

Linn County REC is upgrading our electric system!

We are investing in AMI to help us operate more efficiently, improve reliability, and serve you better.

WHAT TO EXPECT

When your meter is installed, you will need to reset electronic devices such as digital clocks.

Members' kilowatt hour rates will not change. A meter exchange notation, including the old and new readings, will be reflected on your bill.

For more information about AMI, visit www.linncountyrec.com.

Linn County REC is committed to providing our members with safe, reliable, cost effective, sustainable electricity and excellent member service.

Questions?

You can find more information at www.linncountyrec.com or:

Email: metering@linncountyrec.com

Call: 319-377-1587 or toll free in Iowa at 1-800-332-5420.

SOMETHING NEW

to help us

SERVE YOU BETTER

We're installing AMI to improve efficiency and reliability for our members



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After the installation, you can expect...



Increased efficiency

Operating more efficiently helps us keep costs down for our members.

- We will be able to **read your meter remotely**. Remote meter reading and reconnection saves time and money.
- We can distribute power more efficiently with more detailed data about demand and usage. AMI will allow us to monitor the system in near real-time and **correct problems and inefficiencies**.

Increased reliability

New tools for diagnosing problems and disruptions help us improve reliability for our members.

- We will be able to locate and **respond faster** to outages: AMI can help detect when and where there is an outage or disturbance.
- AMI also helps **monitor power quality**.
- Consistent billing periods and **reduced estimated bills**.

New tools to help keep electric bills affordable

- We can use the new data to help you address usage and billing questions.

Members' kilowatt hour rates will not change. Linn County REC will recoup the investment on the meters with efficiency savings.

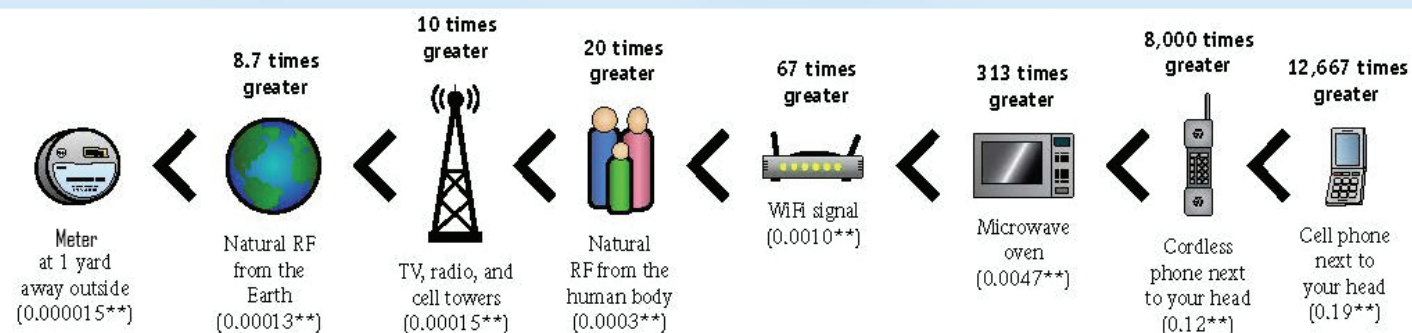


Can Do:

- Records meter reading, date and time of energy usage and overall peak demand
- Helps detect outages
- Provides security by identifying meter tampering

Can't Do:

- Record what is occurring inside a home or business. There is no camera inside the meter.
- Tell what the power was used for inside a home or business
- Allow access to equipment inside a home or business



* Based on the FCC average exposure standard which averages exposure over 30 minutes of usage (47CFR1.1310 averaging)

** Measured in milliwatts per square centimeter (mW/cm²)