

# THE MPPD MINUTE

QUARTERLY NEWS BRIEFS FROM MCCOOK PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT



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## Jim P. Phinney Memorial Scholarship Recipients



McCook Public Power District in conjunction with Patty Phinney offer a \$500 scholarship to utility line college students in memory of Jim Phinney. Jim began his career at MPPD in 1961 as a lineman and worked his way up the ranks to become the General Manager, retiring in 2013 after 52 years of service.

This years scholarship recipients are Kameron Meixner and Garrett Latimer, both second year students in the Utility Line Program at Northeast Community College. Latimer and Meixner recently completed their summer internship with MPPD.

In order to be considered for this scholarship, applicant must be a MPPD consumer, a child of a MPPD consumer, or a current resident of the MPPD service area. Applicant must complete one year of the utility line program successfully at an accredited college prior to applying for the Jim P. Phinney scholarship.

## Thinking Solar?

Your local public power utility has got you covered.

Don't be misled by aggressive sales tactics. Contact your local public power utility. They can step you through the solar process, including:

-  1 Discussing solar options currently available.
-  2 Determining if you are a good fit for solar.
-  3 Discussing real costs and return on investment.
-  4 Discussing rates if you choose to install solar.
-  5 Helping you find a knowledgeable installer.
-  6 Being there for you after your installation.

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 DO'S	 DON'TS
<b>DO</b> evaluate your home's current energy usage.	<b>DON'T</b> give in to high-pressure sales tactics.
<b>DO</b> contact your local public power utility first before signing any contract.	<b>DON'T</b> assume your home is a good fit for solar.
<b>DO</b> get multiple quotes from your installers.	<b>DON'T</b> believe the cost savings and benefits without visiting with your local utility.