TO: Safety Contacts  Rodeo Participants
FROM: NCAMES Safety & Training Committee
SUBJECT: NCAMES 22nd Annual Lineman’s Rodeo
DATE: January 12th 2019

Attached is a package of materials for the NCAMES 22nd Annual Lineman’s Rodeo to be held in Fayetteville, North Carolina on May 16, 2019

Please return your entry form(s), release and waiver agreement to Jill LaBorde at Electricities (completed by your supervisor) no later than April 26, 2019 to make sure we have everything ready for all participants. Also, in addition to these forms for the rodeo, please be sure and register for the NCAMES Conference through your supervisor. The conference registration is coordinated by Gail Boggs, Secretary/Treasurer for NCAMES. Any questions related to the conference other than the Lineman’s Rodeo should be directed to Gail Boggs at (910) 223-4516 or gail.boggs@faypwc.com, or Julie McMurry at (704) 669-6645 or Julie.mcmurry@cityofshelby.com. Julie McMurry will be emailing out conference registration packages early in 2019.

The first and second place Apprentice and Journeyman, the third place Journeyman and the Journeyman alternate winners will be recognized by trophies and/or plaques. The winners will compete as a team representing NCAMES at the 2020 APPA Lineworker’s Rodeo in Kansas City, Missouri.

In addition, each will receive in order to compete in the 2020 APPA Lineman’s Rodeo, $500 and an all-expense paid trip to Kansas City, Mo. This is presented by the NCAMES Board of Directors and only participants on the NCAMES sponsored team that compete in the 2020 APPA Lineworker’s Rodeo will qualify for this trip and money.

Plaques will be presented recognizing the fastest time without deductions for each event. The Mutual Aid event prize is to be determined.

For information on Rodeo events and/or to download a packet go to: http://www.ncames.com. Any questions or concerns may be directed to: NCAMES Safety & Training Committee at www.ncames.com. All questions will be answered by the NCAMES Safety & Training Committee and posted on the website. Note: You will need to login to the website to ask questions. You will need to register online and get a username and password on the NCAMES website. Everyone will have their own username for asking questions. It has been changed for security reasons.
NCAMES 22nd ANNUAL LINEMAN’S RODEO

The NCAMES 22nd Annual Lineman’s Rodeo will be held in Fayetteville, NC, at the Embassy Suites Convention Center and nearby rodeo grounds. The awards presentation will be the day of the rodeo at the NCAMES Social at the Embassy Suites Convention Center, Fayetteville, NC. We can add or change participants’ names up to April 26, 2019. Deadline for entry is April 26, 2019. No entries will be accepted after this date.

The release form must be received by April 26, 2019 in order to participate in the Rodeo.

***All Events will be judged as Energized under Real Working Conditions***

*** All Events will be judged from the APPA Safety Manual - 16th Edition ***

Attached are the following forms and guidelines:

1. Rodeo agenda
2. Entry release form
3. General Rules
4. Eligibility requirements
5. Event descriptions
6. Entry forms for participants
General Rules

1. All safety rules shall be observed during the rodeo events. All events will be judged from the APPA Safety Manual 16th Edition.

2. Competitors must compete in all events of their classification (e.g. Journeyman, Apprentice). Failure to compete in all events will result in disqualification from the rodeo competition.

3. Only one ground man will be allowed per Journeyman lineman.

4. All rodeo events will be judged as energized under real working conditions.

5. Each competitor must provide their own equipment (unless specified to be provided in an event). Please make sure that your tools are clearly marked with your name for identification. Each competitor must have the following equipment/tools as a minimum:
   - Climbers
   - Belt
   - Safety strap
   - Hard hat
   - 100% fall arrest, (fall arrest is required; if a contestant does not have fall arrest they may sign one out from NCAMES/ELECTRICITIES)
   - Approved safety glasses with side shields
   - 100% cotton or flame-retardant long-sleeved shirt
   - Hand tools
   - Leather gloves with two-inch cuff (minimum)
   - Knife (no razor knife)
   - 20 kV rubber gloves and protectors
   - Hot sticks, hand line, etc.

