



## Staying Safe Today, Preparing for Tomorrow

*At SEI REMC, safety isn't just a policy — it's a promise.*

Each month, our crews participate in hands-on safety training, covering everything from pole-top rescues and ladder safety to equipment handling and emergency response. In a line of work where conditions can change in an instant, safety awareness is essential — it's what protects our employees, our members, and our communities every single day.

As we look back on 2025, we're proud of the continued commitment our teams have shown to keeping safety top of mind. Whether in the field, at our facilities, or during member events, that dedication helps ensure that everyone goes home safely at the end of each day.



## Prepared for the Season Ahead

With colder weather on the horizon, our crews are ready for the challenges that winter brings — from snow and ice accumulation to unpredictable outages. During these times, our linemen take every precaution before beginning restoration work, carefully assessing each situation to stay safe while restoring power as quickly and efficiently as possible.

We appreciate our members' patience and understanding when winter storms hit. Every step our crews take — from inspecting equipment to wearing the proper protective gear — ensures that power restoration happens safely, even when conditions are less than ideal.

## Educating for a Safer Future

As we move into 2026, SEI REMC remains dedicated to safety education for both employees and members. Our ongoing Live Line Demonstrations and community safety programs help teach the next generation about electrical awareness and prevention, building a culture of safety that extends beyond the workplace.

By continuing to strengthen our safety training and share that knowledge throughout our seven-county service area, we're not just keeping our team safe — we're helping create safer homes, schools, and communities for everyone.



## *Together, We Power Safety*

At SEI REMC, safety will always come first — in every season, for every member, and in every mile of line we serve.

## WINTER SAFETY TIPS FOR MEMBERS

- **Stay back and stay safe.**  
Never approach downed power lines — always assume they are live and dangerous.
- **Keep meters and vents clear.**  
Remove snow and ice around your electric meter and outdoor vents to prevent damage or blockages.
- **Use space heaters wisely.**  
Plug them directly into wall outlets (never extension cords) and keep them at least three feet away from anything flammable.
- **Report outages quickly.**  
Use **SmartHub** or call our office to ensure crews are dispatched safely and efficiently.
- **Be patient during storms.**  
Crews work as quickly as safety allows — often in freezing rain, snow, or ice to restore power.