BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAIN ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

May 13, 2025

The Board of Directors of Blue Ridge Mountain Electric Membership Corporation (BRMEMC) met in Regular Session on May 13, 2025. Board President Bert Rogers called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

The invocation was led by Director Rogers, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Director Henson.

Manager Glidewell provided a safety & logistics briefing.

The following Directors were present as noted by Board Secretary Lance and were in attendance during the Board Meeting:

Bert Rogers, President/Chair
Gene Mason, Director
Roy Perren, Director
Jeff Ledford, Director
Gayland Trull, Director
Danny Henson, Director
Cory Payne, Director
Jack Lance Jr., Director
Ray Cook, Director present via teleconference

The following Staff were recognized by the Chair and were present during Regular Session:

Allan Glidewell, General Manager
Travis Lunsford, Director of Operations
Amanda Holdaway, Director of Finance & Accounting
Alex King, Director of Broadband Services
Daniel Frizzell, Director of Engineering
Sharon Kyser, Director of Member Services
Ryan Anderson, Director of Information Systems
Charles Autry, Counsel

A Motion to approve the Agenda was made by Director Perrin, Seconded by Director Payne and approved by unanimous vote.

Upon request of President Rogers, the minutes of the Board Meeting for April 8th 2025 were considered. A Motion to approve the April 8th 2025 Board Meeting minutes was made by Director Ledford, Seconded by Director Payne and approved by unanimous vote.

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: None
Director Payne read report on behalf of Finance Committee regarding Cooperative Finances.
Director Perrin read report on behalf of Policy and Public Relations Committee. The committee reviewed recommended edits to Policy Bulletin Number 550-Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993, as amended. The policy had not been updated since 1993 and was determined to need to be updated. Upon consultation with BRMEMC's Labor Attorney, the previous version of the policy was deleted and replaced with a new policy, making the policy up to date with current FMLA law. Following discussion, the Board approved the update to Policy 550 by unanimous vote.
Manager Glidewell provided the following reports to the Board: Safety Reports, including Safety & Loss Control Report and Safety Training, Reliability Report, including the Outage Summary, Financial Report and Activity Reports, including the Engineering Report, Operations Report, Broadband Services Report, Member Services Report, the Contact Summary & Member Interactions Reports and the Economic Development Report.
Member Comments: None
Old Business: None
New Business:
Manager Glidewell brought before the Board the need for the Board to provide members to serve on the Nominations and Credentials & Elections committees for the annual meeting.
Reports from Directors: None
Other Business: None
Announcements: None

Executive Session

At 6:36 pm, President Rogers directed a brief intermission in the Meeting. At 6:47 pm, a Motion was made to go into Executive Session by Director Perrin, seconded by Director Payne and passed by unanimous vote.

The Board came out of Executive Session at 8:05 pm. With no further business, Director Trull made a Motion to adjourn meeting and said Motion was seconded by Director Henson and was approved by unanimous vote. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 pm.

Secretary of the Board of Directors, BRMEMC.

ATTEST: The undersigned EMC officers attest that the foregoing minutes of the Board Meeting on the 13th day of May 2025, were approved in Regular Session of the Blue Ridge Mountain EMC Board of Directors on the 10th day of June, 2025.

Bert Rogers, Board President

Jack Lance Jr., Secretary