

## Annual Meeting is Saturday, August 25

**Members are reminded to attend the 73rd PRECorp Annual Meeting Saturday, August 25, at the Gillette Cam-Plex Energy Hall and Heritage Center Theater.**

The event opens at 7 a.m. in Energy Hall with a special members-only wellness blood draw. Any PRECorp member, including spouses, can walk-in and get a free standard blood panel screening between 7 a.m. and 10 a.m. Those participating are asked to fast for at least 12 hours prior to having their blood drawn.

Small snacks and coffee will be available for blood draw participants.

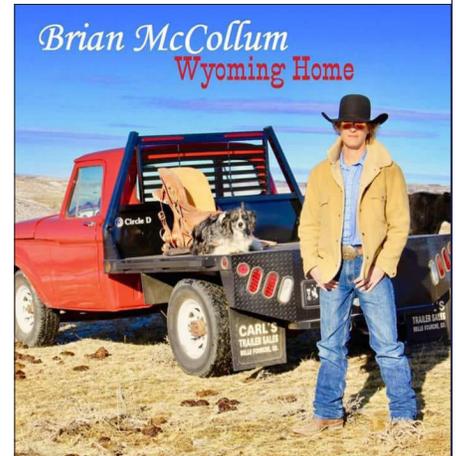
From 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., Spiral Therapy will offer free body scans for members. This scanner performs a precise capture and analysis of

3 million data points and 300-plus body and posture measurements. It personalizes risk assessments for more than 25 health conditions, prevention and wellness recommendations for both home and work.

The planned tour of Dry Fork Station will run from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Lunch, catered by Sue Collins of Country Cookin', begins serving at 11 a.m. in Energy Hall.

Throughout the morning, members who register in person can vote on three seats to the Board of Directors, enter drawings, learn more about Operation RoundUp and other member-focused programs. The first 150 members to register receive a commemorative cutting board. Attendees also receive a 2019 PRECorp Calendar and a few other freebies.

At noon, members will gather in the Heritage Center Theater for a musical performance by local coal miner and country singer Brian McCollum. The Moorcroft resident released his album *Wyoming Home* in March of this year and will fea-



ture music from that album as free pre-meeting entertainment.

The Annual Meeting begins at approximately 1 p.m. with brief reports including updates from Board President Walt Christensen, Secretary-Treasurer Gerry Geis, and CEO Mike Easley. Drawings for great prizes follow the meeting.

Members who cannot attend, but would like to vote absentee, can use the ballot from their July PRECorp News and enclose it in the return envelope from that edition to a PRECorp office in Sundance, Gillette, or Sheridan before 5 p.m., Friday, August 24.

**HOLIDAY OFFICE CLOSURE: Powder River Energy Corporation offices will be closed Monday, September 3, in observance of Labor Day.**

# Are you on the list for unclaimed capital credits?

At [www.precorp.coop/capital-credits](http://www.precorp.coop/capital-credits) is a list of members or former members who are owed patronage capital (capital credits) for the fiscal year 2015 and for whom PRECorp does not have a current or deliverable mailing address.

PRECorp's bylaws require that after two years of the allocation of capital credits for a specific year, and for which the capital credits remain unclaimed, that the names of those members, or former members, be published in the local paper and 60 additional days be granted to claim these credits prior to them being forfeited and transferred to unclaimed status.

The list was published in the July 1 and July 8 editions of the Gillette News Record. Members or former members who would like to see if they are on this list should view it on-line and, if necessary, contact PRECorp at 1-800-442-3630 BEFORE Friday, September 28.

Upon positive identification, unclaimed capital credit money will be issued to the member or former mem-

ber in the form of a check. Please allow two weeks for processing.

After September 28, the remaining unclaimed capital credits will be considered abandoned and become permanent equity of the cooperative.

Funds in this account are used to the benefit of PRECorp's remaining membership as a whole.

At the present time, some of the unclaimed capital credits are being used to finance the PRECorp scholarship program for student/dependents whose parents or guardians are members of the cooperative.

Another use of unclaimed capital credits is community involvement projects in which financial donations are made to community and civic organizations or projects.

Even though the capital credits are not being returned to the members who earned them, the money is still being returned to communities that PRECorp serves.

# Mind your clearances when planting trees

PRECorp crews are reporting some issues with residential trees growing too close to power lines. Our linemen do not want to cut down - or severely trim - your trees. But if they are posing a danger to a power line or are growing into a line causing power blinks and outages, the chain saw will have to come out.

The best way to avoid the problem is to know the clearance for that tree and its potential canopy. Consult the tree planting guide at the right to know how far away the sapling must be planted to ensure it will be a safe distance from overhead power lines.

Also remember to call 811 before you dig to ensure there are no surprises underground.

## Tree Planting Guide

