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October 21, 2025

Huntsville (AL) @HSVUtilities: Another #RibbonRun is in the books! As always, several of our employees laced up & joined in, while others worked one of the water tables along the route. Thanks to all who took part in this Huntsville tradition for a great cause! #PublicPower #BreastCancerAwareness

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LATEST EPISODE
Benefits of APPA Membership, Advocacy Efforts Detailed by APPA's Jeff Haas

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RELIABILITY

ID Marks Completion of Key Infrastructure Upgrades at Westmorland Substation

The Imperial Irrigation District recently celebrated the completion of a major upgrade project at its main substation in Westmorland, Calif., enhancing energy system reliability and resiliency to serve its power customers long into the future, the California public power utility said on Oct. 9.

Headline Leaderboard
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Benefits of APPA Membership, Advocacy Efforts Detailed by APPA's Jeff Haas

In the latest episode of Public Power Now, Jeff Haas, Senior Vice President for Membership and Marketing at APPA, discusses the benefits of being a member of APPA and details how advocacy is a cornerstone of APPA's work.

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Navigating AI and NERC Standards in Operations
AI promises major gains in efficiency and risk reduction, but its use in critical infrastructure raises governance and serious compliance questions. This webinar explores how utilities can responsibly deploy AI in control rooms by integrating automation with operator judgment to enhance grid reliability and prepare for future regulatory expectations.

Second Placement Summary

WORKFORCE

Academy at Manitowoc Public Utilities Focuses on Succession Planning, Employee Development

Wisconsin public power utility Manitowoc Public Utilities has created an Academy for its employees that focuses on succession planning and employee development.

Video
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FROM THE MAGAZINE

What Does APPA Mean to Public Power Utilities?

From the past to the present, the American Public Power Association has existed to support and advance the operation of community-owned electric utilities. Here's what leaders at long-time members say they value about having a national association for public power.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Santee Cooper Announces Class for Program that Offers Behind-the-Scenes Look at Utility

Santee Cooper has selected 13 participants for the 2025-2026 ENVOY class, an outreach and education program that offers a comprehensive, behind-the-scenes look at the public power utility's operations and responsibilities across South Carolina.

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Registration is Open for the 2026 Joint Action Conference (Jan. 11 - 13)

Join us in Destin, Florida for the Joint Action Conference—a premier leadership event designed for CEOs and senior management of joint action agencies and state associations, their board members and commissioners, and public power utilities. Hear from experts, catch up with colleagues and friends, and share your perspectives on the new and evolving challenges facing joint action agencies and public power utilities. Register by December 15 to secure the best rates!

IN-PERSON EVENTS

Customer Connections Conference
Salt Lake City, Utah
Nov. 2-5, 2025

Joint Action Conference
Destin, Florida
Jan. 11-13, 2026

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Underground Distribution Systems
Virtual Series
Sept. 23-Nov. 6, 2025

Powerful Strategies for Leaders
Virtual Series
Oct. 16-Nov. 6, 2025

Advanced Public Utility Accounting
Virtual Course
Oct. 28-Nov. 5, 2025

Fundamentals of EPC Contracts for Energy Projects
Virtual Series
Nov. 4-12, 2025

REMINDERS & DEADLINES

2024 Public Power Performance Indicators Survey
November 20, 2025

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Electric Production Engineering Supervisor
Holland Board of Public Works

Energy Data Analyst
ElectriCities of North Carolina

Apprentice Lineworker I-IV
ElectriCities of North Carolina

Associate Engineer - Energy Resources
Merced Irrigation District

Electric Utilities Director
Morganton, NC

Utility Supervisor IV
City of Naperville

General Manager
Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority

T&D Innovation & Asset Management Lead
City of Tacoma

Electric Utilities Director
Town of Apex

Distribution Planner
Merced Irrigation District

Director of Power Supply Planning
Long Island Power Authority

Energy Center I Plant Manager
Kentucky Municipal Energy Agency

General Manager
Eugene Water & Electric Board

Apprentice I - Journey Lineworker
ElectriCities of North Carolina

Public Utilities Director
The City of New Ulm, MN

Electrical Engineer
Provo City Power

Telecom Business Manager
City of Ellensburg

Wholesale Operations Administrator
ElectriCities of North Carolina

Manager of Distribution Engineering
Kissimmee Utility Authority

Senior Engineer - Transmission and Distribution
Huntsville Utilities

VENDOR OPPORTUNITIES

PR-03-26 Liquid Propane Gas (LPG) Territorial RFP
Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority

Frankfort Plant Board Power Supply RFP
Frankfort Plant Board

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