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Indiana's electric cooperatives want the state's best and brightest young minds to gain a better understanding of their government and obtain a personal appreciation of American history during the annual Youth Tour to Washington, D.C.

Join students from across the nation this June to see our nation's capital, visit historic monuments and meet your Indiana congressional delegation.





#### **HEAD EAST WITH US!**

During the seven-day trip, we'll:

- » Sightsee in historic Gettysburg.
- » Visit notable memorials, including Jefferson, Martin Luther King, Jr., Lincoln and more.
- » Tour Arlington National Cemetery.
- » Cruise the Potomac River with student delegations from other states.
- » Meet with Indiana's congressional delegation on Capitol Hill.
- » Visit the Smithsonian museums on the National Mall.
- » Attend NRECA Youth Day.
- » Make lifelong friends.

\*Exact agenda may vary.

#### Ready to pack your bags?

Email Amy at amccreery@ppec.coop, visit ppec.coop/youth-tour or call 800-686-2357 to apply



Interested students will need to provide a completed application and other information.

## YOUTH LEADERSHIP COUNCIL (YLC)

In 1776, 56 delegates of the Continental Congress signed the Declaration of Independence. Early American leaders had a vision for the country, striving in their every move to give us freedom and democracy.

#### CONTINUE IN OUR FOUNDING FATHERS' FOOTSTEPS

If you are ready to step forward and continue in our founding fathers' footsteps to promote leadership, you may be the perfect candidate for the Youth Leadership Council.

During Youth Tour, you will have the opportunity to show your leadership skills and be selected as Indiana's Youth Leadership Council delegate. As a YLC candidate, you will be provided a topic on which to research and deliver a short speech, be observed with your Youth Tour peers for leadership abilities and positive influences, and participate in an interview with chaperones.

If selected as the YLC delegate, you will attend a YLC conference in July, representing Indiana on a council of states while developing leadership and public-speaking skills. You will attend and speak at the Indiana Electric Cooperatives Annual Meeting in Indianapolis, and attend the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA) Annual Meeting to participate in a variety of activities. The Indiana delegate will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to be used at an institution of higher learning of his/her choice.