6. A Journeyman Lineman is defined as any person that is a Journeyman Lineman, Line Technician, Crew Foreman, or equivalent classification employed by a NCAMES member city within the State of North Carolina. The Journeyman Lineman must be a permanent full-time employee of the city represented.

7. An Apprentice lineman is defined as any person that has four years or less in line work. An Apprentice line worker that has been an Apprentice for more than four years cannot compete in the Apprentice line worker events and must compete in Journeyman line worker events. The Apprentice line worker must be employed by a NCAMES member city within the State of North Carolina and be a permanent full-time employee of the city represented.
8. There will not be any rodeo events where an aerial bucket can be used by competitors.

9. Each competitor shall sign the liability release form prior to competing in the rodeo events.

10. Contestants will be scored on the following:
    • Safety Procedures
    • Work Practices
    • Equipment Handling
    • Timely Completion of the event

11. The judges for NCAMES Rodeo are members of the NCAMES Safety and Training Committee, operating utility supervisors and past rodeo participants. We welcome and encourage judges from all participating utilities. Judges are not allowed to judge competitors from their own utility system.

12. Any competitor found to be in violation of any of the following conditions will be disqualified immediately:
    • Arguing with a judge or exhibiting improper or discourteous conduct toward a judge or other competitor.
    • Failure to compete in all events.
    • Tools found altered at competition.

13. All overhead primary conductors will be #2 ACSR.

14. Each Competitor shall furnish all of the following tools and safety equipment: climbers, belt, safety strap, approved city issued hard hat, 100% fall arrest, (fall arrest is required; if contestant does not have fall arrest they may borrow one from ElectriCities/NCAMES), safety glasses with side shields, 100% cotton or flame-retardant long sleeved shirt, hand tools, knife, hotline tools and cover, 20 kV rubber gloves, leather work gloves, and protectors. Be sure to mark all of your tools for easy identification. Competitors are solely responsible for their own tools. All tools will be inspected prior to use. All climbing gear must conform to current ANSI and OSHA standards.

15. Electricities/NCAMES will provide hand lines for the Hurtman Rescue. All other tools are the responsibility of each competitor (unless noted on the specific event).

16. No homemade, modified, or altered tools will be allowed.

17. Competitors can ask the event judge questions before the event begins but not during the event. The judge may be asked to clarify any questions before the event begins. It is the competitor’s responsibility to ask questions. You will have a maximum of five (5) minutes to ask questions and lay out your tools.

18. Video footage will not be allowed to settle judging disputes.
19. The decision of the Chief Judge is final. Competitors may contest a deduction to the Event Judge. Any disputes that cannot be resolved by the Event Judge may be brought to the Chief Judge. The competitor may request that the Event Judge notify the Chief Judge of the dispute before he/she leaves the event. All disputes must be settled before the competitor leaves that rodeo event. After the competitor leaves the event, the deduction can no longer be contested. The Chairman of the NCAMES Safety and Training Committee will serve as the Chief Judge.

***Be advised that any dispute that is not overturned by the Chief Judge will result in a 10-point penalty***

20. Velcro straps are allowed on climber pads, if they are used as manufactured. No modifications, such as cutting the Velcro shorter, will be allowed.

21. Only approved safety glasses or approved prescription safety glasses will be accepted for use in the rodeo competition with the ANSI Z87.1 stamp on the safety glass frames.

22. Battery, Hydraulic, and Power tools are not allowed to be used by competitors.

23. Competitors are allowed to use hard line cover.

24. All competitors shall use full fall arrest while climbing during the rodeo competition.

25. The minimum manufactured blanket size is 22-inches x 22-inches.

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All competitors will be required to attend classes / break out sessions on Wednesday. A sign in sheet will be present and sent to Directors/Managers of each city/town.
Infraction Definitions

The following are definitions for the infractions listed on the score sheets. These are the most common infractions.

