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From the Manager

e are continuing our new column this month with our Co-op Connections Corner spotlighting local businesses that partner with us to give our membership discounts on goods and services. Our co-op Connections Card has gone digital, with a new app available on Apple and Android devices. With the new app, you can search for local discounts, book hotel and concert reservations through iBennie, receive prescription discounts, earn cash back and more! We encourage our members to download the app and start saving today. If you are a local business that would like to take part in this free program, please email us at CoopConnections@ceci.coop. We look forward to working with you!

As a member of Clay Electric Co-operative, you are more than just a customer. As a member, you enjoy benefits that other electric consumers do not. One of those is the

payment of capital credits. CECI is a not-for-profit electric cooperative, which means that when we register a profit at the end of the year, we record it and give that money back to the members that paid it. We paid back multiple years' worth of capital credits last year and look to maintain that trend moving forward. We are on track to get caught up with capital credit retirements and get your money back to you, but we need your help. In this issue of Illinois Country Living, you will find a list of unclaimed capital credits. If you see someone on the list that you know, please tell them to contact the office. That way, we can get their refund to them.

I would like to take a moment to express my appreciation to our linemen and line clearance personnel. The hard work of our linemen and the success of our tree trimming program has greatly increased the

reliability of our system. The efforts of our crews has led to fewer blinks and outages across the system that brings a better quality of power to our membership. 13907-001

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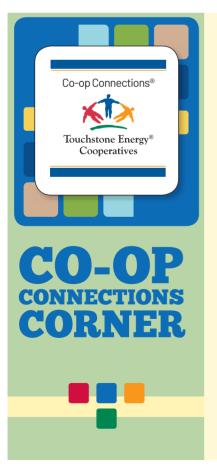
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