

# MOHAVE



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## MEC'S GUIDE TO SUMMER COOLING

Mohave Electric Cooperative understands that staying cool in our area during the summer can be difficult. Below are resources to keep you, and your home, at a sustainable temperature.

### PREVENTING DISCONNECT

If you are worried about being disconnected from service due to non-payment, or to set up a payment plan, please contact MEC's Member Service for more information at (928) 763-1100 or visit our website at [www.mohaveelectric.com/member-service/](http://www.mohaveelectric.com/member-service/)

### HOW TO STAY COOL WHEN YOUR POWER IS OUT

- Use a spray bottle for misting effect.
- Cook outside to avoid heat generating inside the home.
- Take cold showers to lower body temperature.
- Stay hydrated by drinking lots of water.
- Close blinds, shades, and curtains to reduce heat from outside.
- Visit a friend or family member with working air conditioning.

### COOLING CENTERS

Bullhead City, Arizona provides cooling centers for the public when temperatures surpass 120°F for three consecutive days. For more information regarding the operating hours of these cooling centers, please contact the City of Bullhead Recreation Department at (928) 763-9400.

## RIVER FUND

MEC members can apply for assistance through the River Fund. If you need help paying your rent, your electric bill, or utility appliance repair and replacement, please contact the Bullhead City River Fund Office at (928) 704-0039 or access their website at [www.riverfundinc.com](http://www.riverfundinc.com)

## WEATHERIZATION

MEC and our partners are providing low-income families the opportunity to save energy dollars by making sure their homes are energy efficient through weatherization improvements.

Please call WACOG at (928) 758-6616 or visit [www.mohaveelectric.com/energy-solutions/weatherization/](http://www.mohaveelectric.com/energy-solutions/weatherization/) for more information on how to apply for the free weatherization program. If you live in Bullhead City, please call (928) 763-0197.

## HOME ENERGY REVIEWS

Home energy reviews are completed by an MEC staff member from our Energy Management Team to help members manage their energy usage and maximize energy efficiency in the home while reducing energy bills now and in the future.

To schedule a home energy review, call (928) 763-1100 and ask for an energy management staff member to assist you with a home review. Members can also stop by in person at our Member Service office located at 928 Hancock Rd. in Bullhead City.

## COOLING SYSTEM TIPS

Air conditioning is imperative when our area reaches high temperatures. Please refer to these tips in order to keep your unit running optimally.

- Keep A/C vents clear of obstructions.
- Change filter once a month.
- Have an HVAC technician check coolant levels, pressure, and electrical components.