

April 11, 2024

Karnes Electric Co-op Severe Weather Restoration Efforts

Spring storm season is upon us. On April 10th severe weather passed through our service territory. The severe weather included high winds resulting in damage to 15 poles on FM 2505 in Wilson County. KEC was notified of the outage at 12:00am and KEC crews were dispatched initiating restoration efforts for a total of 103 meters. Recognizing the scale of the damage, KEC mobilized a team of 4 subcontractor crews in addition to support KEC personnel. Despite encountering various obstacles such as downed lines, trees obstructions, and wet ground conditions, crews worked diligently to safely restore power. Our crews were able to fully restore power at 5:40pm. As April includes Lineworker Appreciation Day, we take this opportunity to acknowledge the vital role lineworkers play in powering our community. When storms strike, our crews stand ready to tackle the challenge and restore power swiftly and safely.

The safety of our members and our crews remains our top priority. Thank you for being a valued member of Karnes Electric.

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