

# Right-of-Way Clearing Program

Dear Member:

September 2010

New Age Tree Service, power line corridor maintenance contractor for Jackson Electric Cooperative, will be in your area starting mid-October 2010. In accordance with Wisconsin Administrative Code 128.02 and Wisconsin Statutes 196.74, power line corridor maintenance will include the removal of trees and brush that could possibly prevent our ability to provide reliable and safe electric service to our membership.

Our contractor, also in accordance with the National Electric Safety Code Section 28-281-A-1, will be mowing and/or cutting brush and trees to a distance of 15 feet on both sides of the outermost power lines from the ground up. Following the tree and brush clearing, an environmentally-friendly treatment will be applied on fresh cut stumps to prevent sprouting. The following year, a non-restricted herbicide may be applied, as necessary, in areas that experience abundant re-growth.

All trees in yards will be trimmed to a minimum of 10 feet horizontal and vertical clearance. If removal of any yard trees is necessary, you will be contacted first. Jackson Electric Cooperative will not replace any trees within the power line corridor.

If you have any questions in regards to the trees being trimmed or cut on your property, please contact New Age Tree Service at (866) 248-2661. If you have any further concerns or questions, please contact me at (715) 284-5385 or (800) 370-4607.

Sincerely,

Kevin Babcock  
Operations Manager



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