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NEGT Welcomes NRPPD as 21st Member

Today the board of the Nebraska Electric Generation and Transmission Cooperative, Inc (NEGT) voted to accept Northwest Rural Public Power District (NRPPD) as their twenty-first member. NRPPD intends to sign an all-requirements wholesale power supply contract with NEGТ to take delivery of power and energy starting May 1, 2024. NEGТ is the largest customer of Nebraska Public Power District and is contracted through 2035.

NRPPD is headquartered in Hay Springs and serves 3,300 accounts and has over 1,900 miles of line in rural Dawes, Sheridan, and Cherry Counties in the Panhandle of Northwest Nebraska.

"NEGT has a strong reputation for advocacy of its members and Northwest Rural is excited to become their newest cooperative member" says Chance Briscoe, General Manager of NRPPD.

NEGT was incorporated in 1956 and is headquartered in Columbus, NE. The cooperative membership serves the electrical needs of 150,000 end-use rural customers in Nebraska. In 2022, NEGТ sold 4.86 billion kilowatt hours to its members and ranked 2nd lowest in cost per kilowatt hour of the 46 largest Generation and Transmission Cooperatives in the United States.

"At NEGТ, the seven cooperative principles are paramount to our existence and the guiding concepts that govern our day-to-day operations," Darin Bloomquist, General Manager of NEGТ. "Earlier this year, NEGТ's strategic planning process made two tenants abundantly clear, retain the remarkable measure of reliability that our end-use customers insist upon and at a nationally recognized rate of affordability. We welcome the addition of NRPPD to the membership and believe they will enhance the NEGТ motto of Stronger Together!"

To learn more about NEGТ and the seven cooperative principals visit the NEGТ website at negt.coop.

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