

Candidate Packets Available June 16th for

Director Positions

Calendar Dates:

June 16

Director Election Packet pick up for District 3 and District 7. To see which district you belong to, simply visit <https://nueceselectric.org/about-us/board-directors>, click on the district map and type in your address.

July 30

Director Petitions to be returned to the co-op

August 10

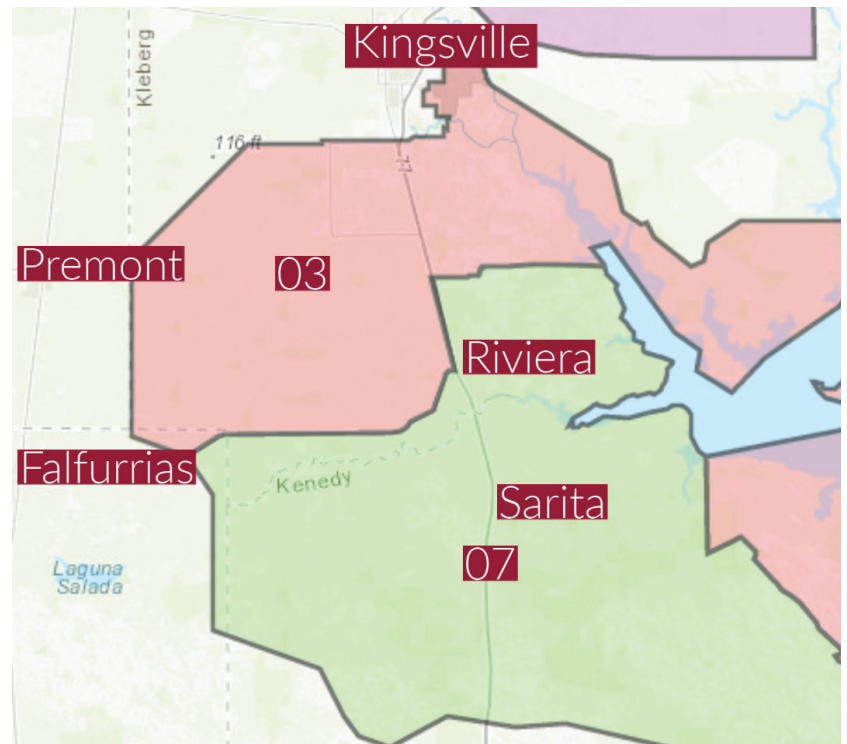
Verification of Petition Signatures by Exec. Secretary

August 23-25

Last Day Primary Election/Meeting (if necessary)

October 14

Annual Meeting at Richard M. Borchard Fairgrounds



Beginning Wednesday, June 16, 2021, any eligible NEC member who wants to be a candidate for co-op director for districts 3 and 7 can pick up a petition and instructions at the NEC office in Calallen at 14353 Cooperative Ave. Candidates must have their primary residence in the district in which they are running. The deadline for the return of these petitions is 5:00 p.m. on Friday July 30, 2021.

Get Ready for Hurricane Season

June 1 marks the official start of the hurricane season with the peak storm threat occurring from mid-August to late October. Nueces Electric Cooperative wants you to be prepared in the event a dangerous storm. Keep your family safe with these handy tips.

Before the storm

- * Put together an emergency kit and plan. Communicate the plan with family.
- * Know the elevation level of your property and whether the land is flood-prone. * This will help you prepare for the storm surge and any tidal flooding.
- * Secure your home: cover all windows with either storm shutters or boards, clear loose and clogged rain gutters, and bring all outdoor furniture indoors.
- * Learn your community hurricane evacuation routes.
- * It is important for NEC to have your up to date contact information. Call us at 361-387-2581 and update your mailing address, phone number, or email.

During the storm

- * Listen to the radio or TV for information, if possible.
- * Avoid using the phone, unless there is an emergency.
- * Turn off utilities if instructed to do so. Otherwise, keep the refrigerator thermostat on the coldest setting and keep the doors closed.

After the storm

- * Keep away from loose or dangling power lines and report them immediately to NEC.
- * Drive only if necessary and avoid flooded roads. Watch out for fallen objects, downed power lines and weakened walls, bridges or sidewalks.
- * **NEVER** use a generator inside homes, garages, crawl spaces, sheds or similar areas. Deadly levels of carbon monoxide can quickly build up in these areas.

For more tips on planning before, during, and after the storm, visit ready.gov/hurricanes.

Hurricane Preparedness Guidelines

Hurricane Season is June 1–November 30

PREPAREDNESS CHECKLIST:

- * Make an evacuation plan. Find activated evacuation routes at DriveTexas.org or by dialing 1-800-452-9292. Call 211 to find out if you live in an evacuation zone.
- * Sign up for emergency alerts. Make sure your mobile device is enabled to receive Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEAs).
- * Prepare an emergency supply kit. Learn how to build an emergency kit at ready.gov/build-a-kit.
- * Review your home insurance policy.
- * Register with State of Texas Emergency Assistance Registry (STEAR) at stear.tdem.texas.gov/ or by dialing 211 if you live in an evacuation zone and:
 - Have a disability or medical needs and do not have a car or other vehicle to use in an evacuation.
 - Have a disability or medical needs and do not have friends or family to help in an evacuation.

Information collected for STEAR is confidential.

HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS ONLINE RESOURCES

Texas Division of Emergency Management: tdem.texas.gov

Texas Department of State Health Services: texasready.gov

American Red Cross: redcross.org

U.S. Department of Homeland Security: ready.gov

Office of Texas Governor Greg Abbott: gov.texas.gov

DIVISIÓN DE ADMINISTRACIÓN DE EMERGENCIAS DE TEXAS

Directrices para Huracanes

La temporada de huracanes es del 1 de junio al 30 de noviembre

LISTA DE VERIFICACIÓN DE PREPARACIÓN:

- * Haga un plan de evacuación. Encuentre rutas de evacuación activadas en DriveTexas.org o marcando 1-800-452-9292. Llame 211 para averiguar si usted vive en una zona de evacuación.
- * Regístrese para recibir alertas de emergencia. Asegúrese de que su dispositivo móvil esté habilitado para recibir Alertas de emergencia inalámbricas (WEAs).
- * Prepare un kit de emergencia. Aprenda como construir un kit de emergencia en ready.gov/build-a-kit.
- * Revise su póliza de seguro de hogar.
- * Regístrese con el Registro de Asistencia de Emergencia del Estado de Texas (STEAR) en stear.tdem.texas.gov/ o marcando el 211 si vive en una zona de evacuación y:
 - Tiene una discapacidad o necesidades médicas y no tiene un auto u otro vehículo para usar en una evacuación.
 - Tiene una discapacidad o necesidades médicas y no tiene amigos o familiares para ayudaren una evacuación.

La información recolectada para STEAR es confidencial.

RECURSOS EN LÍNEA PARA LA PREPARACIÓN PARA HURACANES

División de Administración de Emergencias de Texas: tdem.texas.gov

Departamento de Servicios de Salud del Estado: texasready.gov

Cruz Roja Americana: redcross.org

Departamento de Seguridad Nacional de los Estados Unidos: ready.gov

Oficina del Gobernador de Texas Greg Abbott: gov.texas.gov