuild after Hurricane Michael.

While Hurricane Barry passed by Florida this time, there will be another hurricane headed our way soon. And when it does, Talquin will be ready!

5 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT
WHERE TO GET HURRICANE INFO

- 1** Television - Tune in to your trusted local news source.
- 2** Phone - Access mobile.weather.gov on your mobile phone and get Wireless Emergency Alerts.
- 3** Radio - Receive forecast information and news on your NOAA Weather Radio.
- 4** Social Media - Follow official government agencies, trusted media partners, and share critical info with friends and family.
- 5** Computer - Access information from weather.gov, ready.gov and flash.org.

Supporting Our Community



Girls in the photo are from Troops 103 and 102 in Tallahassee; Council representatives are TriciaRae Stancato (Chief Development and Brand Officer) & Tamra Wynn (Program Manager).

Girl Scouts of Gateway Council plan to use the money for Camp for all Seasons (served by Talquin), which was damaged during Hurricane Michael.



The Liberty County Senior Center was damaged during Hurricane Michael and has not been open due to storm damage. They hope to reopen sometime in September.

Since 2012, CoBank (one of Talquin's lenders) has been partnering with cooperatives around the nation in their Sharing Success program to provide needed funds to charitable organizations in rural areas. Talquin applied for grants again this year, and again all were awarded!

The recipients of this year's grants were United Way of the Big Bend, Girl Scouts of Gateway Council and the Liberty County Senior Center. All three of these organizations received \$2,000 as part of the Sharing Success program.

Join us in saying thank you to these organizations for the fantastic work they do in our community. Talquin Electric Cooperative is proud to be able to help support them in continuing their missions!



Talquin partners with United Way each year by participating in the Reading Pals program and Read United. Employees also donate each year through payroll deduction. In 2018, Talquin employees donated over \$14,000.

How is Your Sewer Usage Calculated?

Maximum residential monthly rate charge based on the greater of:

- A) Highest metered water usage billed during previous months of January, February, March and April
- B) 10,500 gallons of water

To explain, the sewer cap is set in the month of May every year; the system will look at each Member's water usage for the first 4 months of the year and set the cap at the highest usage during those months even if the usage is lower than 10,500 gallons. (Ex)-If the highest usage is 9,000 gallons during the said timeframe, then 9,000 becomes the cap. If the Member does not have any usage for those 4 months, then the system sets the cap at 10,500 until the next year in May when the Member has usage during Jan-Apr to calculate a true cap. Water Commercial accounts have no sewer cap.



Proponents of Misleading Energy Amendment Fail to Refute Cooperatives' Concerns in Supreme Court Brief

Florida's electric cooperatives are seriously concerned about the proposed amendment to Florida's Constitution that would reregulate the state's energy industry. The misleading amendment would have a dramatic impact on the Members who rely on electric cooperatives for safe, affordable and reliable electricity. These concerns were outlined in a brief that the Florida electric cooperatives filed with the Florida Supreme Court last April, but when sponsors of the amendment had a chance to respond, they ignored the cooperatives' arguments.

The "Right to Competitive Energy Market for Customers of Investor-Owned Utilities; Allowing Energy Choice" is a proposed Constitutional amendment that its sponsors are seeking to place on the ballot in November 2020. First, it must be reviewed by the Florida Supreme Court to determine its validity.

As part of this process, the Florida Electric Cooperatives Association (FECA), of which Talquin Electric Cooperative (Talquin) is a member, filed a brief with the Florida Supreme Court on April 18 demonstrating the ways in which the proposed amendment misleads voters and directly impacts cooperatives' Members.

The brief explains that the amendment misleads voters because it claims cooperatives' Members are unaffected, when in fact, the amendment would terminate wholesale power supply agreements and invalidate service area boundary agreements. These agreements are critically important for cooperatives to meet and plan for the needs of their Members and keep rates as low as possible.

Additionally, the amendment would create new layers of regulation with the establishment of an "independent market monitor," but this important information is left out of the amendment summary that would be printed on the ballot for voters to consider.

