

# **EMPOWERED BY MEMBERS,** DRIVEN BY INNOVATION

# ANNUAL REPORT

### Served by those we serve...



#### SWRE Employees:

Pictured L to R: (Back Row)- Ken Simmons, Bob Reid, Austin Huff, Mike Wolfe, James Stephens, Calvin Flood, James Auldridge, Kelby Boyd, Keith Jonas, Chandler Lingle. (Second Row)- Tyler Weathers, Justin Marsh, Jimmy Westover, Jim McPherson, Al Davis, Gabe Guerra, Barry Holt, Jack Mitchell. (Front Row)- Keith Bonham, Johnnie Partida, Gina McNeil, Haley Hoover, Vikki McLaughlin, Chris Petty, Cyndi Moellering, Becca McPherson, Gerald Simpson, David Ball Not pictured: Traci Balderas, Rick Risinger



# YOU'RE INVITED: 2019 Annual Meeting

AUGUST 29, 7PM WESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE AUDITORIUM

Members of Southwest Rural Electric Associatio will meet in Altus on Thursday, August 29, for the organization's 82nd Annual Meeting.

The event will be held at the Western Oklahoma State College Auditorium, 2801 N. Main Street, A tus, Oklahoma.

Because SWRE is a cooperative, its customers ar also its members. All SWRE members from throu out the co-op's service territory in Texas and Okla homa are encouraged to attend.

Registration will begin at 2:00 p.m. and conclude 6:55 p.m.

Annual meeting gifts will be given to all member at registration. All SWRE members who register a this year's meeting will receive a \$25 credit on the SWRE utility bill (One credit per membership).

Since registration will open at 2 p.m., even those members who register during the afternoon but c not stay for the meeting will receive the gift items including the \$25 bill credit.

SWRE's charitable foundation, Operation Round Up, will be offering food for a small donation to t

SWRE members who receive electric service in Districts 1 and 7 will hold district meetings this fall.

DISTRICT #1: Board Member: Don Ellis

September 19, 2019, 6:30 p.m. Senior Citizen Center 401 South Main St Roosevelt, OK

on	foundation. WOSC Shooting Sports will be serving
ne	the food that will be available from 4-5:30 p.m.
	The event will begin with cowboy movies shown in-
a	side the auditorium from 2pm and continue until the
Al-	beginning of the live entertainment at 6 p.m. The
	Altus-based band, "Higher Ground" will be perform-
re	ing an hour long show.
ugh-	The SWRE business session will begin promptly at
la-	7:00 p.m.
	Immediately following the brief business meeting, a
le at	drawing will be held with more than 100 prizes to be
	given away, including a programmable thermostat,
ers	a GoPro kit, a drone and much more! Please note:
at	prizes were incorrectly listed in the previous edition
eir	of this newsletter, the traditional \$500 energy certifi-
	cate will not be offered in lieu of the grand prize 2014
e	4WD half-ton Ford Supercab.
can-	Members must be present at the drawing to claim
s,	the prizes.
	The drawing prizes will include 46 energy certifi-
nd	cates that can be applied toward SWRE utility bills.
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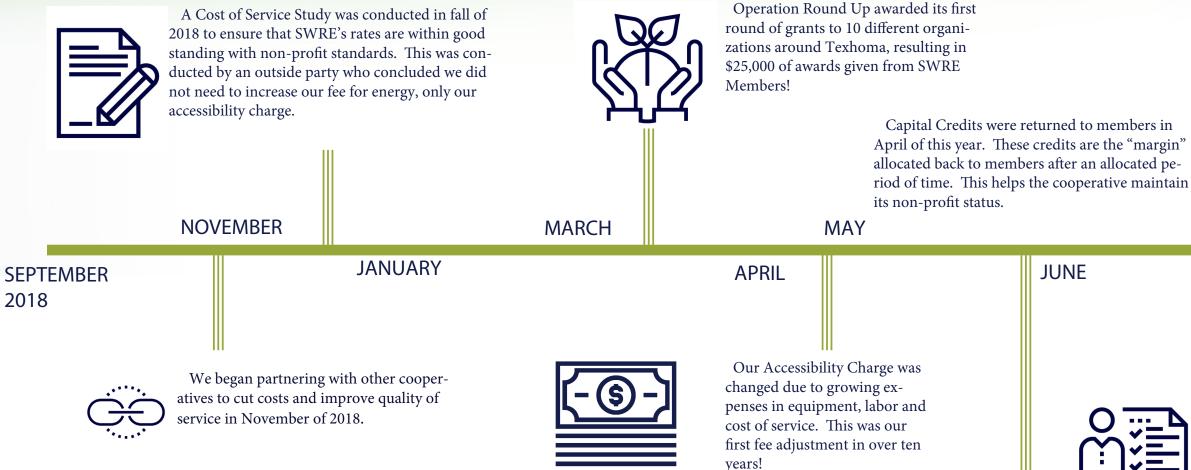
## **District Meetings**

