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Jackson Energy Authority Receives Award for Community Service

Jackson Energy Authority was awarded the TMEPA (Tennessee Municipal Electric Power Association) community service award recently at the annual meeting of the statewide association in Pigeon Forge, TN.

This prestigious award is given to a recipient in each of three groups based on the number of electric meters (small system, mid-sized system and large system) and based on certain criteria. First, is achievement or sustained performance showing the commitment of the member and its employees to enhancing the quality of life in its community, both as an organization and employee involvement, through social, cultural, educational or economic environment.

Second is a continuous, diligent effort on the part of the system to enhance the prestige of Public Power, to maintain involvement with TMEPA and to provide consistent, outstanding customer service, quality of service and system improvement.

Jackson Energy Authority has a highly active workforce dedicated to serving in various ways for non-profit organizations, service clubs, schools and colleges, local associations, national organizations, the Chamber of Commerce, economic development and more. While a large percentage of employees serve on committees or boards, others graciously give of their time, talents and expertise.

“Components that make up a solid, vibrant community not only include exceptional utility services, but also the stability of a community partner. Our employees know that by supporting and investing in our community, we are helping to make it stronger and better prepared for the future,” said Jim Ferrell, CEO, Jackson Energy Authority. “This award is for our employees and their efforts and I am proud of them,” he said.

Tennessee Municipal Electric Power Association (TMEPA) is a membership association of all 60 municipal electric power providers of Tennessee serving over 2,000,000 million homes and businesses representing over 70% total electric customers in the state.

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