



Daviess-Martin County

REMC

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OFFICE HOURS

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SERVICE INTERRUPTIONS

To report an outage or emergency, call 812-295-4200 or 800-762-7362 day or night.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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MONTHLY MEETING

Tuesday, Aug. 25 at 7 p.m.

Daviess-Martin County REMC office

BILL PAYMENT OPTIONS

SmartHub – online bill payment system

Budget billing

Auto bank draft

Drive-thru window

Night depository

Credit card payment (VISA,

Discover, and MasterCard accepted)

Pay-by-phone: 855-951-3760

MISSION STATEMENT

"Our mission is to provide safe, reliable electricity and quality services for our members at a reasonable cost."

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Remembering Larry Brochin

A LEGACY OF SERVICE TO REMC AND BEYOND

Daviess-Martin County REMC has proudly served our members for nearly a century. During that time, many dedicated employees have devoted their careers to keeping the lights on in our communities. Among the many dedicated employees who have served our cooperative, one name continues to stand out: Robert Lawrence Brochin, better known to most as Larry.

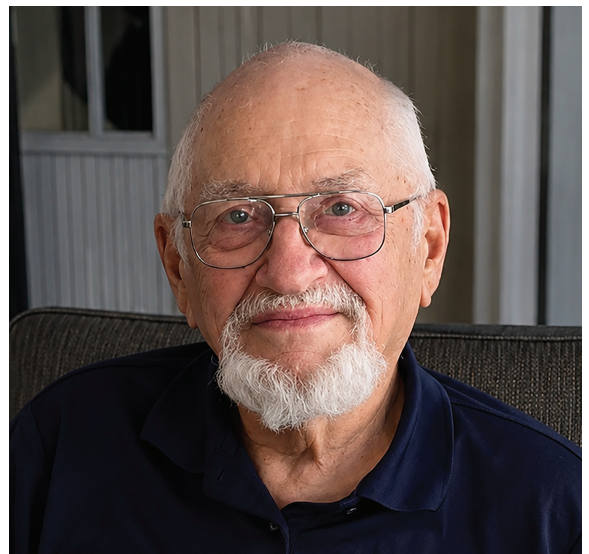
Larry was a proud patriot who honorably served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps. After returning to civilian life, he began what would become a long and distinguished career with Daviess-Martin County REMC. He started as a lineman in 1966 and worked his way into management before retiring in 2002 after 36 years of dedicated service.

Larry's commitment to serving others extended well beyond his career at the cooperative. He had a passion for mentoring young people and spent many years coaching cross-country at Washington Catholic High School and girls' middle school basketball. Those who knew him best

described him as always willing to lend a helping hand and volunteer whenever needed.

On June 14, 2026, Larry passed away at the age of 86 in Washington, Indiana. He was a longtime member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, a Fourth Degree Knight of Columbus, and a member of the IBEW. Throughout his life, he exemplified dedication, service, and integrity.

His contributions, strong work ethic, and unwavering commitment to our members helped shape Daviess-Martin County REMC into the cooperative it is today. His legacy will live on through the countless lives he touched, and his service to our country, cooperative, and community will not be forgotten.



DAVISS-MARTIN COUNTY REMC COMPLETES ANNUAL BUCKET AND POLE-TOP RESCUE TRAINING

Linemen with Daviess-Martin County REMC recently sharpened their safety skills during our cooperative's annual bucket and pole-top rescue training.

With temperatures near 90 degrees and high humidity, each lineman took turns performing both types of rescues in an impressive display of skill, stamina, and industry knowledge.

What is a pole-top rescue?

The purpose of pole-top rescue training is simple: to prepare linemen to respond if a co-worker is ever injured or incapacitated while working on a utility pole. It is a situation no one wants to face, but practicing these rescue procedures each year helps ensure crews are ready when it matters most.

As part of the training, each lineman is required to conduct a mock radio call to notify headquarters and emergency medical personnel of an on-the-job incident.