### DISTRICT #7:

Board Member: Dan White

September 16, 2019, 6:30 p.m. Northside School 18040 Highway 287 Vernon, TX

# 2018-2019 IN REVIEW



### Innovation & Change

Our cooperative has been rapidly changing over the past twelve months. From implementing new technologies, to using innovation and cooperation to cut costs and deliver better service to our members, rest assured we have been actively serving you every step of the way.





AUGUST 2019



billing cycle.

Bill Cycle Changes were implemented in May of 2019. In order to more efficiently manage time and expense, all members were moved from three billing cycles to one

### Financial Report





REVENUES     Residential Sales   \$ 6,323,477   \$ 6,861,660     Seasonal Sales   1,440,001   1,454,906     Commercial Sales   6,593,772   6,644,731     Irrigation Sales   1,653,948   2,164,615     Other Sales   294,126   304,670     Other Rev & Income   522,070   487,203     TOTAL REVENUE   \$ 16,827,394   \$ 17,917,785     COST OF ELECTRIC SERVICES   Expenses Controlled by Other Entities   \$ 9,442,204     Depreciation & Amortization   1,477,646   1,528,467     Interest Expense   1,265,090   1,265,055     TOTAL   \$ 11,580,314   \$ 12,235,726     Expenses Controlled by SWRE   \$ 3,164,029   \$ 3,069,316     Consumer Accounts   945,544   857,922     Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL   \$ 5,222,406   \$ 5,276,524     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Current Assets   \$ 54,775,299   \$ 56,268,805     Other Property & Investments   7,566,535   7,662,012 <th>Operating Statement</th> <th></th> <th>2017</th> <th></th> <th>2018</th> <th></th>	Operating Statement		2017		2018				
Seasonal Sales     1,440,001     1,454,906       Commercial Sales     6,593,772     6,644,731       Irrigation Sales     1,653,948     2,164,615       Other Sales     294,126     304,670       Other Rev & Income     522,070     487,203       TOTAL REVENUE     \$ 16,827,394     \$ 17,917,785       COST OF ELECTRUE     Expenses Controlled by Other Entities     7074,177,646     1,528,467       Interest Expense     1,477,646     1,528,467     1,265,090       Interest Expense     1,265,090     1,265,055       FOTAL     \$ 1,1580,314     \$ 12,235,726       Expenses Controlled by SWRE     0peration & Maintenance     \$ 3,164,029     \$ 3,069,316       Consumer Accounts     945,544     857,922     Administrative & General     1,112,833     1,349,286       TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES     \$ 16,802,720     \$ 17,512,250     \$ 5,276,524       TOTAL MARGINS     \$ 54,775,299     \$ 56,268,805     0ther Property & Investments     7,566,535     7,662,012       Current Assets     23,91,143     2,175,267     \$ 405,535     472,633 <td< th=""><th colspan="9"></th></td<>									
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Irrigation Sales   1,653,948   2,164,615     Other Sales   294,126   304,670     Other Rev & Income   522,070   487,203     TOTAL REVENUE   \$ 16,827,394   \$ 17,917,785     COST OF ELECTRIC SERVICES   Expenses Controlled by Other Entities   9,442,204     Depreciation & Amortization   1,477,646   1,528,467     Interest Expense   1,265,090   1,265,055     TOTAL   \$ 11,580,314   \$ 12,235,726     Expenses Controlled by SWRE   945,544   857,922     Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Current Assets   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   555,735   472,633     Receivables   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   2,25,381   2,39,444     Prepayments   66,555	Seasonal Sales		1,440,001		1,454,906				
Other Sales     294,126     304,670       Other Rev & Income     522,070     487,203       TOTAL REVENUE     \$ 16,827,394     \$ 17,917,785       COST OF ELECTRIC SERVICES     Expenses Controlled by Other Entities	Commercial Sales		6,593,772		6,644,731				
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TOTAL REVENUE   \$ 16,827,394   \$ 17,917,785     COST OF ELECTRIC SERVICES     Expenses Controlled by Other Entities     Cost of Power   \$ 8,837,578   \$ 9,442,204     Depreciation & Amortization   1,477,646   1,528,467     Interest Expense   1,265,055   1,265,055     TOTAL   \$ 11,580,314   \$ 12,235,726     Expenses Controlled by SWRE   9445,544   857,922     Operation & Maintenance   \$ 3,164,029   \$ 3,069,316     Consumer Accounts   945,544   857,922     Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL   \$ 5,222,406   \$ 5,276,524     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Current Assets   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   225,381   239,444     Prepayments   66,555   87,936     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL   \$ 3,171,366   \$ 2,980,698     Deferred Debits   711,135   574,980	Other Sales		294,126		304,670				
COST OF ELECTRIC SERVICES     Expenses Controlled by Other Entities   5   9,442,204     Depreciation & Amortization   1,477,646   1,528,467     Interest Expense   1,265,090   1,265,055     TOTAL   \$   1,177,646   1,528,467     Interest Expense   1,265,090   1,265,055   12,235,726     Expenses Controlled by SWRE   0peration & Maintenance   \$   3,164,029   \$   1,2235,726     Operation & Maintenance   \$   3,164,029   \$   3,069,316     Consumer Accounts   945,544   857,922   Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL   \$   5,222,406   \$   5,276,524   \$     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$   16,802,720   \$   17,512,250     Balance Sheet   2017   2018   2012   2018     Current Assets   7,566,535   7,662,012   2012     Current Assets   2,319,143   2,175,267   33     Gash & Temp Cash Investments   555,735   472,633   36,048,29   5,418     TOTAL   S   3,171,366	Other Rev & Income		522,070		487,203				
