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## POLICY

SUBJECT: Donations

POLICY: The Cooperative shall generally consider making charitable contributions and donations under certain circumstances. Such contributions shall be consistent with the overall mission, culture and charter of the Cooperative, including consideration to community and member relations.

PROCEDURE: As a member of the local community, the Cooperative shall consider making contributions and donations to worthy and responsible organizations and causes. Decisions based on whether to contribute shall be made considering whether the purposes of the receiving organization, function and/or cause are consistent with the overall objectives and intent of the Cooperative.

The Cooperative shall, on an annual basis, establish a budget for charitable contributions and donations for that year. The financial condition of the Cooperative should be considered when establishing the annual charitable donations budget. Contributions in an amount less than or equal to \$100 shall be made at the discretion and prior approval of the General Manager so long as the sum total of all donations for the year stays within the budgeted amount. For contribution >\$100, the request shall be brought to the attention of the Board of Directors for discussion and decision on whether to make the donation.

RESPONSIBILITY: General Manager, Board of Directors

### DELAWARE COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

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