After radioing for assistance and communicating that a pole-top rescue is underway, the lineman climbs the pole, secures the incapacitated individual — in this case, a weighted, life-size training dummy — and safely lowers them to the ground using rope rescue techniques.

What is a bucket rescue?

Like a pole-top rescue, this situation involves an injured co-worker. However, instead of being incapacitated on a utility pole, the individual is in a bucket used to transport linemen to elevated work areas.

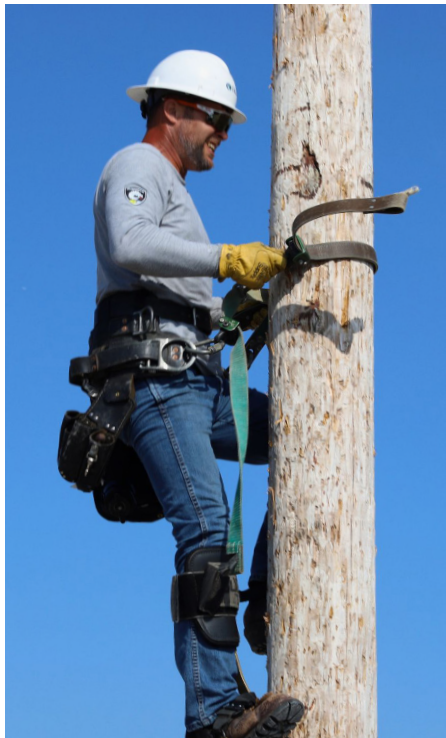
In this portion of the training, linemen are required to make a similar radio call before beginning the rescue. Following the mock transmission, each lineman takes turns operating the bucket truck controls to lower the training dummy to the ground. The bucket is then tilted to a position that allows the dummy to be safely removed.



Ten individuals from Daviess-Martin County REMC participated in this annual training, with each completing their rescues well within the required time frame. We are fortunate to have such an incredible crew on our team.



Ryan Dant
Chief Executive Officer



Daviess-Martin County REMC linemen complete their annual pole-top and bucket rescue training under the supervision of DMREMC management and a representative from Indiana Electric Cooperatives (IEC).



Your chance to win \$50

In each issue of the magazine, Daviess-Martin County REMC asks our readers three questions. The answers can be found in the articles of Indiana Connection. Clip the coupon below along the dotted line. Fill it out and return it to our office with your monthly payment before the 20th of the month. *(Delinquent members are not eligible.)*

Each month, a winner will be drawn from the entries submitted. Make sure you bring or mail in your most recent coupon as the coupons are dated monthly. Copies will not be accepted, and coupons are not available at the office! Winners will be notified and their names will be published in a subsequent issue of Indiana Connection.

JUNE WINNER: Rhonda Hughes

For bills dated the 5th of the month and paid by the 20th.

1. Sue Graber has worked for Daviess-Martin County REMC for a total of ____ years.
2. Daviess-Martin County REMC linemen recently participated in their annual ____ and ____ rescue training.
3. Larry Brochin retired from Daviess-Martin County REMC in the year ____.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ACCOUNT NO.: _____

PHONE NO.: _____

- ☐ I would like to round my monthly bill up to the next whole dollar for Operation Round Up.
- ☐ I am already signed up for Operation Round Up.

Employee anniversaries

We're proud to recognize the following employees for their years of service at Daviess-Martin County REMC. Their dedication is essential to delivering reliable, high-quality service to our members.



SUE GRABER
Aug. 5 | 41 Years



JARRETT ARVIN
Aug. 15 | 4 Years

Serving you is our privilege – let's celebrate!

Daviess-Martin County REMC will hold our annual Member Appreciation Day on Thursday, Oct. 8, 2026. All members are invited to stop by our headquarters to enjoy a free lunch, enter to win incredible prizes, and spend time getting to know the folks who keep the lights on each and every day.

This year, Zax Creamery will also be on hand, offering members complimentary coffee and ice cream. Come treat yourself as we say thank you to all of our members!