General Infractions

2-Point Infractions

• **PPE MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHILE INSIDE RODEO EVENT AREA**
  
  Hardhat, safety glasses, leather work gloves, and work boots

• Failure to cover neutral, secondary or primary properly: All potentially energized conductors must be fully covered with protective cover when within reach, fall, or slip of energized conductor.

• Safety strap and fall arrest infraction: Safety strap must be in control at all times. Both snaps of safety must be hooked on a D-ring while climbing the pole. The safety strap may be carried on the shoulder; however, both snaps must still be in a D-ring. If the safety strap slides off the shoulder, the contestant will receive a deduction. After using secondary fall arrest to cross obstacle, primary fall arrest must be reattached to the pole before continuing to climb.

• Improper hand line operation: The lines of the hand line must not be twisted while raising or lowering tools or material. All tools and material must be raised and lowered on the hand line. The hand line may be hung above the neutral before cover-up only if there are no secondary conductors to reach over, and the uncovered neutral is not touched by any part of the hand line or hand without rubber gloves.

• Dropping tools or materials from pole: Climbers cannot drop tools or materials from the pole.

• Misuse of tools or the use of the wrong tool: Tools must be used for their intended purpose and not altered from manufactures’ specifications.

• Extended body contact with covered neutral: The body cannot have more than brush contact with the covered neutral.

• Failure to maintain proper clearance from energized conductors or parts: Journeyman must maintain proper clearance* from exposed energized primary conductors or parts with all parts of the body except the rubber-gloved hand. This would include any un-insulated tools attached to the energized primary conductor.

*Proper clearance is defined as within reach or fall of exposed energized conductors.
• Cutout or slip on pole: A Cutout or slip is defined as one or more gaffs out of the pole and sliding on the surface of the pole out of control.
• Failure to wear hard hat properly at all times (not backwards).
• Failure to wear long sleeve shirt, sleeves down and buttoned long-sleeve shirts are required. If shirt has buttons on the sleeve, they must be buttoned. Sleeves cannot be pushed or rolled up.
• Dropping or losing hard hat: Hardhats must be worn at all times while inside the event area.
• Hanging tools or materials on structure, conductor or safety strap: Tools or materials can only be hung on the hand line or approved devices.

Infractions that have a low occurrence and listed on the other infraction list of definitions will be shown here with a brief description.

10-Point Infractions

• Contact with energized conductor: Contact with uncovered primary or neutral conductor with any body part except rubber gloved hands.
• Losing control or dropping conductor: Losing control of a conductor is defined as being unable to hold the conductor in position without touching the pole, other conductors or dropping completely.
• Walking in Climbers.
• Gaff Guards not on Climbers while inside Rodeo Area.
• Improper use of fall arrest.
• Disputes that are taken to the Chief Judge: Any dispute that is taken to the Chief Judge will result in a 10-point penalty if the dispute is not overturned.
WRITTEN TEST
Event Judge: Woodie Wilson/Craig Batchelor
(Apprentice Event)

Mean Time: 25 Minutes            Drop Dead Time: 30 Minutes

- **Read General Rules (Pages 2-7) Carefully.**
- **Test Starts Promptly at 3:30pm** -- Late competitors will be disqualified.
- This year’s test is **OPEN** book. The **ONLY** book allowed is the APPA Safety Manual – 16th Edition.
- This will be a written test compiled of 25 questions.
- The questions will come from the APPA Safety Manual - 16th Edition.
- The questions will be multiple-choice.
- All Apprentices will take the test the day before the Rodeo begins at a designated area.
- All wrong answers will count minus 2 points each.
- **Time starts** at Event Judge’s signal.
- **Time stops** when competitor lays down their pencil(s) and says “TIME”.
- Test time will **not** be calculated into the overall time of the other Rodeo events. Time in this event will be used only in the case of an overall total scoring and timing tie between apprentice competitors to determine their finishing places. It will determine the winner of the written test event in the event two or more apprentices receive the same final test score.
- Supplemental material will "NOT" be allowed during this event!!!! This includes any study guides, online resources, cell phones, etc. **Failure to abide by this guideline will result in immediate disqualification from the Rodeo!!!!!**

