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COFFEYVILLE MUNICIPAL LIGHT & POWER RECOGNIZED FOR RELIABLE ELECTRIC SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

Washington, D. C. – March 30, 2021 — Coffeyville Municipal Light & Power (CMLP) has received national recognition for achieving exceptional electric reliability in 2020. The recognition comes from the American Public Power Association (APPA), a trade group that represents more than 2,000 not-for-profit, community-owned electric utilities.

APPA helps electric utilities track power outage and restoration data through its subscription-based eReliability Tracker service. Once per year, APPA's Reliability Team compares this data to national statistics tracked by the U.S. Energy Information Administration for all types of electric utilities.

"Public power utilities have proven their commitment to serving their community by continuing to lead the nation in reliability," said Alex Hofmann, APPA's Vice President of Technical and Operations Services. "These utilities are the best of the best when it comes to keeping the lights on in their communities."

Nationwide, the average public power customer has their lights out for less than half the amount of time that customers of other types of utilities do.

"We are proud to receive this recognition. It is a testament to the hard work of all our staff to ensure that we keep Coffeyville and the surrounding area powered," said Mike Shook, Director of Electric Services for the City of Coffeyville.

CMLP provided their customers with an Average Service Availability Index (ASAI) of 99.9984% reliability rating, with System Average Interruption Duration Index (SAIDI) of 8.352 minutes per year, noting that IEEE Standard reports the North American Utility average as 1.50 hours.

For more information on Coffeyville Municipal Light & Power and its commitment to reliability, visit Coffeyville.com or visit them on Facebook @ Coffeyville Municipal Light & Power.