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Plateau Annual Meeting Highlights Leadership and Community

The Plateau Annual Membership Meeting brought together members, board leaders, and special guests for a day of community engagement and celebration of the Cooperative's achievements. A central focus of the meeting was the election of Board members. Mabel Flores was re-elected to Position 9, representing Districts 9, 10, and 11; Milo Aragon was re-elected to Position 10, also representing Districts 9, 10, and 11; and Leland Harral was re-elected to Position 12, representing District 12. New members were also welcomed to the Board, including Donny Estrada, who was elected to Position 6, representing Districts 6, 7, and 8; Bruce Scott, who was elected to Position 8, representing the same districts; and LaDonna Sorrels, who was elected to Position 13, representing Districts 3 and 13.

The meeting opened with the Clovis High School Honor Guard, who presented the colors, followed by a performance of the National Anthem by The Praise Quartet. Curry County Commissioner Seth Martin delivered a thoughtful opening address. During the event, Board President Frank Garnett announced the retirement of Director Shirley Carter, who has served Districts 6, 7, and 8 on the Board of Directors since 1997. Her nearly three decades of dedication were honored with heartfelt appreciation from the membership and fellow Board members.

Katelynn Wright, a 2019 Banner and 2022 Tom M. Phelps scholarship recipient, shared how the scholarships allowed her to graduate from college debt-free and offered advice and encouragement to the 2025 scholarship recipients, who were also announced during the meeting.

Members in attendance heard reports from Board President Frank Garnett, CEO Launa Waller, and CFO Kim Johnson, who detailed the successes of 2024 and shared promising opportunities for 2025. To ensure inclusive participation, members could attend the meeting remotely through two-way conferencing at sites in Clayton, Logan, and Santa Rosa.

Each registered member received a gift and was eligible for a door prize. Following the business portion of the meeting, attendees enjoyed a lunch provided by the Clovis Civic Center, fostering a sense of community and camaraderie among all who participated.



Donny Estrada



LaDonna Sorrels



Bruce Scott



Leland Harral



Mabel Flores



Milo Aragon



The Education Foundation has long aimed to enhance educational prospects for young people in the Cooperative service area. Since 1993, it has distributed more than \$2 million in scholarships and grants to deserving students in our rural communities.

2025 Scholarship Recipients

\$8,000 Robert M. Harris Memorial Scholarships

Allison Joy Sleep – Fort Sumner HS Emmarie Faith Casaus – Fort Sumner HS
Natalie Brynn Smith – Roy HS

\$8,000 Evelyn Patterson Memorial Scholarships

Ayden Jimmy Clavel – Roy HS Tristan Paul Seratt – Farwell HS
Brooke Ann Layton – Fort Sumner HS

\$8,000 Larry Wallin Memorial Scholarships

Allyssa Daniell Casaus – Fort Sumner HS Sadie Nicole Bruhn – Logan HS
Chloejean Marley Harral – Pecos Cyber Academy

\$5,000 Banner Scholarships

Abby Marie Paris – Logan HS Addie Lee Lafferty – San Jon HS
Aishah Munoz – Clayton HS Ava Annie Mata – Santa Rosa HS
Cole McCall Essex – Texico HS Enrique Javier Munoz – Robertson HS
Jackson Ryan Fudge – Roy HS Jayce R. Garrett – Grady HS
Jerry Javin Webb – Fort Sumner HS Kagan Rylee Bequette – Fort Sumner HS
Kennady McCall Waldrop – Farwell HS Michael Oglesby – Logan HS
Sarah Brooke Birchfield – Fort Sumner HS Richard "Hitch" Dunlap III – Corona HS
Christopher Bassler – Fort Sumner HS Natalee Naomi Perkins – Fort Sumner HS

\$5,000 Tom M. Phelps Scholarships

Tyler Jay Saiz – Texas Tech Thomas Gerald Palla – Oklahoma State
Preslie Page Poling – West Texas A&M

\$5,000 Tonie Martinez Memorial Scholarships

Devin Edward Kotara – Logan HS

\$5,000 Occupational/Trade/Technical Scholarships

Corvin Preston Scott – Clayton HS Levi Allen Poling – Clayton HS
Joseph Zane Flowers – Mosquero Online School
Sucette Moreno – Fort Sumner HS

\$5,000 Vocational Careers Scholarships

Jordan Luke Cortese – Fort Sumner HS Saylor Raye Seratt – Farwell HS
Karlee Jewell Elliott – Oral Roberts Colby Gene Arrington – West Texas A&M

\$5,000 Frank Blackburn Scholarships

Jayda J. Goodson – Texico HS Payson Ray Nials – Logan HS
Chloe Maize Hart-Mann – West Las Vegas HS

\$5,000 Committed to Excellence Endowment Scholarships

Briana Dawn Taylor – Clayton HS
Eli Zayden Washburn – Mosquero Online School

\$5,000 Hal Greig Legal Studies Scholarships

Bo Jack Poling – Clayton HS Haylie Ann Bidegain – Logan HS
Lane Austin Clavel – West Texas A&M

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May Board Meeting Highlights

The Cooperative Board of Directors met on May 22. Here are some highlights from the meeting:

- The Board approved the applications of 38 new members to the Cooperative.
- A construction report was presented to the Board:
 - 74 work orders were completed.
 - Projects were completed in Santa Rosa, Corona, Roy, and Trementina.
 - Numerous projects are currently in the construction phase.

The next regular Board meeting is scheduled for June 26 at the Cooperative business offices north of Clovis.



Happy 4th of July

The retail stores and business offices will be closed on Friday, July 4 for Independence Day.
Technical Support will be available from
9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

For trouble reporting, please call
1.877.752.8328

Monthly Survey Winners

Customers receiving a \$25 credit in this month's survey drawing include:

- Corona Laundromat - Corona, NM
- Cindy Russell - Clovis, NM
- Crown Electric Company - Clovis, NM

All completed surveys are eligible for the monthly drawing.

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We will provide dependable area-wide communication and information services at the lowest price, consistent with sound economy and good management.



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