THE APPRENTICE LEVEL TEST WILL COME FROM THE APPA SAFETY MANUAL - 16th EDITION

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**Test Scores will be released at the conclusion of the NCAMES Rodeo**

2 - #2 Pencils will be provided
APPRENTICE/JOURNEYMAN EVENT
HURTMAN RESCUE
(Journeyman/Apprentice Event) (SIMULATED HOT ON A 40-FOOT POLE)
Mean Time: 4 Minutes                  Drop Dead Time: 6 Minutes
Event Judge: Brian Small

The purpose of this event is to simulate the rescue of a lineman that has been injured while climbing on a pole that has energized wires and/or equipment on it. Competitors must follow all appropriate safety rules and common industry standards to complete the rescue. Rubber Gloves shall be worn ground to ground.

1. **Time starts** at the judges’ signal with the competitor standing an arm’s length from the pole. The lineman’s belt and hooks will be lying on the ground beside him. Rubber gloves will be inside the glove bag, with the cuffs down, on the ground with the tools. Rubber gloves are required from ground to ground.

2. **When facing the pole from the cross arm side, the hand line will be hung on the right side.** The hurtman will be hung in the center of the pole on the cross arm side, 6 inches under the braces. A minimum of one complete wrap around the cross arm with the hand line is required before lowering the victim.

3. The mannequin should be tied under the arms with three half hitches (**eye splice should not be used as part of hitches**). The half hitch is the only acceptable knot.

4. The sheave shall be dropped in the circle at the base of the pole. **The lineman must call “HEADACHE” loudly when the sheave is dropped.**

5. A Buck Squeeze trainer will be used on the mannequin. The lineman must cut the Buck squeeze insert. Cutting the belt in the wrong place is a 10-point deduction.

6. The mannequin shall be lowered to the ground smoothly, without contacting the pole. The mannequin must not hit the ground hard.

7. **Time stops when the mannequin is on the ground, the rope is slack and competitor has both feet on the ground.**

8. Competitors may still be assessed point deductions until they have removed their climbing gear and the event judge has declared the event over.
9. Hand lines will be furnished by ElectriCities/NCAMES. Competitors must use hand lines provided.

10. Exceeding the mean time of 4 minutes to complete the event will result in a 2-point deduction.

11. Judges will evaluate the rope knot by placing a piece of 4” PVC between the mannequin and the rope. A properly tied knot will touch the PVC pipe while lying on the mannequin’s chest.

12. Mannequin’s feet must be within designated area when lowered to the ground.

13. Gaff guards must be on climbers when transporting hooks to and from pole.

14. The blade of the climber’s knife shall not be exposed while climbing.

15. Competitor must not contact the insulator.
NOTE: This event will not have conductors. The picture is to show how the mannequin will be placed on the pole.
This event will consist of moving the transformer jumper from one outside phase to the other outside phase. The load must be removed from the 240/120-volt conventional transformer by opening the load-break fused cutout with an extendo Stick. Once the fuse is open, the competitor must ascend the pole and transfer the high-side jumper from one outside phase to other outside phase. The competitor must then descend the pole and reenergize the transformer with the extendo stick. Line is to be considered energized at 12 kV and APPA approach distances must be maintained.

1. Apprentice will be allowed a five (5) minute setup time before starting the event to ask questions and lay out tools.

2. **Time starts** at judge’s signal.

