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GEUS RECOGNIZED FOR RELIABLE ELECTRIC SERVICE TO GREENVILLE



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Greenville, TX, October 27, 2025- GEUS has received national recognition for achieving exceptional electric reliability in 2024. The recognition comes from the American Public Power Association (APPA), a trade group that represents more than 2,000 not-for-profit, community-owned electric utilities.

APPAs helps electric utilities track power outage and restoration data through its subscription-based eReliability Tracker service. Once per year, APPA's Reliability Team compares this data to national statistics tracked by the U.S. Energy Information Administration for all types of electric utilities.

"Year after year, data consistently demonstrate public power utilities provide highly reliable service." said APPA Director of Research and Development Paul Zummo. "The utilities recognized here are truly elite when it comes to keeping the lights on. Their communities should be proud of the hard work and dedication of their local power providers as they earn this truly deserved recognition."

Nationwide, the average public power customer has their lights out for less than half the amount of time that customers of other types of utilities do.

"Providing reliable power is not just our mission—it's our responsibility to the community we serve," said Bill Shepherd, General Manager. "Receiving this recognition from APPA is a testament to the hard work and expertise of your local public power team," Shepherd added.

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In 1891, GEUS became the first municipally owned electric utility in Texas. More than a century later, in 2001, it also became the state's first municipally owned cable television and high-speed Internet operation. GEUS provides these services to over 30,000 consumer-owners in Greenville, Texas, about 50 miles east of Dallas. One of the unique aspects of GEUS is that it is governed by an autonomous board of trustees appointed by the Greenville City Council. This structure was made possible by the Texas Legislature in 1989. To learn more about GEUS' 130+ years of public power history or the services it offers, please visit its website at www.geus.org