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PROJECT NO. 53385  
AFFIDAVIT OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF  
FAYETTE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.  
PURSUANT TO 16 TEXAS ADMINISTRATIVE CODE § 25.53

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF FAYETTE §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared, and who, after being duly sworn, stated on his or her oath he or she is entitled to make this Affidavit, and that the statements contained below are true and correct.

I, Gary Don Nietsche, swear or affirm that as an Electric Cooperative operating in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) region and control system, confirms the following:

"I am the General Manager of Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc. (FEC), which is a Texas electric cooperative corporation."

FEC operates an electric distribution utility system in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas power region.

The Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) developed to comply with the updated 16 TAC §25.53. Electric Service Emergency Operations Plan Rule, has been distributed to FEC Managers and Operations personnel;

FEC executives, and Operations personnel have received training on the updated EOP;

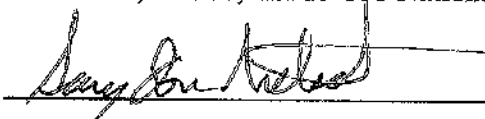
Drills have been conducted to the extent required by 16 TAC §25.53(f);

FEC will notify Commission Emergency Management Personnel and regional TDEM representative(s) prior to the drill;

FEC has distributed the EOP to local Jurisdictions, including regional TDEM personnel and all Counties in the FEC service area;

FEC has a Business Continuity Plan related to returning to normal operations after an emergency event or situation;

FEC's emergency management personnel who are designated to interact with local, state, and federal emergency management officials during emergency events have received the latest IS-100, IS-200, IS-700, and IS-800 National Incident Management System training.

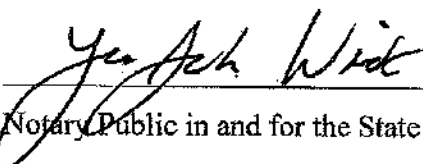


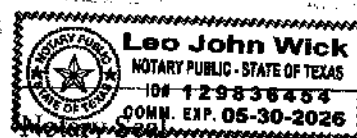
{Signature of Officer of the Cooperative}

General Manager

Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Sworn and subscribed before me on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024.

  
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas



PROJECT NO. 53385

FILING OF ATTESTATION AFFIRMING EOP CHANGES

AFFIDAVIT OF OFFICER FOR

FAYETTE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

FILED PURSUANT §25.53. ELECTRIC SERVICE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS  
PLANS SECTION (3) (B)

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF FAYETTE §

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared, and who, after being duly sworn, stated on his or her oath he or she is entitled to make this Affidavit, and that the statements contained below are true and correct.

I, Gary Nietzsche, swear or affirm that as an Electric Cooperative operating in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) region and control system, confirms the following:

Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc. (FEC) operates a distribution utility system in the State of Texas and the Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) region and control system;

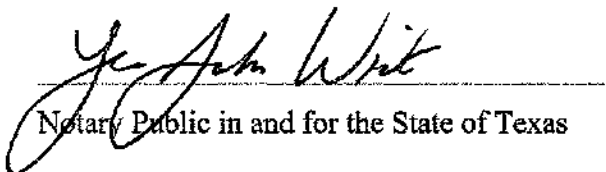
The §25.53 Electric Service Emergency Operations Plans Rule is applicable to FEC.

FEC has reviewed the FEC Emergency Operations Plan that was filed with the Commission in 2022 and did not make any changes to its EOP that materially affects how FEC would respond to an emergency.

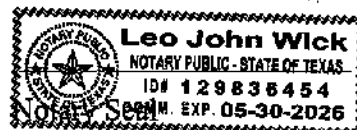


Gary Nietzsche

Sworn and subscribed before me on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024.



Notary Public in and for the State of Texas



**PUC PROJECT NO. 53385**

<b>EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>BEFORE THE</b>
<b>PLEADING REGARDING CHANGES TO</b>	<b>§</b>	
<b>THE LIST OF EMERGENCY</b>	<b>§</b>	<b>PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION</b>
<b>CONTACTS</b>	<b>§</b>	
	<b>§</b>	<b>OF TEXAS</b>

**FAYETTE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN  
STATEMENT**

COMES NOW, the Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc. (FEC) pursuant to 16 Tex. Admin. Code (TAC) §25.53 Electric Service Emergency Operations Plans, who files this statement regarding section (3) (B) (i) which requires a pleading that documents any changes to the list of emergency contacts.

**I. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

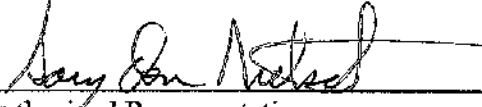
The name, address, and telephone number of FEC's authorized representative is:

Attn: Gary Don Nietsche  
Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc.  
General Manager  
357 North Washington Street  
La Grange, TX 78945  
Telephone: (979) 968-3181  
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**II. NOTICE OF CHANGES TO EMERGENCY CONTACTS**

Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc. (FEC) hereby gives notice that, effective February 21, 2024, FEC has made changes to the Emergency Contacts previously filed with the Commission pursuant to 16 TAC §25.53(c)(4)(B). These Emergency Contacts are consistent with the information in the PUC Contacts Portal. Pursuant to §25.53(c)(4)(A), FEC has reviewed the Cooperative's Emergency Operations Plan and has not made any changes that materially affects how FEC would respond to an emergency, as attested to in the accompanying filing.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Authorized Representative  
Fayette Electric Cooperative, Inc.