3. The Apprentice must wear rubber gloves ground to ground.

4. Leather gloves will be permitted for the extendo portion of the event, unless during inclement weather.

5. The competitor must provide his own extendo stick and the stick must be placed on a tarp when not in use.

6. An eight-foot shotgun stick will be provided and placed in a grunt bag hanging on the pole.

7. Apprentice will maintain proper clearance from bare energized conductors.

8. The jumper will be connected with a hot line clamp directly to the stirrup placed on the primary conductor. Stirrups will already be on both sides of the line.

9. **Time stops** once the transformer is re-energized and the extendo stick is fully retracted and the stick is laid on the tarp.
TRANSFORMER LOAD SWITCHING

NOTE:
JUMPER WILL BE ON PHASE A OR B.
IF PHASE A, THEN COMPETITOR WILL MOVE JUMPER TO PHASE B.
IF PHASE B, THEN COMPETITOR WILL MOVE JUMPER TO PHASE A.
**APPRENTICE EVENT**

**THREE PHASE FUSE REPLACEMENT**

**Mean Time:** 10 minutes  
**Drop Dead Time:** 14 minutes  
**Event Judge:** Austin Tankard

**Event Summary:** This event will be simulated as de-energized. Rubber gloves shall be required from ground to ground and the Apprentice shall perform the task complying with all safe work practices. Time will start at the Judge's signal. This event will require the Apprentice to change the fuse links from all three cutout switches and close the switches simulating restoring power.

**Event Description:**

1. Apprentice will have five (5) minutes to set up and gather the replacement fuses, which they can put in their ditty bag.
2. Event will be done on a 40 foot pole.
3. Apprentice begins event with their climbing tools on the ground next to the pole.
4. The Apprentice tools up and ascends the pole with a hand line (1/2" rope), competitor belts off below the common neutral. (Apprentice shall provide their own hand line)
5. A hot stick will be provided inside a bag hanging on the pole below the neutral. The hot stick will be placed into the bag with the universal disconnect hook up. Failure to do so will result in a 2 point deduction.
6. The hot stick will have tape 30" from the bottom of the stick.
7. The Apprentice will climb pole to the neutral and open all three (3) disconnects and then replace fuses. The hot stick cannot come in contact with any part of the body while opening or closing the doors and must maintain minimum approach distance. The hook must be in the disconnect ring and gloves need to be below the tape on the hot stick when opening or closing fused cutouts.
8. No channel locks can be used to tighten the nut holding the fuse tight.
9. When all three fuses have been changed, the Apprentice will clearly say "COMING HOT" and then close the cut-out doors, put the stick back into the bag with the Farrell head up and descend the pole.
10. Time stops when both of the Apprentice's feet touch the ground.

**Materials Provided:** Hot stick and bag to hold it on the pole.
Journeyman Event
4 KV Single Phase Pole Transfer
Mean Time: 15 Minutes
Drop Dead Time: 20 Minutes
Event Judge: Jody Kiser

This is a simulated 4 KV energized event on a single phase straight line circuit. This event will consist of moving the primary conductor and neutral conductor from one pole to another. The poles will be set in line and be 3 feet apart.

Event Specs:

1. Competitor has 5 minutes to set up event and ask judge any questions.
2. Time starts at the judge’s signal.
3. Rubber gloves shall be worn ground to ground.
4. Competitor will install new material on pole and remove material from old pole.
5. Pre form ties will be provided for primary / neutral and new rubber grommet shall be installed after transfer.
6. Competitor may drop old grommet as long as (headache) is heard by judge. Time stops when both of competitor’s feet are touching the ground.
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This event will consist of replacing a single phase elbow on a dead end pad mount transformer. Transformer will be fed from a 40 foot primary pole with cut out installed on pole. Proper tools shall be used to terminate new elbow.