Furthermore, the proposed amendment violates the requirement that a ballot initiative be focused on a single subject rather than lumping together many changes in one proposal.

Sponsors of the amendment had an opportunity to respond to the concerns outlined by FECA's brief, but their most recent filings neglected to do so.

In June, FECA submitted a second brief to the Florida Supreme Court reiterating these concerns and calling on the court to invalidate the amendment.

Florida's Supreme Court heard oral arguments in this case on August 28, and a decision is expected sometime before the end of 2019. If the measure appears on the ballot in 2020, Florida law requires 60 percent of the vote to amend the Constitution.

While the Florida Supreme Court considers the validity of this proposed amendment to our state's constitution, we must take the time to read the fine print. There, we find the amendment will directly and dramatically impact the Members of Florida's electric cooperatives. We learn that important information, such as the creation of new layers of bureaucracy, would be left off the ballot summary. Yet, the sponsors of the measure are not even willing to answer our questions and concerns.

PCA Adjustment

Effective October 1, 2019, Talquin will reduce the Wholesale Power Cost Adjustment from a credit of (\$0.0035) to a credit of (\$0.0055), resulting in an overall decrease on bills of 2 mills, or \$2 per 1,000 kWh.

Youth Tour 2019

Students from all over the country travel to Washington, D.C. each year to learn about electric cooperatives and how decisions made at our nation's capital affect us all. Co-ops from the GREAT state of Florida sent 33 students, and four of those represented Talquin Electric Co-op!! From touring our nation's monuments to meeting with their representatives in D.C., this was a trip to remember.



Pictured above left to right: Alana Kornegay, Chiles High; Sriya Patel, Chiles High; Ariana White, John Paul II High; and Jacqueline Cruz, Leon High.



Look out for the 2020 Talquin Youth Tour + SCHOLARSHIP Applications Up to \$15,000 in scholarships to be awarded!

Applications will be available starting October 14, 2019. If interested in applying, the application can be found on our website at www.talquinelectric.com under Talquin Youth, at any of our Member Service Offices or by emailing youthtour@talquinelectric.com.



Watts Happening

Leon County Senior Outreach:

Explore **"Lunch and Learn"** to stay connected. No reservations needed to join the fun. Each event is from 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM and features a delicious catered lunch for \$6 per plate. Call 850-891-4065 for more information.

- Miccosukee Community Center – September 5 & October 3
- Bradfordville (Wildwood Presbyterian Fellowship Hall) – September 11 & October 9
- Woodville Community Center – September 12
- Fort Braden Community Center – September 17 & October 15
- Lake Jackson Community Center – September 19 & October 17
- Chaires Community Center – September 24 & October 22

St. Marks Stone Crab Festival:

Saturday, October 26 (10:00 AM - 5:00 PM)

With nearly 20 years of history in Wakulla County, the St. Marks Stone Crab Festival brings thousands of crab-lovers from far and wide to the tiny fishing village of St. Marks once a year for a celebration of these seasonal treats. The event is full of local vendors and arts and crafts dealers, and guests will be treated to live music all day.

Northtown GetDowns at Bannerman Crossings:

Friday nights before every home FSU Football game.

Starts at 5:30 PM and goes until 10:00 PM. Vendors, food, drink, live music, and kid friendly activities for the whole family.



3rd Annual Touch-A-Truck

Don't miss our 3rd Annual Touch-A-Truck sponsored by FSU CARD and the FSU Autism Institute

This family-friendly event is for children and adults of all ages. Come get up close and personal with larger-than-life trucks, heavy construction and public safety equipment, cool cars, and specialty vehicles!

Flashing lights! Noisy sirens! Tons of fun!

\$5 per person or \$20 per family
Face painting, crafts, and activities
Food and beverages will be available for purchase
For more information about this event or to become a sponsor, visit www.fsucard.com

Sat Oct 12th, 2019 10am-1pm


Edgewater Office Park
2312 Killeam Center Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL

Details
www.fsucard.com



Net proceeds to benefit the FSU Autism Institute Foundation fund used to support training, research, and services in our community.