Expenses Controlled by Other Entities     \$     8,837,578     \$     9,442,204       Depreciation & Amortization     1,477,646     1,528,467       Interest Expense     1,265,090     1,265,055       TOTAL     \$     1,1580,314     \$     1,2235,726       Expenses Controlled by SWRE     0peration & Maintenance     \$     3,164,029     \$     3,069,316       Operation & Maintenance     \$     3,164,029     \$     3,069,316       Consumer Accounts     945,544     857,922     Administrative & General     1,112,833     1,349,286       TOTAL     \$     5,222,406     \$     5,276,524       TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES     \$     16,802,720     \$     17,512,250       Balance Sheet     2017     2018     2017     2018       Current Assets     7,566,535     7,666,012     2017     2018       Current Assets     2,319,143     2,175,267     3     3,94,44       Prepayments     555,735     472,633     4,252     5,418       Gother Current & Accrued Assets     4,552     5,	TOTAL REVENUE	\$	16,827,394	\$	17,917,785	-			
Cost of Power   \$   8,837,578   \$   9,442,204     Depreciation & Amortization   1,477,646   1,528,467     Interest Expense   1,265,090   1,265,055     TOTAL   \$   11,580,314   \$   12,235,726     Expenses Controlled by SWRE   0peration & Maintenance   \$   3,164,029   \$   3,069,316     Consumer Accounts   945,544   857,922   Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     FOTAL   \$   5,222,406   \$   5,276,524     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$   16,802,720   \$   17,512,250     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Current Assets   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   255,735   472,633     Receivables   4,552   5,418     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL   \$   3,171,366   \$   2,980,698     Deferred D									
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TOTAL   \$ 11,580,314   \$ 12,235,726     Expenses Controlled by SWRE   3,164,029   \$ 3,069,316     Operation & Maintenance   \$ 3,164,029   \$ 3,069,316     Consumer Accounts   945,544   857,922     Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL   \$ 5,222,406   \$ 5,276,524     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     TOTAL MARGINS   \$ 24,674   \$ 405,535     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Litlity Plant     Other Property & Investments   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   225,381   2,39,444     Prepayments   66,555   87,936     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL   \$ 3,171,366   \$ 2,980,698     Deferred Debits   711,135   574,980     TOTAL ASSETS   \$ 66,224,335   \$ 67,486,495     LIABILITIES   \$ 27,723,808   \$ 2,8,145,239     Long-Term Debt   36,048,429   35,145,901     Current Liabilities	Depreciation & Amortization		1,477,646		1,528,467				
Expenses Controlled by SWRE     3,164,029     \$     3,069,316       Operation & Maintenance     \$     3,164,029     \$     3,069,316       Consumer Accounts     945,544     857,922     Administrative & General     1,112,833     1,349,286       TOTAL     \$     5,222,406     \$     5,276,524       TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES TOTAL MARGINS     \$     16,802,720     \$     17,512,250       Balance Sheet     2017     2018       Administrative & General       Utility Plant     \$     54,775,299     \$     56,268,805       Other Property & Investments     7,566,535     7,662,012       Current Assets     2,319,143     2,175,267       Materials     225,381     239,444       Prepayments     66,555     87,936       Other current & Accrued Assets     4,552     5,418       IOTAL     \$     3,171,366     \$     2,980,698       Deferred Debits     711,135     574,980     \$     66,224,335     \$     67,486,495       ILABILITIES     24,52,165     4	Interest Expense		1,265,090		1,265,055				
Operation & Maintenance   \$ 3,164,029   \$ 3,069,316     Consumer Accounts   945,544   857,922     Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL   \$ 5,222,406   \$ 5,276,524     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     TOTAL MARGINS   \$ 24,674   \$ 405,535     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     Litlity Plant   \$ 54,775,299   \$ 56,268,805     Other Property & Investments   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   225,381   239,444     Prepayments   66,555   87,936     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL   \$ 3,171,366   \$ 2,980,698     Deferred Debits   711,135   574,980     TOTAL ASSETS   \$ 66,525   \$ 7,486,495     LIABILITIES   \$ 27,723,808   \$ 28,145,239     Long-Term Debt   36,048,429   35,145,901     Current Liabilities   2,452,165   4,195,355	TOTAL		11,580,314	\$	12,235,726	-			
