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Little Rock – Leon Jones, Jr., Director of the Arkansas Department of Labor has announced that Ozark Electric Cooperative, Fayetteville, is the recipient of a Two (2) Million Man Hour Safety Award.

Two hundred (200) employees have accumulated two (2) million work hours without a lost day away from work due to a work-related injury or illness between March 3, 2011 and July 5, 2016.

The company has a safety program in effect and a safety committee consisting of both employees and management.

An award ceremony will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 24, 2016, at Ozark Electric Cooperative, 3641 Wedington Drive, Fayetteville, Arkansas 72702.

For further information about Ozark Electric Cooperative, contact Mr. Roger Stegeman, Job Training & Safety Coordinator, at 479-422-4571 or email rstegeman@ozarksecc.com.

The Arkansas Department of Labor, the Arkansas Insurance Department and the Arkansas Workers' Compensation Commission are pleased to present this award to Arkansas companies who excel in on-the-job safety.

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