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ENERGYUNITED WORKING TO RESTORE POWER FROM WINTER STORM

STATESVILLE, N.C. – Due to ice accumulation on power lines and trees, we are experiencing widespread outages across a large portion of our service territory. EnergyUnited linemen and contractors are currently working to restore power to more than 8,000 members. Fourteen additional crews from other North Carolina Electric Cooperatives are also assisting with our power restoration efforts. Restoring power quickly and safely to our members is the cooperative's highest priority.

- To report an outage call **1-800-EUNITED (1-800-386-4833)**
- Real-time outage numbers can be found on our [Outage Map](#).
- Visit our [Storm Center Page](#) for important up-to-date information.

EnergyUnited will also provide updates on its social media channels to keep customers informed:

- EnergyUnited on Facebook: www.facebook.com/EnergyUnited
- EnergyUnited on Twitter: www.twitter.com/EnergyUnited

It is important to remember to stay away from downed or sparking power lines. If you see a line lying on the ground, assume it is energized and deadly. Call our customer care center at 1-800-522-3793 to report the situation. In the event of a major outage, rest assured that our crews will be working around the clock to restore power. As always, safety is our number one priority as we work to restore power.

EnergyUnited wants you and your family to remain safe. If you are using a portable generator, remember to never use it indoors and to place it in a dry, well-ventilated area away from your home. Generators should not be connected to a home's wiring system, fuse box or circuit breaker unless a qualified electrician has installed a transfer switch between the generator and utility power in compliance with all state and local electrical codes.

About EnergyUnited EnergyUnited Electric Membership Corporation (EMC) is the largest electric cooperative in North Carolina serving nearly 130,000 metering points. Headquartered in Statesville, EnergyUnited provides electric service in portions of nineteen counties in west central North Carolina which include Alexander, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Catawba, Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Gaston, Guilford, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Montgomery, Randolph, Rockingham, Rowan, Stokes, Wilkes and Yadkin. EnergyUnited Propane provides products and services to more than 25,000 residential, commercial and industrial customers in 74 counties across North and South Carolina. Visit EnergyUnited online at www.energyunited.com to learn more about our electric and propane businesses.