1. Competitor will have 5 minutes to set up event and ask any questions.
2. Time starts at judge’s signal.
3. There will be a single phase riser with cut out demonstrating a blown fuse. (Open)
4. Competitor must remove fuse to allow for proper clearance of blown fuse at disconnect.
5. Test elbow for voltage.
6. There is no service at this transformer.
7. Install new elbow and grounds on cable at transformer. “USING THE PROPER TOOLS”
8. Install elbow on transformer.
9. Competitor will install new fuse in barrel and close in at pole telling judge “COMING HOT”.
10. Check voltage at transformer on secondary side.
11. Proper hand tools, work gloves, and rubber gloves must be used.
12. Time stops when everything is in safe working condition and closed up.
13. Competitor must clean up and pull barrel back open at end of event for next competitor.
14. Competitors must use extend stick from ground to open and close barrel.
15. Elbow supplied by PWC.
NOTES:
1. IN GROUNDING THE CONCENTRIC NEUTRAL SLACK IS TO BE ALLOWED FOR OPERATING THE ELBOW CONNECTOR.

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PRIMARY CONNECTIONS, RADIAL FEED, PAD-MOUNTED TRANSFORMER
JOURNEYMAN EVENT

ALLEY ARM CENTER PHASE INSULATOR CHANGE

MEAN TIME: 15 MINUTES          DROP DEAD TIME: 20 MINUTES

Event Judge: Rob Lowe

This is a simulated 4KV energized event on a three-phase straight line circuit with a single eight-foot wooden cross arm, braced with a seven-foot alley-arm brace on a 40-ft, class 4 wood pole. The event will consist of changing out the center phase pin type, F-neck, 12KV insulator that is tied in with a preform tie (#2 ACSR).

EVENT SPECIFICATIONS:

1. The Competitor will be allowed a five (5) minute setup time before starting the event to ask questions and to lay out tools and materials.
2. **Time starts** on judges’ signal.
4. Proper cover up is required; Neutral (both sides and split blanket), Inside phase and insulator, Center phase and center phase insulator (unless proper clearance can be maintained while covering outside phase), Cross arm on both sides of center phase pin (arm guard or blanket) and outside phase (just the insulator as a minimum).
5. The center phase will be laid temporarily on the covered cross arm and will have at least two levels of insulation while on the arm.
6. The center phase will have two points of control at all times (insulator and arm will be considered one point of control).
7. A new preform tie will be utilized and will be picked up upon entering event and can be carried up on your tool belt.
8. If needed, a screwdriver can be utilized in this event for the purpose of removing or installing the wrap-lock preform tie.
9. The insulator will be maneuvered up and down the pole in a material bucket.
10. Old preform tie will be disposed of properly by contestant.
11. **Time stops** when work is complete and both feet of the competitor are on the ground.
MUTUAL AID EVENT

ALLEY ARM CENTER PHASE INSULATOR CHANGE
MEAN TIME: 15 MINUTES  DROP DEAD TIME: 20 MINUTES
Event Judge: TBD

This is a simulated 4KV energized event on a three-phase straight line circuit with a single eight-foot wooden cross arm, braced with a seven-foot alley-arm brace on a 40-ft, class 4 wood pole. The event will consist of changing out the center phase pin type, F-neck, 12KV insulator that is tied in with a preform tie (#2 ACSR).

EVENT SPECIFICATIONS:

12. The Team will be allowed a five (5) minute setup time before starting the event to ask questions and to lay out tools and materials.
13. **Time starts** on judges’ signal.
15. Proper cover up is required; Neutral (both sides and split blanket), Inside phase and insulator, Center phase and center phase insulator (unless proper clearance can be maintained while covering outside phase), Cross arm on both sides of center phase pin (arm guard or blanket) and outside phase (just the insulator as a minimum).
16. The center phase will be laid temporarily on the covered cross arm and will have at least two levels of insulation while on the arm.
17. The center phase will have two points of control at all times (insulator and arm will be considered one point of control).
18. A new preform tie will be utilized and will be picked up upon entering event and can be carried up on your tool belt.
19. If needed, a screwdriver can be utilized in this event for the purpose of removing or installing the wrap-lock preform tie.
20. The insulator will be maneuvered up and down the pole in a material bucket.
21. Old preform tie will be disposed of properly by contestant.
22. **Time stops** when work is complete and both feet of both competitors are on the ground.
CROSSARM CONSTRUCTION, PRIMARY, THREE-PHASE, SINGLE ALLEY ARM, 15KV

