

Make Sure Your Voice is Heard by Your Elected Officials

Rural Friends/ACRE is the nonpartisan political action committee that helps supporters of electric cooperatives who are seeking election to the Texas Legislature and to the U.S. Congress. It operates under the guidelines and policies of a board of directors composed of electric cooperative leaders from around the state. Rural Friends/ACRE is subject to all state and federal campaign finance laws and reporting requirements.

Membership is strictly voluntary and consists of persons who have an interest in preserving and defending their local electric cooperative. They care enough to contribute to the progress and growth of their cooperative and the communities it serves.

Contributions go to candidates for state and federal office who have demonstrated support for electric cooperatives. Support is based on their voting records on legislation affecting electric cooperatives, their statements on cooperative issues, and their historical stance on those issues. Rural Friends contributes to state office candidates and ACRE - the Action Committee for Rural Electrification - contributes to candidates for the U.S. Congress.

Joining is Easy. Simply fill out and mail this form along with your check to add your voice to those electric co-op leaders who are "making a difference" for electric cooperatives in Austin and Washington D.C.



Membership Form

Yes! I want to help keep the voice of rural electric cooperatives heard in the political process by participating in Rural Friends/ACRE.

- \$500 Presidential \$50
 \$150 Century Club Plus \$25
 \$100 Century Club

(Contributions to political action committees are not tax deductible.)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Enclosed are my membership dues of \$ _____

Please add my Rural Friends/ACRE dues to my next electric bill.

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