

# CURRENT NEWS

## What's Happening



### JULY 3

Offices are closed in observance of Independence Day



### JULY 22

Co-op Day at the ND State Fair

Thank you for joining us at our 2026 Annual Meeting!

## Cooperative happenings

### Discounts offered for Medora

We are offering our members a discount to Medora sites, lodging and activities. Call 1-800-MEDORA-1 and give the discount code of "TOUCH2026" for a 15% discount on various Medora activities during any night of the season. The code is good for reservations over the phone, online or in person. Visit our website for details.

### Report an outage by text message

If you are a SmartHub user, you can report outages by text message. If your account includes only one electric meter or service location – such as a home or business – you can report an outage by texting OUT to 844-955-2714.

### RDFC grant funds available

The Rural Development Finance Corporation (RDFC) announced it has approved a 2026 grant allotment of \$2,000 to KEM Electric to be used to support community-owned entities, nonprofits and community-based projects. Read more at [www.kemelectric.com](http://www.kemelectric.com) on our RDFC webpage.

Read this month's issue of North Dakota Living and more by scanning the QR code or visiting our website.



# BE CYBER SAFE



## VERIFY THE SOURCE

Always verify the source of any communication by contacting KEM Electric Cooperative directly using a trusted phone number or website. Ask for identification or a callback number if someone claims to be from our cooperative.



## RED FLAGS

Be wary of grammar and spelling errors, generic greetings and unusual payment methods (like gift cards).



## RECOGNIZE SCAM TACTICS

KEM Electric will not demand immediate payment over the phone or via prepaid cards. Be cautious of threats of immediate service disconnection if payment isn't made. KEM Electric will provide multiple notices before taking such action.



## REPORT ANY SCAMS

Report any suspicious utility related scams to KEM Electric at 701-254-4666 or 1-800-472-2673.



## STAY INFORMED

Keep updated on common scam tactics and warnings issued by KEM Electric and consumer protection agencies.