

BLUEBONNET ELECTRIC CO-OP PLANNED POWER OUTAGE IN THE BRENHAM AREA POSTPONED ONE WEEK

(BRENHAM, TEXAS) – Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative rescheduled a planned outage in the Brenham area to Wednesday, April 9, 2008. The outage is necessary to allow Bluebonnet to perform a voltage conversion on a portion of its electric delivery system. Weather permitting, the outage will occur between 9:00 a.m. and 10 a.m. Specific details regarding the planned outage are as follows:

Wednesday, April 9, 2008

From 9:00 am to approximately 10:00 am

Hwy. 290 W, from Lange Lake Road to Harrisburg Road, including:

- Old Burton Road
- Happy Hollow Road
- FM 2679
- West Oak Lane
- Lange Lake Road
- Pitcher's Lane
- Shady Oaks Subdivision

The planned outage was originally scheduled for Thursday, April 3, but was postponed due to an equipment failure and fire at the Chapel Hill substation east of Brenham. The equipment failure and fire occurred Wednesday, April 2, and was not related to the planned outage.

Bluebonnet completed two voltage conversions in the Brenham area on Wednesday, April 2, 2008. The conversion process was a success, with the maximum amount of outage time experienced by any member being only 45 minutes. A planned outage is necessary to allow crews to safely work on lines while performing system upgrades.