BLUEBONNET (NEWS

Co-op board seats up for election in 2019

Bluebonnet members interested in serving on the co-op's Board of Directors can run for one of four seats up for election during the Annual Meeting on May 14, 2019.

Candidates can be nominated either by presenting an application for nomination with at least 50 signatures from co-op members in their respective districts or by paying a \$250 filing fee.

Bluebonnet's Board is made up of 11 directors who serve staggered three-year terms. The four seats up for election in 2019 are for District 1, Caldwell, Gonzales, Guadalupe and Hays counties; District 3, Bastrop County; District 5, Burleson County; and District 7, Washington County.

To run for the Board, candidates must be at least 21 years old, a coop member in good standing, agree to a background check and meet other qualifications outlined in Bluebonnet's bylaws.

Details, bylaws and nomination applications are online at www.bluebonnetelectric.coop/About/Leadership/Becoming-a-Director.

Nomination application forms are also available at the co-op's member service centers in Bastrop, Brenham, Giddings, Lockhart and Manor.

All candidates' petitions, filing fees and application for nomination forms must be submitted at any Bluebonnet member service center by 4 p.m. Feb. 13, 2019.

For more information, call a member service representative at 800-842-7708.

Career opportunities at Bluebonnet

Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative Inc. is one of the largest electric cooperatives in Texas and has been serving its members since 1939.

The cooperative serves more than 98,000 meters and owns and maintains 11,600 miles of power lines across more than 3,800 square miles within 14 Central Texas counties.

In accordance with federal, state and local laws. Bluebonnet does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability unrelated to job requirements, genetic history, veteran status or any other legally protected

Bluebonnet accepts applications for its U.S. Department of Labor Certified

Apprentice Program for lineworkers on the first Tuesday of every month, and for all other open positions as they become available.

Applications may be completed on the co-op's website. Go to bluebonnet.coop and click on About, then Careers, or click on Careers at the bottom of any page on the website.

2019 **OPPORTUNITIES**

FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN BLUEBONNET SERVICE AREA

Government-in-Action Youth Tour

Two high school students to tour Washington, D.C., June 12-21, 2019 — plus a \$1,000 scholarship

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JAN. 18, 2019

Scholarships of Excellence

\$2,500 each to graduating high school seniors to pursue a trade and technical certificate. associate degree in a vocational field or a bachelor's degree

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 8, 2019

Find out more at **bluebonnet.coop** (click Community, then Scholarships) or by contacting Karen Urban

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Member services: 800-842-7708. email memberservices@bluebonnet. **coop** or visit one of our five member service centers in Bastrop, Brenham, Giddings, Lockhart and Manor.

REPORT AN OUTAGE

At 800-949-4414, bluebonnet.coop or via our mobile app.

OFFICE CLOSING

Bluebonnet offices will be closed Nov. 12 for Veterans' Day and Nov. 22-23 in observance of Thanksgiving.

BOARD MEETING

Bluebonnet's Board of Directors will meet at 8:30 a.m. Nov. 16 at the Westin at the Domain in Austin.

CORRECTION

In the October issue of this magazine, on Page 18, a photo caption that accompanied the story 'The Evolution of Green Building' contained an error. The home was designed by Barley/ Pfeiffer Architecture.