



Newsletter

June 2023

Insider



Trevor Ayres : Newest Utility Foreman for the Town of Flora

Trevor Ayres has taken on a new leadership role with Flora Utilities. Employed with Flora Utilities since March of 2017 Trevor assumed his new role June 1, 2023. Trevor has taken great strides to assist his employees to grow and connect with one another as a team. His goal is to make sure that all team members play a versatile role in multiple projects during their daily operations. Flora Utilities serves approximately 1,200 customers and provides electric , water, wastewater services.

Current Projects

Currently Flora Electric Department is working on replacing numerous poles throughout the electrical system. Another project is a new AMI Metering System. Flora has several new businesses opening soon and the utility and staff have been busy preparing new services for those.



**Kevin Rubush,
Congratulations on
your retirement!**



Kevin Rubush, Electric Superintendent Edinburgh Municipal Power & Light. We would like to wish Kevin the very best in his retirement & future endeavors. Kevin made a tremendous difference in his many years with Edinburgh.

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Welcome to

FERDINAND MUNICIPAL
ELECTRIC UTILITIES



Town of Ferdinand, 2023 Host - Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo

The Town of Ferdinand and Ferdinand Utilities has been selected to be the featured host of the 2023 IMEA Annual Business Meeting & Vendor Expo.

Ferdinand's Mission Statement:

Very few places can truly blend natural beauty, agriculture and industrial development the way Ferdinand does. The strong elements of faith, family values, work ethics, sense of community, and respect and appreciation of environment form the foundation upon which Ferdinand was built and continues to grow.

Chris James, Town Manager & Todd Fischer, Utility Superintendent

Chris James, Town Manager & Todd Fischer, Utility Superintendent take pride in their community and team, believing in the importance of communication with Community and Staff.

2023 IMEA Board Officers

The Indiana Municipal Electric Association (IMEA) is a service organization formed in 1941. IMEA is an invaluable resource and voice for Indiana's public power communities - from the smallest to the largest. All have benefited by being a member of IMEA at one time or another. All can continue to benefit as one, strong, unified voice. We are dedicated to our founding principles of providing programs and services that bring members of Indiana municipals the protection, knowledge, experience, and tools needed for the safe, efficient and effective utility operation in today's complex, diverse and ever-changing industry.



Randall Ennis
2023 President



Doug Middleton
2023 Vice President



Jeff Greeno
2023 Secretary Treasurer

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2023 IMEA Lineworkers Rodeo



IMEA LINEWORERS RODEO

Thank You to Our Host
THE CITY OF LAWRENCEBURG
&
LAWRENCEBURG MUNICIPAL UTILITIES

Friday, September 22nd
10:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Apprentice 8 Team Check-in
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Safety Meeting
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Q&A
2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. View the Field / Judges Meeting
3:00 p.m. - Conclusion Apprentice Events Begin
Conclusion of Events Cookout

Saturday, September 23rd
7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Team Check-in
8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Judges Meeting
9:00 a.m. - Conclusion Team Events
3:00 p.m. - Concludes Cookout / Awards

Apprentice Events:
1. Pole Top Rescue
2. Mystery Event
3. Mystery Event
4. Mystery Event

Team Events:
1. Pole Top Rescue
2. Mystery Event
3. Mystery Event
4. Mystery Event



REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE!

[Click Here to Register for the Team Entry](#)

[Click Here to Register for the Apprentice Entry!](#)

(Place Your Hotel Reservations Today!)

Double Tree by Hilton Hotel

Address: 51 Walnut St, Lawrenceburg, IN.
47025

Phone: (812)539-8888

Hollywood Casino & Hotel

Address: 777 Hollywood Blvd, Lawrenceburg,
IN. 47025


Phone: (888)274-6797

(A room block has not been arranged so please
make sure to place your reservations early)

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**2023 IMEA Annual Business Meeting
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October 3 - 5, 2023

Meet our Featured Keynote Speakers

*Safety / Mutual Aid
Roundtable / Panel
Discussion: Duane
Richardson & Members*

**Jobs
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Public power is more to communities than just an essential utility. It is a source of unique and fulfilling career opportunities in your local community. Employees make a difference by serving their own neighborhoods and families. Talented high school, college and technical college graduates—and even technology, environmental and public service professionals—will find that competitive salaries aren't the only this attractive about careers in public power.

To post a classified ad to our jobs in Public Power page. Please email text to janel@imea.com.

Do you have important news or photos that you would like to share in our bi-weekly newsletters? Please email all news and photos to janel@imea.com

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