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AVEC Annual Report Inside

Inside this Ruralite magazine, you will find the 2013 annual report of your cooperative. Our year-end financial report tells you our operating results. You also will find short descriptions of our many projects in the villages. Please look over the report and contact any of us if you have any questions.

During April, we will conduct the final preparations for taking over the electric utility operations in Bethel. The actual takeover will occur in early May. We will be joined by 19 terrific employees who we are excited to welcome to the AVEC family. When you stop by the utility office in Bethel, you also will be able to pay for your village electric bill there. Please stop by and say hello.

I look forward to the annual meeting in Anchorage, which will happen just about the time you receive this magazine. Almost all of our communities are sending delegates to the meeting, and I am sure there will be lots of good questions for them and for us. Be sure to talk to your delegates when they return from Anchorage. They should be armed with answers to your specific questions as well as those from other communities.

One of the more exciting things that happened recently is the startup of the new power plant in Stebbins., which happened at 5 p.m. March 18. The new power plant and tank farm were built to serve both St. Michael and Stebbins. The Intertie to connect the two communities will be built and operational by late next year.

If you are on Facebook, please visit our page—Alaska Village Electric Cooperative and like us. We would love to hear from you and spotlight your community.

I hope that spring breakup is kind to you and your community, and that the birds are back soon for the summer. I hope the fish and game are plentiful, and that everyone will have a successful subsistence season.

Until next time,

Meera Kohler, President and CEO

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