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RATE ADJUSTMENT

Co-op announces plan to implement rate increase

For the first time in six years, Roanoke Electric Co-op has announced a planned increase in its electricity rates. "Rate increases are difficult for everyone, especially our member-owners, and something we do only when absolutely necessary in order to cover the cost of doing business," said Roanoke Electric Co-op President & CEO Curtis Wynn. For more information on this rate adjustment and its potential impact on your monthly electric bill, [read more.](#)

January 2018 regulations
system investments compliance COSTS better value
NCEMC 10%-15% increase
wholesale power 2008 spills into rivers
operate more efficiently Coal Ash
purchased power
NC Laws Duke Energy

Got questions about the rate adjustment?

"How much will my electric bill increase?"
"What are the reasons behind the planned increase?"
"When will the increase show up on my electric bill?"
For answers to these and other burning questions about the upcoming rate increase, [read more.](#)

TOWN HALL

Community partners to examine technology in education

Roanoke Chowan Community Partners for Progress 2 will gather Sept. 7 to discuss new and emerging technologies in local education. Community members are invited to attend, as the topic of innovation in education takes the spotlight. [Read more.](#)



FOR MEMBERS ONLY

Getting ready for school? How to shop and save

Did you know that by using your Co-op Connections Card for back-to-school shopping, member-owners gain access to special discounts with nearly 3,000 local and national retailers? And this shopping experience comes with an added benefit: You can actually get cash back. To learn more about this remarkable offer, [check this out.](#)



ANNOUNCEMENT

Sept. 3: Labor Day office closing

Roanoke Electric Co-op offices will close Monday, Sept. 3, in observance of the Labor Day holiday. The co-op team wishes you a safe and happy holiday weekend, as we pay tribute to the contributions of American workers and mark the official end of summer. Normal business operations will resume Tuesday, Sept. 4.



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