Consumer Accounts     945,544     857,922       Administrative & General     1,112,833     1,349,286       IOTAL     \$ 5,222,406     \$ 5,276,524       TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES     \$ 16,802,720     \$ 17,512,250       S     24,674     \$ 405,535       Balance Sheet     2017     2018       Consumer Accounts       Administrative & General       TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES     \$ 16,802,720     \$ 17,512,250       Balance Sheet     2017     2018       Current Assets       Other Property & Investments     7,566,535     7,662,012       Current Assets     2,319,143     2,175,267       Materials     225,381     239,444       Prepayments     66,555     87,936       Other current & Accrued Assets     4,552     5,418       IOTAL     \$ 3,171,366     \$ 2,980,698       Deferred Debits     711,135     574,980       TOTAL ASSETS     \$ 66,525     \$ 67,486,495       IABILITIES     \$ 2,723,808     \$ 28,145,239       Deferred Debits	Expenses Controlled by SWRE					-			
Administrative & General   1,112,833   1,349,286     TOTAL   \$ 5,222,406   \$ 5,276,524     TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     TOTAL MARGINS   \$ 24,674   \$ 405,535     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     LUtility Plant   \$ 54,775,299   \$ 56,268,805     Other Property & Investments   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   22,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   225,381   2,39,444     Prepayments   66,555   87,936     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL ASSETS   2,175,267   8     Deferred Debits   7,11,356   \$ 2,980,698     Deferred Debits   7,11,135   574,980     TOTAL ASSETS   \$ 66,224,335   \$ 67,486,495     LIABILITIES   2,7723,808   \$ 28,145,239     Long-Term Debt   36,048,429   35,145,901     Current Liabilities   2,452,165   4,195,355	Operation & Maintenance	\$	3,164,029	\$	3,069,316				
State     State     State     State       TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES TOTAL MARGINS     State     10,802,720     State     10,512,250       Balance Sheet     24,674     State     405,535       Balance Sheet     2017     2018       Automation of the property & Investments       Cash & Temp Cash Investments     55,735     56,268,805       Other Property & Investments     555,735     472,633       Receivables     2,319,143     2,175,267       Materials     2225,381     2,39,444       Prepayments     66,555     87,936       Other current & Accrued Assets     4,552     5,418       TOTAL ASSETS     3,171,366     \$     2,980,698       Deferred Debits     711,135     574,980     \$       TOTAL ASSETS     \$     66,224,335     \$     67,486,495       TOTAL ASSETS     \$     66,224,335     \$     2,8145,239       Deferred Debits     711,135     574,980     \$     2,8145,239       Information & Equities     \$     2,7723,808     \$     2	Consumer Accounts		945,544		857,922				
TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES   \$ 16,802,720   \$ 17,512,250     Solution   \$ 24,674   \$ 405,535     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     ASSETS     Utility Plant   \$ 54,775,299   \$ 56,268,805     Other Property & Investments   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   2017   2018     Cash & Temp Cash Investments   555,735   472,633     Receivables   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   225,381   239,444     Prepayments   66,555   87,936     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL ASSETS   \$ 3,171,366   \$ 2,980,698     Deferred Debits   711,135   574,980     TOTAL ASSETS   \$ 66,224,335   \$ 67,486,495     LIABILITIES   \$ 27,723,808   \$ 28,145,239     Long-Term Debt   36,048,429   35,145,901     Current Liabilities   2,452,165   4,195,355	Administrative & General		1,112,833		1,349,286				
TOTAL MARGINS   \$   24,674   \$   405,535     Balance Sheet   2017   2018     ASSETS   2019   \$   56,268,805     Utility Plant   \$   54,775,299   \$   56,268,805     Other Property & Investments   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   7,566,535   7,662,012     Current Assets   2,319,143   2,175,267     Materials   225,381   2,39,444     Prepayments   66,555   87,936     Other current & Accrued Assets   4,552   5,418     TOTAL   \$   3,171,163   \$   574,980     Deferred Debits   711,135   574,980   \$   66,224,335   \$   67,486,495     LIABILITIES   \$   27,723,808   \$   28,145,239   28,145,239     Long-Term Debt   36,048,429   35,145,901   21,45,355   4,195,355	TOTAL	\$	5,222,406	\$	5,276,524				
Balance Sheet     2017     2018       ASSETS       Utility Plant     \$     54,775,299     \$     56,268,805       Other Property & Investments     7,566,535     7,662,012       Current Assets     7,566,535     7,662,012       Cash & Temp Cash Investments     555,735     472,633       Receivables     2,319,143     2,175,267       Materials     225,381     2,39,444       Prepayments     66,555     87,936       Other current & Accrued Assets     4,552     5,418       TOTAL     \$     3,171,366     \$     2,980,698       Deferred Debits     711,135     574,980     \$     66,224,335     \$     67,486,495       TOTAL ASSETS     \$     66,224,335     \$     67,486,495     54,145,239       LIABILITIES     *     7,723,808     \$     2,8,145,239     2,9,145,901       Long-Term Debt     2,452,165     4,195,355     4,195,355     5,145,901	TOTAL COST ELECTRIC SERVICES		16,802,720	\$	17,512,250	-			
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## SWRE By-Law Updates to be Considered