NOTES:
1. GROUNDS ARE TO STOP AT THE NEUTRAL POSITION EXCEPT TO RISE TO A LIGHTNING ARRESTER OR TRANSFORMER.
2. ALL GUYS MUST CONTAIN A GUY STRAIN INSULATOR SUFFICIENT TO PROVIDE TWO FEET OF AIR CLEARANCE.

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ELECTRICITIES
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COMPETITOR ENTRY FORM  
NCAMES ANNUAL LINEMAN’S RODEO

CIRCLE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING FOR EACH QUESTION (Answer all 3):

1. COMPETITION LEVEL:  JOURNEYMAN  APPRENTICE

2. COMPETING IN MUTUAL AID TEAM EVENT:  YES  NO

3. SWEAT SHIRT SIZE:  M  L  XL  XXL

COMPETITOR’S NAME: ____________________________________________________________

UTILITY/CITY: __________________________________________________________________

ADDRESS: ____________________________________________________________________

CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE: ___________________________________________________________

PHONE #: _____________________________________________________________________

E-MAIL: _____________________________________________________________________

I confirm that the hooks, belts, and hand tools that I provide for the rodeo will be in safe operating condition.

Signature of Competitor: _________________________________________________________

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***THE FOLLOWING MUST BE COMPLETED BY APPRENTICE’S SUPERVISOR:

I, __________________________ (supervisor), certify that the above listed contestant
meets the criteria for apprentice.

The Apprentice’s supervisor shall complete the information below:

Signature of Supervisor: _________________________________________________________

TITLE: ______________________________________________________________________

UTILITY/CITY: __________________________________________________________________

PHONE #: _____________________________________________________________________

E-MAIL: _____________________________________________________________________

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**Note: Release form must also be signed. See next page.**

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     ElectriCities of North Carolina, Inc.
     1427 Meadow Wood Blvd.  P.O. Box 29513
     Raleigh, NC 27626-0513
RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of NCAMES staging a Lineman’s Rodeo in Fayetteville, NC (hereinafter “the Event”), or otherwise permitting me to attend such Event, I, on my own behalf and on behalf of my heirs, next of kin, representatives, administrators, and assigns, hereby agree as follows:

1. I HEREBY AGREE TO RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE NCAMES, its officers, directors, managers, employees, shareholders, insurers, or any participant in the Event (hereinafter “Releases”) FOR ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PERSONAL INJURY, LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PROPERTY caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence or gross negligence of the Releases’ or otherwise while I am participating in or attending the Event. I expressly acknowledge that injuries received may be compounded or increased by the negligent rescue operations or procedures of the Releases’ and this Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk, and Indemnity Agreement (the “Release”) is expressly intended to include any such compounding or increasing of injury.

2. I understand that engaging in Lineman’s Rodeo activities constitutes my involvement in a dangerous activity with accompanying risk of personal injury or death, or loss or damage to personal property, and I hereby voluntarily assume all risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages and medical expenses following any injury, permanent disability, or death, or loss or damage to personal property caused by the negligence or gross negligence of the Releases’.

3. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releases’ and each of them from any loss, liability, damage or cost they may incur due to my presence or participation in the event, including but not limited to responding to or defending against any allegation, claim or cause of action brought in violation of this Release.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING THE AGREEMENT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT INDUCEMENT, ASSURANCES, OR GUARANTEES BEING MADE TO ME AND INTEND MY SIGNATURE TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW.

Signature: ________________________________ Date: ______________
Print Name: _________________________________________________
Witness: ________________________ Date: ______________