2020 ANNUAL REPORT

MEC

Report of Independent Auditors

Following are excerpts from the audit report. The full report may be accessed at TeamMidwest.com or by calling 800-492-5989.

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Midwest Energy Cooperative, which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of Dec. 31, 2020, and 2019, and the related consolidated statements of operations, equities and margins, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements. Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the cooperative as of Dec. 31, 2020, and 2019, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Moss Adams March 31, 2021

Directors' Compensation Disclosure

Elected directors are paid an annual retainer of \$1,200 and a per diem based on board position and years of service or credential status for meetings attended on behalf of the cooperative. The chairman is paid an annual retainer of \$2,200.

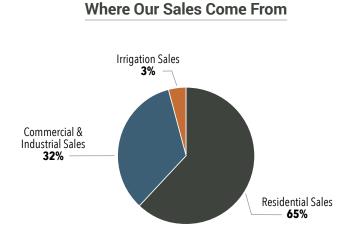
Consolidated Statements of Operations Years Ended Dec. 31 (Dollars in 000)

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|---------------------------------|------|---------|------|---------|--|
| | 2020 | | 2019 | | |
| Operating revenues | \$ | 101,761 | \$ | 100,615 | |
| Operating expenses | | 93,356 | | 93,424 | |
| Interest expense | | 5,507 | | 5,461 | |
| Operating margins (deficits) | | 2,898 | | 1,730 | |
| Capital credits | | 3,508 | | 3,355 | |
| Nonoperating margins (deficits) | | 635 | | (110) | |
| Net margins | \$ | 7,041 | \$ | 4,975 | |

Consolidated Balance Sheets Dec. 31

(Dollars in 000)

| ASSETS | 2020 | 2019 |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Net electric plant and equipment | \$ 231,267 | \$ 216,851 |
| Other assets and investments | 32,313 | 30,247 |
| Current assets | 29,609 | 23,837 |
| Deferred charges | 80 | 142 |
| Total assets | \$ 293,269 | \$ 271,077 |
| EQUITIES AND LIABILITIES | | |
| Equities | \$ 70,545 | \$ 65,576 |
| Long-term debt | 193,243 | 176,670 |
| Other liabilities | 5,392 | 4,191 |
| Current liabilities | 23,242 | 23,685 |
| Deferred tax liability | 847 | 940 |
| Deferred credits | | 15 |
| Total equity and liabilities | \$ 293,269 | \$ 271,077 |



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