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LPEA to host “Lunch & Lights” workshop in Durango *Free informational series to further energy efficient lighting education*

DURANGO, Colo. – Continuing its Free Information Series designed to help co-op members understand the new lighting technology and save energy, La Plata Electric Association (LPEA) will host an updated “Lunch & Lights” workshop, Tuesday, Feb. 23, 2016, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at LPEA’s Durango headquarters, 45 Stewart St. (Bodo Park).

All those interested in learning more about LED (light-emitting diode) lamps and more, are invited to attend. Lunch will be served.

“Every day, new lighting updates hit the news. Lighting technology continues to evolve quickly and we want to keep our members informed,” said Ray Pierotti, project specialist who oversees lighting programs for LPEA. “At Lunch & Lights we will share the latest information about how to evaluate LEDs, and identify the appropriate LED bulb for each application. I hope to help our members with their options.”

As Pierotti notes, though the price for LEDs continues to drop, the cost still remains higher than other lighting sources, so it is prudent for LPEA’s members to do their homework before purchasing. LPEA also offers a variety of lighting rebates for both residents and businesses, which helps mitigate the cost of changing out bulbs, and those options will be reviewed.

Because lunch will be served, those interested in attending are asked to RSVP to Pierotti, rpierotti@lpea.coop or 970.382.7770.

LPEA, a Touchstone Energy Cooperative established in 1939, provides to its more than 30,000 members, with nearly 42,000 meters, safe, reliable electricity at the lowest reasonable cost, while being environmentally responsible.

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