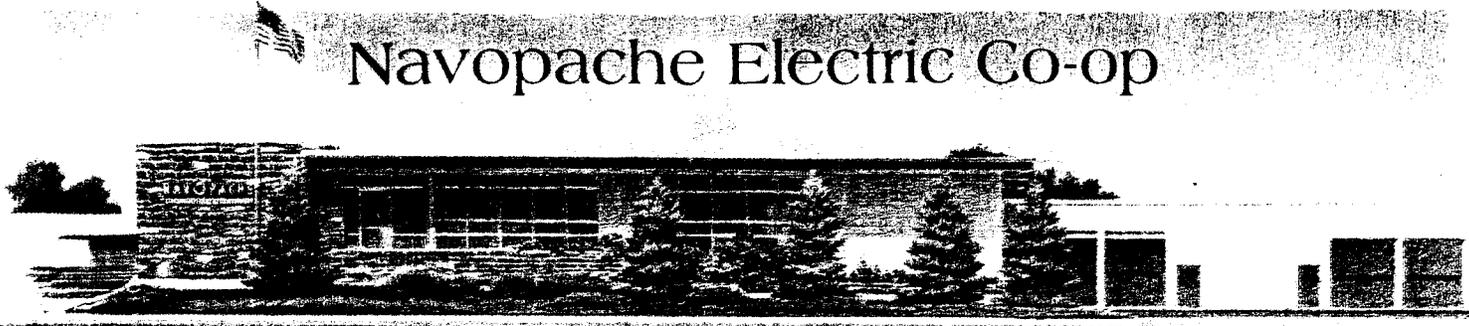


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January 21, 2005

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Dear Mr. Carlson,

Navopache Electric Cooperative, Inc., (NEC), is submitting this letter on behalf of, in support of and in conjunction with five municipalities in our service territory who each have submitted an application for an allocation from the Parker-Davis Project Post-2008 Resource Pool. The municipalities are Pinetop-Lakeside, St. Johns, Eagar, and Springerville, Arizona, and the Village of Reserve, New Mexico. NEC supports their application for an aggregate allocation of 2 megawatts to serve their municipal end uses of their electric load requirements.

NEC is willing to assist and to work with the Western Area Power Administration to do whatever is necessary to help these municipalities secure an allocation from the Parker-Davis Project Post-2008 Resource Pool. NEC respectfully requests that Western modify its power marketing criteria to allow for aggregation, pooling and bill crediting.

Navopache Electric Cooperative is independently submitting its own application for an allocation from the Parker-Davis Project Post-2008 Resource Pool and is available to work with and to assist Western throughout this process.

Sincerely,



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