

Date: December 29, 2024

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Central Electric Continues Restoration Efforts

Significant progress has been made in power restoration efforts. Crews continue to work in each district restoring power as quickly and safely as possible. There is damage to many lines due to the severe weather along with approximately 35 broken poles.

Outside assistance arrived this afternoon from Alcorn Electric Power Association in Mississippi and C & L Electric Cooperative Corporation in Arkansas.

As of 5:30 p.m., Central Electric Power Association has 533 members without electric service. Outages by county are:

Leake – 27

Attala – 1

Neshoba – 4

Newton – 23

Rankin – 232

Scott - 246

To report an outage, please visit www.centralepa.com and click on Report an Outage or call (601) 267-3043.

As a safety reminder, please stay away from downed power lines. We ask for your patience during this time as we work to restore power to our members.

Please visit www.centralepa.com or tune in to Kicks 96.7 or www.kicks96news.com for outage information.

Central Electric Power Association serves over 38,000 accounts in a seven-county area in central Mississippi, including Attala, Kemper, Leake, Neshoba, Newton, Rankin and Scott counties.