



2017 NRECA Rural Electric Youth Tour & CREA/CEEI Cooperative Youth Leadership Camp Application

This application is for the Rural Electric Youth Tour in Washington D.C. and/or the Cooperative Youth Leadership Camp at Glen Eden Resort in Clark, CO. Students may apply for either or both by checking the appropriate boxes below. Only one student will be selected for each opportunity. Applicants must be high school sophomores or juniors attending school within SMPA's service territory and at least 16 years of age as of January 1, 2016. They must also be dependents of San Miguel Power members.

Dates: **NRECA Rural Electric Youth Tour: June 8 - 15, 2017**
 CREA/CEEI Cooperative Youth Leadership Camp: July 15 - 20, 2017

I would like to apply for the: NRECA Rural Electric Youth Tour in Washington, D.C.
 (Mark either or both) CREA / CEEI Cooperative Youth Leadership Camp in Clark, CO (near Steamboat Springs)

Please type or clearly print all of your information

Personal Information:

Applicant's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Physical Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____

Parent/Guardian Address (if different from above): _____

Home Telephone Number: _____

What is the best time to reach you at this number? _____

Email: _____

San Miguel Power Account # (you can find this on your family's last bill): _____

School Information:

Name of High School: _____

Current Grade Level: _____ GPA (out of 4.0): _____

Major Study Interests: _____

Activities (use additional sheets if necessary):

Extracurricular Activities (sports, academic clubs, etc.): _____

Volunteer Activities: _____

Hobbies and Special Interests: _____

Essay Requirements: Submit a 500 word essay about the following topic: *Explain the role of the board of directors at a rural electric cooperative and why the board is important.*

Applicant’s Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Returning Your Application:

Applications must be received on or before Thursday, December 8, 2016 to be considered. You can mail your applications to:

San Miguel Power Association
Attn: Alex Shelley
PO Box 1150
Ridgway, CO 81432

You may also drop off your application in person at the San Miguel Power office nearest you:
Nucla: 170 W. 10th Avenue, Nucla, Colorado Ridgway: 720 N. Railroad Street, Ridgway, Colorado

Questions? Contact Alex Shelley at (970) 626-5549 x212 or alex@smpa.com .
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