





**APRIL 2018** 

# Electrical District No. 3

### SUMMER IS COMING

The heat of summer is slowly approaching Maricopa. Are you ready for triple digit temperatures? Follow these tips this spring to help prepare for summer temperatures! LANDSCAPE REQUIREMENTS

#### SPRING SAVINGS

- Just a reminder to keep your cooling system running efficiently. It is recommended to schedule routine maintenance for your a/c or cooling equipment. It is also important, when hiring a professional, to select a licensed contractor.
- Vacuum air registers regularly to remove any dust buildup. Ensure that furniture and other objects are not blocking the airflow through your registers.
- Seal cracks and openings to prevent warm air from leaking into your home.
- Add caulk or weatherstripping to seal air leaks around leaky doors and windows.
- As temperatures warm up, turn down the temperature of your water heater to the warm setting (120°F).



#### **HELPFUL INFORMATION**

After Hours Emergency Outage Service Only: (520) 424-9021

Also, visit www.ed3online.org to view the Outage Map.

**NEED TO CONTACT ED3?** 

#### Source: Energy.gov



### **Energized Electrical** Equipment

Obstructions can cause delays when restoring electric service.

Please do not place permanent structures, fences, shrubs or trees closer than

10 ft. in front of the doors and 3 ft. from the sides.

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#### Do you recognize the picture above?

You will see this on many pieces of ED3's electrical equipment. Clearance of landscape obstructions are critical for safety due to the fact that they can cause delays when restoring electric service in emergency situations. Please remember as summer approaches to tend to your landscaping and keep within the requirements if you are near any equipment or power lines.

#### **CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER**

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### **Mylar Balloons & Hazards**

While mylar balloons add the perfect festive look to any party or gathering, did you know they can also pose a hazard to power lines and cause extensive power outages?

A surge in electricity can be caused by the balloon if contact is made with a power line or electrical equipment at a substation. The shiny, foil-like material can become an energy conductor. Conductors allow energy to go through them. They also can get tangled in the power line, creating unnecessary hazard to a Journeyman Lineman that must remove it.

This is the perfect time of year to remember as the weather warms up and activities move outdoors to be sure to properly secure mylar balloons at outdoor outings and events!

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