### **Capital Credit Refunds Coming to Qualified Members**

Each year, ATMC refunds portions of revenue not used to cover expenses in a given year to members both past and present. These refunds are called Capital Credits. ATMC's Board of Directors recently voted to allocate \$2 million in Capital Credits to cooperative members who had qualifying service in 1998, 1999 and/or 2020.

Current members receiving a Capital Credit refund of \$50 or less will see the credit applied to their September bill statement, those receiving a disbursement of more than \$50 will receive a check prior to ATMC's Annual Meeting which will be held on October 1st.



"The disbursements of Capital Credits is one of the core principles of our cooperative," commented Keith Holden, ATMC CEO. "The support of our members is what enables ATMC to have continued success, and these refunds are a way that our members can share in our accomplishments."

To find out more information about Capital Credits, please call 910-754-4311.

#### Save the Date for ATMC's 64th Annual Meeting of Members, Friday, October 1st.

As a reminder, member registration and voting will be conducted online and by mail.

Registration materials will be sent out via email and mail on September 9th.

### **Boiling Spring Lakes Fire Department Receives Grant from ATMC**

Through a Community Connections grant provided by ATMC, Boiling Spring Lakes Fire Department has been able to purchase scene lights for each fire engine. The new lights will help crews assess emergency situations at night and improve scenarios where visibility is limited.

"These new lights will help our team tremendously in responding to accidents," commented Sara Edge, Volunteer with Boiling Spring Lakes Fire Department. "We are so thankful for ATMC and their commitment to supporting first responders in our area."

ATMC has awarded more than \$845,000 in community and education grants since 2006. To learn more about the grant programs, visit atmc.com/givingback.



Sara Edge, Boiling Spring Lakes Fire Department

## Sign Up for Paperless Billing and Receive a \$5 Credit

Don't forget to sign up for paperless billing before September 30th and get a one-time \$5 bill credit. Paperless billing is simple, easy and environmentally friendly. Customers can sign up for paperless billing by visiting atmc.net/myatmc and enrolling online, calling our customer care department or by visiting any ATMC retail location.

For more information, call ATMC's customer care department at 910-754-4311.

### **Connect Faster in the New School Year**



Access to high-speed internet is more critical than ever in keeping students connected to their teachers and coursework, so take the uncertainty out of your student's return to school with fast, reliable internet from ATMC.

ATMC offers blazing fast speeds of up to 1 Gig to help students connect with online courses, upload homework, research assignments and download resources quicker than ever. To find out how your family can connect faster, visit atmc.com or call 910-755-1967.

### Mandatory Ten Digit Dialing Begins in October

ATMC telephone customers should now dial 10-digits when making local calls. Calls made dialing just seven digits will still go through until October 24th. After that time, calls made dialing just seven digits will not be completed. This change is taking place nationally to make way for the National Suicide Prevention and Mental Health Crisis Lifeline, which will make it easier for anyone in a mental health crisis to receive help.

Customers are encouraged to make sure that all important safety and security equipment is reprogrammed to use 10-digit dialing and contact information used on personal and business materials such as checks and advertising is updated to include the 910 area code. For more information, visit atmc.com/10digitdialing.

Remember to recycle your old ATMC telephone directories! The recycling drive will end on August 20th.

#### Roger A. Cox Memorial Scholarship **Recipient Announced**

Brunswick Community College recently awarded the Roger A. Cox Memorial Scholarship to Cloey Jones. Cloey is enrolled at Brunswick Community College where she is working on her Associate's Degree in Science. Upon graduation, Cloey plans to further her education in the Emergency Medicine field.

The Roger A. Cox Memorial Scholarship was created in 2016 to honor Roger Cox, former ATMC General Manager, and his passion for serving the community. Roger taught at the college, served on the Foundation Board, and was always a supporter of the institution. Following his passing in 2016, the Brunswick County community, ATMC employees, Board Members and sister cooperatives began raising funds for an endowment.

# Christmas in July **Giveaway**



Ann Buechner,

Thank you to everyone who participated in ATMC's Christmas in July Giveaway! Customers shared their favorite songs, summer memories, activities and travel plans for a chance to win great prizes.

Be sure to follow ATMC on all of our social media platforms and stay tuned for more fun giveaways coming soon!