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FROM THE MANAGER

Merry Christmas!

In this month's local pages you will see a Merry Christmas and Happy New Years greeting from all the Wheatland Electric Cooperative employees (including the Water and Broadband divisions). Our employees are the reason that WEC is able to provide you the reliable and competitively priced electricity and other services that you have become accustomed to from your cooperative.

It's been a busy past couple of months here at Wheatland and I'd like to say thanks for several things:

First, thank you to our membership who participated in our first ever "**MEMBER ENGAGEMENT TEAM**" meetings. We held meetings in Scott City, Great Bend and Harper during the latter part of October.

The primary objectives of the meetings were to:

1. Help the WEC board better understand the feelings of the members relating to the community, co-op, and its members.
2. Serve as a sounding board for the evaluation of ongoing programs, policies and initiatives and for the development of new programs, policies and initiatives.
3. Foster a higher degree of understanding with the membership for their cooperative and the cooperative business model.
4. Enable the co-op to be totally member-oriented and responsive to the expectations and needs of the

membership.

We received great feedback from the members who participated. We hope to make these Member Engagement meetings an annual occurrence. We left each meeting with actionable items to implement to better serve the membership.

Second, I'd like to thank our membership, employees and directors who participated in our food drive—**CRAM THE VAN**.

The van made 10 stops in nine different communities across our service territory. The drive lasted approximately two months. Cram the Van events to collect donations varied from cooking hamburgers at home football games to grilling hot dogs in front of town grocery stores.

Wheatland Electric also had collection stations at each district office. We collected nearly 7,000 lbs (or three and a half tons) of donated items and \$850 that we delivered to the local food banks. All of the local food banks were grateful for the help and most mentioned it was just in time for the coming holidays.

Third, I'd like to thank all the Wheatland Electric employees who assisted in the planning, setup and implementation of the events mentioned above. You did an excellent job and it's an honor to serve as your leader. Once again, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Until next time, take care.



Bruce Mueller



General Manager & Trustees



Executive Team—Scott City



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