2019 Big Bend Hospice Gadsden Monthly Grief Support Group



Meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month
4:30 pm-6:00 pm
Big Bend Hospice
216 North Adams Street, Quincy, FL

This group is open to community members.

Contact Pam Mason to register
(850) 671-8079 or
pamm@bigbendhospice.org
Registration is requested.

January 8th
February 12th
March 12th
April 9th
May 14th
June 11th
July 9th
August 13th
September 10th
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UF IFAS - Art, Garden, and Farm Family Festival:

Saturday, October 5 (9:00 AM - 2:00 PM)

North Florida Research and Education Center (NFREC) - 155 Research Rd, Quincy

Discover creative ways to explore visual art and the art of gardening through demonstrations and fun activities for the whole family. Take a trolley tour of the beautiful NFREC gardens. Speak with experts about all your gardening questions/concerns or purchase unusual, hard-to-find, top-performing plants developed for our area. Children's arts and crafts activities will take place in a "Kidz Zone" located in a shaded garden area. Locally grown produce and garden plants as well as arts and crafts will also be for sale. Food and beverages will be available. This event is FREE and open to the public.

TRADING POST

MISCELLANEOUS

(4) **Two drawer filing cabinets** \$25.00 each; **Hammock** with stand \$70; **Double stainless steel sink** with hardware \$40.00; **Industrial toilet** \$40. 575-8386

Two concrete burial vaults in Meadowwood memorial park \$4000. 877-2703

MISC ITEMS: Garden tools, spray painting equipment, art supplies, opaque projector, mat cutter, drawing table, circular saw, sabre saw, music keyboard, Gibson guitar, 2 amps. 656-6455

Handy Man: 20 years of experience. Various trades- all types of home improvement work. 933-1105

(2) **Infant/Child Car Seats.** In box w/ manuals. (1) Converts forward or rear facing. 5-40lbs camouflage. \$25.00. (1) Forward facing only. 22-40lbs brown and multi-stripes. \$20. 539-5641

Caretaker for your loved one. Years of experience at personal care giving for Parkinson's, Alzheimer's, etc. References available. Monday-Friday. 386-3562

Three solid wood bar stools. Good condition. \$25. 544-5799

"Still Hunters" Special. Thompson/Center Arms 25-06 single shot. Blued with walnut. Zeiss scope conquest 3.5-10 x 44MC. 3 boxes of ammo. \$799. 878-9565/ 251-9919

Garage Sale Items: Antique dishes, microwave stand, receiving hitch, towing mirrors, canning jars (quarts & pints), antique lamps, kitchen cast iron sinks, electric tools, TY beanie babies. 575-6013

Wedding gown size 14. Cinderella style with "bling" beaded top. \$150. Text 524-2938 for visual

Old trunk. Good condition, has key. \$100. **1908 Sideboard** with lots of mirrors and a wine rack. **Electric Scooter.** Needs new fuel line. \$150. 875-1423

Bedside commode, extra wide \$15. **Women's Jobst medical compression stockings,** Size L, silky beige, ultra-sheer, 5 pair \$10 ea. **Vintage quilt,** double size, (Tulip) \$90. **Medline Fitted Briefs** to 58", \$8 doz. Cannon double bed size white cotton **thermal blanket** in zip bag, unused \$10. 576-1315

Two cemetery plots. Roselawn Cemetery. \$2000. **Kawai Concert Master II.** Beautiful and versatile instrument. Scores of digitally recorded instruments—pianos, organs, brass, woodwinds, voices, percussion, special effects and much more. Auto accompaniment. Style master. Split keyboard. Excellent condition. Ebony. With storage bench. \$1299. 877-8957

Six metal bar stools with cushions attached. 29 inches from floor to seat. No swivel. Good condition, \$25.00 each. 933-0067

Niche 110 F Ascension Level at Tallahassee Memory Gardens. Valued at \$1,600, will sell for \$900. 443-6354

Paragon A 66-B Kiln with Kiln Sitter. All shelves and accessories included.

