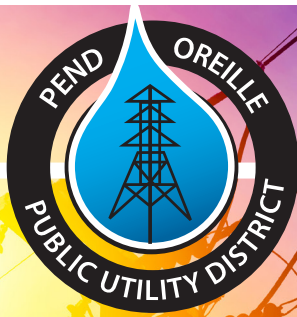


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POWER OUTAGE SAFETY & PREPARATION

LEARN HOW TO PREPARE YOUR HOME FOR A POWER OUTAGE AND WHAT TO DO WHEN ONE OCCURS

A power outage occurs when the electrical power goes out. Planned or unexpected, it can last for days or longer, disrupting communications, water, transportation, stores, banks and other services. This may impact needs such as lighting, heating, cooling, communication, food and medicine refrigeration, cooking and medical equipment.

Plan now to have what you need and to know how to stay safe.

- The American Red Cross provides great informational videos and more here: [Power Outage Safety](#)
- Be “Red Cross Ready” & Review this handy checklist: [Power Outage Preparedness](#)

Some quick tips: Make a plan for refrigerating medicines and powering medical devices; if safe, go to an alternate location for heat or cooling; keep mobile phones and electronic equipment charged; keep freezers and refrigerators closed; unplug appliances and electronics to avoid damage from electrical surges; and use generators outdoors and at least 20’ away from building openings.



WE ARE STUDYING BROADBAND
ACCESS IN PEND OREILLE COUNTY

TAKE OUR SHORT SURVEY!

Exciting News for Pend Oreille County Residents & Businesses! Pend Oreille PUD has partnered with the Tri County Economic Development District (TEDD) to host the Tri County Internet Access Portal. We’re surveying the community to learn more about broadband access in Pend Oreille. Please take a quick survey! Just Enter your Address to Get Started!

Take the [BROADBAND SURVEY](#) today!
Your input matters! By participating, you’re helping shape the future of broadband infrastructure in Pend Oreille County. Share your internet experience, take a quick speed test, and let’s work together to bring reliable high-speed internet to Pend Oreille County communities.

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Come see us at the Fair this summer!

The Pend Oreille County Fair runs from Thursday, August 15th to Sunday, August 18th this year. The PUD will be in our same booth location as in year's past – please stop in and visit us. We plan to have staff on-hand to answer questions and open our photo booth so we can take pictures of you and/or your children to bring home. This year's theme celebrates utility tree trimmers & line workers.



Pictured: Nora & Grace, children of PUD Telecommunication Technician, Pat Barley.

Follow us on Facebook for all the details.

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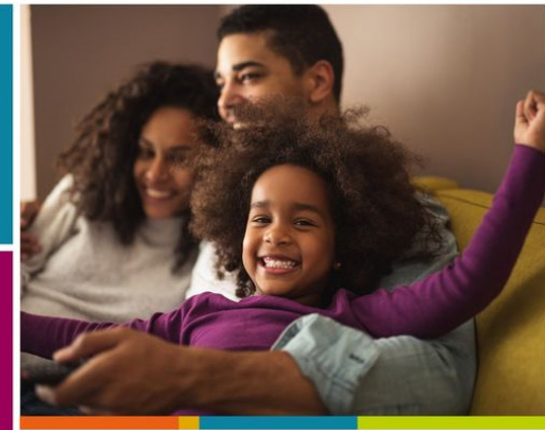
Washington Families Clean Energy Credits

Need help paying your energy bills?

Low- and moderate-income residential households can apply for a one-time \$200 utility bill credit through Sept. 15!

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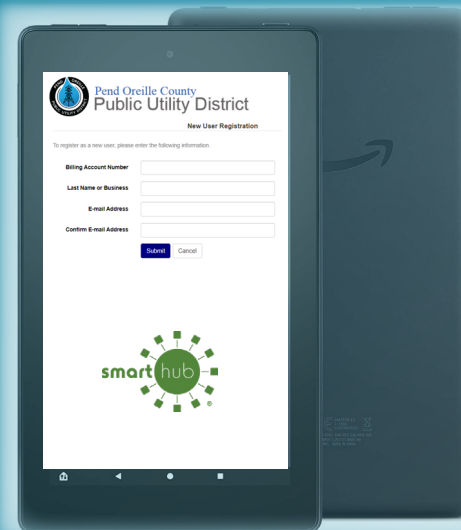
Sign-up this Summer to WIN!

We have several programs to help make your life easier and keep you informed - signing up is easy! Please visit our website for all the details, links, and information. Prior or new enrollment into the below listed PUD Programs will earn you one ticket each into the "Sizzling Summer Sign-Up" drawing. You could be the lucky winner of a new Amazon Fire Tablet.

- ✓ **SmartHub**
- ✓ **Auto Pay**
- ✓ **E-Newsletter**
- ✓ **Paperless**
- ✓ **Operation Round Up**

Visit: [Sizzling Summer Sign-Up](#)

Sign-up before August 31st to qualify!
Winners will be notified in September.



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