As you are aware, the SWRE Board of Trustees continuously seeks opportunities to better serve you, the member/owners. As a part of this effort, the Board of Trustees periodically reviews membership data including the apportionment of districts. As a result, the Board of Trustees is recommending a reduction in the number of districts served from nine to seven as well as the reapportionment of each of the seven districts. This recommendation requires a By-Law amendment that must be approved by you the member/owners, by vote at our Annual Meeting in August.

I always want to try to answer the "why" question. So, why make this change? First, advances in technology and communication systems allow for a smaller board size without jeopardizing individualized representation or the overall quality of governance. Second, the average number of board members for electric cooperatives our size across the region and country is seven. Finally, these changes align with the Board of Trustees ongoing mission of maintaining the lowest possible rates.

As I'm sure you can imagine, a great deal of time, effort, and thoughtful consideration has been given to this process to ensure equitable representation of the membership, including the number of members per district and geographic boundaries. You should feel confident that your Board of Trustees, Staff and Management will continue to represent you and your needs with the same commitment you have come to expect.

These By-Law updates will be presented to the membership during SWRE's Annual Meeting. A quorum of SWRE's membership is required to make any amendment, therefore I sincerely hope you will make every effort to attend the Annual Meeting, exercise your rights as a member/owner, and vote in support of this By-Law amendment recommendation.

The Annual Meeting will be held at Western Oklahoma State College in Altus, Oklahoma, on August 29, 2019. For more details on the schedule for the annual meeting see page 3.