Paragon Q 11B Portable kiln. Excellent condition. Multiple cones. Some supplies. Asking \$100.00 for both or an Organization to donate. 509-6799

10' X 10' dog pen. Brand New. \$180. 933-0067

Trading Post Guidelines

In order to continue to provide The Trading Post in every issue of The Current, we ask Members to adhere to the guidelines listed below when submitting an ad. If an ad does not meet the criteria, it will not be published. Talquin provides "The Trading Post" ads for the convenience of our Members. Talquin is not responsible for the content of the ads. Talquin does not endorse or warrant the products or services offered in the ads. There is no cost to place an ad in The Trading Post.

- **Members may submit one ad per issue (six times a year)**
- **Ads must be twenty-five words**
- **Must be typed or printed legibly in ink**
- **No registered businesses may run an ad**
- **No changes after ad submission**

*Deadlines are the first day of the month preceding the month of publication (For example, August 1st is the deadline for the September/October edition.)

Mail ads to: "The Current", Talquin Electric Cooperative PO Box 1679, Quincy, FL 32352-1679 or email to: tradingpost@talquinelectric.com

BOWFLEX PR3000 Home Gym. Leg extension included. Great condition. \$500. 877-3307

EZ-Go Golf Cart. Two Cylinder Gas. Runs Good. \$1,900. 926-5278

AUTOMOTIVE

Troy built riding mower 46 inch, 20 HP. Model #13cu6094063. Body and motor is in good condition but needs transaxle. Will buy transaxle or sell mower for 400. 627-7567

20 ft. flatbed trailer. Car or equipment hauler with 12,000lb winch included. \$2850. 599-5464

2003 Toyota Corolla 4dr Sedan VVT-I 1.8 Engine, 106K miles, power locks and windows, tan with tan cloth, runs great. \$3500. 339-2176

'56 Chevy 2dr Sedan. 350 V8 Chevy engine, AT, solid body. New paint, glass, manifolds, door panels and American racing wheels. Best reasonable offer. 575-8906

1998 Kawasaki 1500 Vulcan Classic. \$3500. 575-6013

2008 Yamaha XT550 Motorcycle. Garage kept, adjustable shocks, luggage rack included. Black and white with 2,400 miles. \$1,300. Serious inquiries only. Road and trail ready. 559-5413

2006 BMW 750LI. Silver with black leather interior, 4dr Sedan. 99,000 miles. Needs transmission. \$5000, willing to negotiate. 345-9178

1998 Red Pontiac Sunfire. New tires, runs great. \$3000. 875-1423

2016 Kubota RTV 900 Diesel w/hydrolic bed. \$12,600.00 **Lawn trailer** w/ ramp and rack for weed eaters 6 x 10. \$1000. 509-0613

28' 2005 Toy Hauler/ Camper. Victory Lane by Dutchmen. Very good condition. \$7500 or reasonable offer. 766-2167

2006 Suzuki GSX-R 600. Low mileage, custom wheels, custom paint job. \$4,500. Leave message at 576-2961.

REAL ESTATE

16 Acres in Wakulla County off Highway 98 near Spring Creek Highway. Outstanding home sites and/or great hunting property with deer, turkey and duck. 20 miles from Tallahassee and 10 minutes to the Gulf. \$96,000. 850-926-4092

7 acres near Panama City. Big lake in the back. \$60,000. 875-1423

Beautifully furnished rooms for rent with Private Bath in east Tallahassee. EVERYTHING included!

Available now! Utilities, DISH TV, Safetouch Security, Shared Kitchen and Common Space, WiFi, Linens. Calls Only 284-4892

FARM/GARDEN

Custom Deer Feeders. Holds six 50lb bags of corn, gravity fed, keeps corn off ground, easily loaded from ground. \$200 each. 661-4625

WANTED

Part time help wanted for miscellaneous jobs on farm in Quincy. Must pass drug test. \$10.00hr- paid daily. 599-5464

Want to Buy- in Good Condition **Extended / Passenger Van** -older model. Need used **Refrigerator,** older **chest freezer** in Good Condition. Also need yard help by the hour. Wanted: **Used Toyota pick-up truck** in good condition. **Older Hoover upright vacuum** & tank vacuum. 879-5509

FREE

35" low-def JVC TV. Works perfectly. 539-7775 after 4PM.

