



City of Minden to Receive Wholesale Power from LEPA

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The Louisiana Energy & Power Authority (LEPA) announced that it will begin supplying wholesale power and energy to the City of Minden on June 1. Minden is the 13th city to become a “full requirements” member getting its electrical power from LEPA.

“Minden is very excited to have signed a power contract with LEPA, a pivotal move to address our city’s high electricity costs,” said Mayor Nick Cox. “This agreement will leverage LEPA’s collective purchasing power to secure more affordable rates, with projected savings of 20 to 25 percent for our residents and businesses. After months of planning, this step ensures a brighter, more competitive future for our community, reflecting our commitment to easing financial pressures and supporting Minden’s growth.”

Kevin Bihm, LEPA General Manager, noted, “Mayor Cox, along with his staff and Minden City Officials worked countless hours to make this transaction happen and LEPA is excited to have Minden back as a full requirement member. This new contract will bring the benefits of stable and competitive electric power to all electrical customers of the City of Minden, and also benefits the 12 other LEPA member cities that are full requirements members.”



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(right to left): Minden Mayor Nick Cox, Minden Councilman Buddy Myles, Minden Linecrew Director Gary Moreland and LEPA General Manager Kevin Bihm