



Central Electric
Membership Corporation

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Making a positive difference



Executive Director, Karen Wicker, accepts a grant for \$2,500. The grant will be used to support individuals battling addiction.

An essential part of the cooperative difference is the power of community. As an electric cooperative founded and operated in Central North Carolina, serving our members and communities goes beyond providing electricity; it extends to doing our part in building a brighter future for all.

Powered by donations from our members, Operation Round Up® is essential to that mission. Through these donations, the co-op is able to give back to non-profit organizations, including groups such as Drug Free Moore County.

The mission of Drug Free Moore County is simple: to be a positive influence in preventing and combatting substance abuse disorder by increasing awareness, providing information and garnering community support towards healthy choices and recovery.

Central Electric recently provided a grant of \$2,500 to the organization to help purchase, develop and distribute Harm Reduction Kits. The kits will be provided to individuals seeking recovery through the organization's Peer Support Recovery Groups.

"We are very thankful for the grant provided by Operation Round Up," said Karen Wicker, Drug Free Moore County Executive Director. "Drug addiction is such a terrible and heartbreaking disease. These funds will be used to directly and positively impact the lives of many people who are in dire need of assistance."

To learn more about how Drug Free Moore County is making a positive difference in our community, to make a donation or to become a volunteer and get involved with their mission, visit their website drugfreemoore.org.