Free Glass Canning Jars in variety of sizes: 1/2 pint, pint, and quart. Have at least 50 available in each size. Will negotiate delivery. 875-3615

Free Barn Cats, healthy, vaccinated, sterile, all ages, semi-feral, will setup in cage to acclimate, get as many as you need. 980-9266

October is National Cyber Security Awareness Month

Protect Your Information!

Security Tips:

- Change your passwords frequently and make them long, complex, and difficult to guess.
- Check the privacy settings on social networking sites. Know who you are sharing your information with.
- Connect securely: Unknown Wi-Fi hotspots can steal your information.
- Mobile devices can be just as susceptible to viruses as computers. Do not click on random links or download unknown files.



Talquin Services

Talquin has several different services to help you manage and pay your utility bill. Find the perfect fit for you!

- **Online Bill Pay:** View and pay bill, monitor usage, and more.
- **Mobile App:** Easy access to your account – download today!
- **Automatic Draft:** Automatic credit card and bank draft services at no additional fee.
- **Levelized Billing** (electric accounts only): Tired of your electric bill jumping up and down from month to month? Levelized is a “rolling average” of your electric usage for the most recent 13 months, so you pay a similar amount each time.
- **Electronic Billing:** Go paperless and receive an email as soon as your bill is available.
- **PrePaid Electric:** With PrePaid, you are in control. Low deposit, no late fees, and no disconnect or reconnect charges!
- **Pay by Phone:** 850-627-9666 (English or Spanish) – automated, 24/7, credit cards and e-checks accepted.
- **Mail:** Send check or money order (no cash) to PO Box 1679, Quincy, FL 32353-1679
- **In Person:** Visit any of our 5 Member Service Offices (Monday – Friday, 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM, Closed for lunch 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM)

By Mail



In Person



Online



By App



By Phone



Check out our Bill Payment Options

Visit our website at www.talquinelectric.com or ask any Member Service Representative for more information.

Planned Outages for Service Improvements

Talquin Electric continually performs maintenance on the electric system throughout the year to ensure we are providing the best possible service to the Membership. We are able to perform most of this work with the electricity on, so you often do not even notice the work going on around you. However, there are times when we need to interrupt your electric service in order to perform maintenance activities. We call these disruptions in service planned outages.

As you know, electricity is a powerful and dangerous form of energy. Planned outages are sometimes required to ensure the safety of employees, Members, and electrical equipment. We know that outages are inconvenient, but our objective is to be safe while we provide the best service possible to all Talquin Members.

Before a planned outage occurs, we will notify affected Members in advance so they can make preparations. When a planned outage is necessary, our crews will work as quickly and safely as possible to restore electric service with minimal disruption.

Tips for Preparing for a Planned Outage:

- If you have medical support equipment that is dependent on electricity, be ready with your back-up plan to maintain the use of your equipment.
- Have flashlights with fresh batteries handy.
- Minimize the opening of refrigerator and freezer doors to maintain temperature.
- Shut off or disconnect all sensitive equipment, such as computers, fax machines, televisions, microwaves, etc. before the outage begins.
- Leave a lamp or radio on so you will know when electric service is restored.
- Charge all mobile phones.
- It is very important to turn off any major appliances like washing machines or air conditioners prior to the outage. This will prevent them from unexpectedly coming on when the power is restored.
- Double check to make sure all heat-producing appliances (stoves, toaster ovens, irons, and hair curlers) are turned off. This will minimize any fire hazard if the power is restored while you are away.
- Make sure you know how to override or manually operate your security gates or garage doors.
- If you have a generator, be sure to follow all safety guidelines. Please refer to <https://www.talquinelectric.com/resources/generator-use/> for more information.