The proposed updates are shown in red on the following page. The complete SWRE By-Laws are available on www.swre.com or at the main office in Tipton, Oklahoma.

> Ken Simmons Manager/CEO

#### **CEO** Message



#### Manager/CEO, Ken Simmons

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### SWRE By-Law Updates to be Considered

#### ARTICLE IV TRUSTEES

#### SECTION 1 OF ARTICLE IV GENERAL POWERS

I. The business and affairs of the cooperative shall be directed by a board of seven trustees who shall exercise all of the powers of the cooperative except such as are by law, the articles of incorporation or these bylaws conferred upon or reserved to the members.

#### SECTION 2 OF ARTICLE IV VOTING DISTRICTS

I. The territory served or to be served by the cooperative shall be divided into seven districts, each of which shall contain approximately the same number of members. Each district shall be represented by one trustee. The seven districts shall be as follows:

A. District No.1: Beginning at the southeast corner of Section 36, Township 1 North, Range 16 West of the Indian Meridian, thence West 22 miles to a point on the Northfork of the Red River; thence upstream in a generally northern direction to a point at the southern boundary of Section 36, Township 5 North, Range 19 West I.M.; thence north approximately one-half mile to the northern boundary of the SWRE service area; thence easterly and southerly along those respective SWRE boundaries to the point of beginning.

B. District No.2: Everything west of the North Fork of Red River, east of a line beginning at the north-west corner of Section 2, Township 4 North, Range 20 West of the I.M. and extending south 15 miles to the southwest corner of Section 14, Township 2 North, Range 20 West I.M.; thence east approximately 10.5 miles to the North Fork of the Red River.

C. District No.3: All of the SWRE service area west and north of a line described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of Section 15, Township 4 North, Range 20 West; thence south 12.5 miles to the southeast corner of Section 15, Township 2 North, Range 20 West; thence West approximately 7.25 miles to the Salt Fork of the Red River.

#### D. District No.4: Reapportioned

E. District No.5: All of the remaining SWRE service areas in Oklahoma not included in Districts 1 through 3, inclusive, further described as all of the SWRE service area in Oklahoma south and east of a line described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 1, Township 1 South, Range 16 West I.M.; thence west 22.5 miles; thence North upstream on the Northfork of Red river to Northwest corner of Section 21, Township 2 North, Range 18 West; thence West 17.5 miles to the Saltfork of Red River; thence South along Salt Fork to Red River: thence South and East along Red River to Eastern boundary in Oklahoma.

F. District No. 6: Everything West and South of a line beginning at a point on the intersection of the South boundary of cooperative territory 1 mile south of the intersection of CR 1763 and U.S. Highway No.183; thence North along the Centerline of U.S. Highway No 183 to the Centerline of U.S. Highway No 287; thence west along the U.S. Highway No 287 to a point on the Pease River; thence Westerly along the Pease River to the Western Boundary in Texas.

G. District No.7: Everything West and North of a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the south bank of Red River intersects with U.S. Highway 183; thence Southerly along the U.S. Highway No.183 to the U.S. Highway No. 287 intersection; thence westerly along the U.S. Highway No. 287 to a point on the Pease River; thence Southwesterly along the Pease River to the western boundary of the cooperative in Texas.

H. District No.8: Everything East and South of a line beginning at a point on the intersection of the South boundary of cooperative territory 1 mile south of intersection of CR 1763 and U.S. Highway No.183; thence North along the Centerline of U.S. Highway No 183 to the Centerline of U.S. Highway No 287; thence East along U.S. Highway No.287 to the intersection of U.S. Highway No. 183; thence North to the Red River; thence East along the Red River to the Eastern boundary of the cooperative in Texas.

I. District No.9: Reapportioned

II. Not less than 60 days before any district meeting of members at which trustees are to be elected, the board of trustees shall, if such action is considered necessary or desirable by it, reapportion the various districts following in so far as possible county and township lines in doing so.

#### SECTION 3 OF ARTICLE IV ELECTION OF TRUSTEES BY DISTRICTS

I. Trustees shall be divided into three groups. Trustees representing district 1 and 7 shall be elected in a given year. Those trustees representing Districts 2, 5 and 8 shall be elected in the next succeeding year. Those trustees representing districts 3 and 6 shall be elected in the next subsequent year and thereafter in that sequence.

