

# ED3

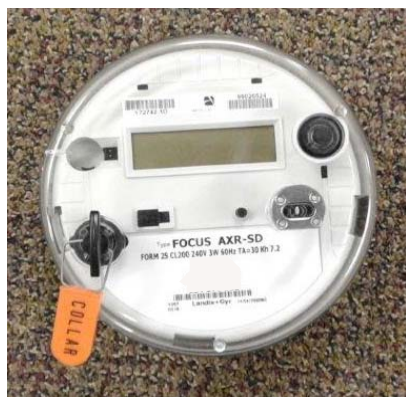
## Electrical District No. 3



[www.ed3online.org](http://www.ed3online.org)

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### PRE-PAID METERING PROGRAM



***Pictured above** are the two types of pre-paid meters you may see that are used within our District.*

Since the launch of ED3's **Pre-Paid Metering Program (PPM)** in July 2015, 604 customers have enrolled in the Program. The PPM Program is an innovative method of paying for your electricity. The Program offers ED3 customers an opportunity to pay in advance for their electricity while offering daily energy usage information to assist customers who wish to conserve energy. Customers will pre-pay for their electricity and receive daily texts or email notifications of the amount used and the amount remaining on their account.

With an ED3 pre-pay account, YOU can be in control and payment options are available all day, everyday. Studies have shown that pre-pay accounts

help customers use less electricity, saving them money!

#### ED3 Will Alert You When:

- Your account has fallen below your requested threshold balance.
- You have successfully made a payment.
- Your account is eligible for disconnection.
- Your account has been disconnected or reconnected.

Most ED3 customers can elect at any time to have a pre-paid meter installed. Terms and conditions do apply. For more information or to sign up for the Program, please contact a Customer Service Representative at (520) 424-9021 or visit the ED3 Website [www.ed3online.org](http://www.ed3online.org) today!

### NEED TO CONTACT ED3?

To make payments visit the Customer Service Office at:

**CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER**  
19756 N. John Wayne Parkway #101  
Maricopa, AZ 85139  
Tel: 520-424-9021  
Fax: 520-494-7053  
[customerservice@ed-3.org](mailto:customerservice@ed-3.org)  
Office hours: Mon.-Fri. 7:30a.m.-6:00p.m.

**ED3 ADMINISTRATION OFFICE**  
41630 W. Louis Johnson Drive  
Maricopa, AZ 85138  
Tel: 520-424-9311  
Fax: 520-423-4949



#### **CUSTOMER SERVICE HOURS**

24/7 by telephone:  
520-424-9021

## SAVE MONEY



Save yourself time and money by signing up for **ED3 Auto-Pay**. The only way to ensure you do not pay late fees or disconnection charges is to pay your bill by the due date each month. Benefits of Auto-Pay:

- Available online only, which gives the customer full access to modify as needed.
- **You** are completely in control.
- You select the draft date of your choice (ED3 advises selecting a date prior to your due date to avoid late penalties).
- Pay by credit card or e-check.
- Option to enter a “max draft” amount that the draft will not exceed.

You can sign up for this **FREE** option online at [www.ed3online.org](http://www.ed3online.org), select the “Payments” tab then choose “Auto-Pay.”

## Stanfield Elementary School District College and Career Day

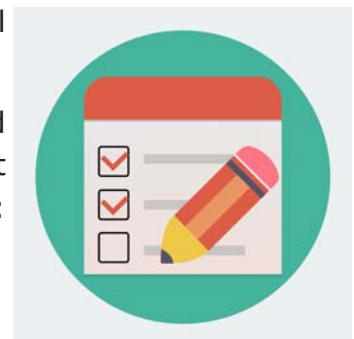
Pictured to the right, ED3 Power Systems Operator, Teri Rodriguez, participated in the Stanfield Elementary School District College and Career Day on February 25, 2016. The career day reached out to 3rd through 8th grade students. The event was held to spark student interest in various fields and to motivate students about their futures. ED3 is always happy to participate in events that reach out to students in our service territory!



## SPRING & SUMMER ENERGY SAVING TIPS

Triple digit temperatures are not new to Arizonans, below are a few helpful tips that can be used on a daily basis to help save energy during the spring and summer months.

1. When the nights are still cool, turn your cooling system off and open windows while sleeping. When you wake, close the windows and turn back on your cooling system.
2. Install window coverings that prevent heat gain through windows.
3. Use a programmable thermostat to raise the temperature in your home while away and lower only when you are home. (Did you know ED3 recommends setting your thermostat at 82°F?)
4. Avoid setting your thermostat at a colder setting when you turn on your cooling system. It will not cool your home any faster and could result in an unnecessary expense.
5. **Ceiling fans cool people, not rooms.** Turn off ceiling fans when you leave a room.
6. Use the bathroom fan to remove heat and humidity from your home after you take a shower.
7. Schedule regular maintenance for your cooling equipment.
8. Turn down the temperature of your water heater to the warm setting (120°F).
9. On hot days, avoid heating your home by using an oven; cook on the stove, use a microwave oven, or grill outside.
10. Enroll in a discounted ED3 Home Energy Audit (for more details visit: [www.ed3online.org](http://www.ed3online.org)).



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