If you have questions about planned outages in your area, please call us at (850) 627-7651.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

It has become necessary to perform some line maintenance for the electric service to your account at <SERVICE_AD>, <CITY>, <STATE>. To facilitate this action we will need to interrupt the service to your account for approximately four (4) hours. This work will be performed between the hours of 8:00am and 12:00pm on Wednesday July 24, 2019.
We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact Talquin Electric Cooperative at (850)627-7651.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve you.

TALQUIN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

Example of a postcard you might receive if a planned outage is occurring in your area.

We've got the Keys to your heart!

Grilled Chicken from the Keys

Pat Nugent, Member

Ingredients:

6-8 - boneless skinless chicken thighs or 4-6 boneless skinless chicken breast halves, pounded to 1/3" flat

3 heaping tablespoons of soy sauce

3 heaping tablespoons of honey

3 tablespoons of vegetable oil

Juice of two fresh limes

1 heaping tablespoons of minced garlic



1. Combine all ingredients and pour over chicken. Chill covered for a minimum of 2 hours to overnight (the longer the better).
2. Grill direct over coals 4-5 min each side or till internal temp reaches 165 degrees.
3. Reserve marinade and bring to a boil and simmer 5-8 minutes. Brush on chicken after turning and at the table.

Key Lime Pound Cake

Maria Jones, Florida Keys Electric Co-op

Ingredients:

Cake Ingredients:

- 1 box Duncan Hines Lemon Supreme Cake Mix
- 1 box instant lemon pudding mix
- 1 cup water
- 3/4 cup oil
- 4 eggs
- 1 tablespoon Key lime juice

Glaze:

- 2 cups sifted 10x powdered sugar
- 1/3 cup key lime juice



1. Preheat oven to 325 degrees. Mix all cake ingredients in a large bowl (by hand - no electric mixer) until well blended. Pour into a greased and floured tube pan. Bake on center rack for 45 minutes.
2. After 35 minutes of cooking time, begin to prepare the glaze mix. Remove cake from oven (leave in the tube pan) and stick with a fork while hot. Pour glaze mix over the top of cake and cool before serving.

SUBMIT YOUR RECIPES

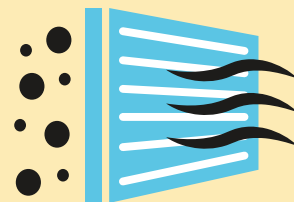
If you have some tasty recipes that you would like to share, submit them to us at TradingPost@talquinelectric.com, drop them off at any of our Member Service offices, or mail to us at PO Box 1679, Quincy FL 32353.

⚡ October is Energy Awareness Month ⚡

Energy Tip

Routinely replace or clean your air conditioner's filter. Replacing a dirty, clogged filter can reduce your air conditioner's energy consumption by 5 to 15 percent.

Source: energy.gov



Do not forget Talquin's FREE energy analysis!

Talquin's Energy Services Department provides Members with detailed home and business energy use analysis, all at no cost. The results of each analysis are presented in a report outlining the findings, which are supported with photographs and thermal images and tailored specifically for each Member. Call 850-627-7651 today and set up your appointment.

We are happy to announce the opening of Talquin's new Crawfordville Operations Center!



We are happy to announce the opening of Talquin's new Crawfordville Operations Center. The 14,800 sq. foot facility is located adjacent to the Crawfordville Member Service Office and is the new home of the operations personnel that previously reported to our south Tallahassee location on Crossway Road. The new center will assist Talquin with more efficient operations and help improve reliability for the expanding utility systems in the Wakulla County service territory. To officially announce our latest addition to the Membership, the Wakulla County Chamber of Commerce did a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony.

We would also like to thank some of the organizations that attended and participated. They are: Congressman Dr. Neal Dunn's office; Senator Marco Rubio's office; The Wakulla Board of County Commissioners; The Wakulla County School Board, Superintendent and staff; The Wakulla County Chamber of Commerce; Wakulla County Administrator David Edwards and staff; The Wakulla County Sheriff's Office; Seminole Electric Cooperative; Florida Electric Cooperatives Association; CSI Contractors, Inc.; Joel Sampson Architect Inc.; and Tri-County Electric Cooperative.

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