

## 2019 Nominating Committee Approved

**A**t the regular monthly board meeting on January 16, 2019, the board of directors in accordance with Article IV, Section 4.4 of the bylaws appointed a nominating committee from the cooperative's current membership.

The committee will meet on February 21, 2019 to nominate candidates for directors to be elected at the cooperative's 2019 Annual Meeting. Directors whose terms expire this year are David Ibendahl and Jonathan Krause.

Nominations made by the committee, along with any nominations by petition from the members, in accordance with cooperative bylaws and any nominations from the floor at the annual meeting will be voted on by the members present at the 65th Annual Meeting to be held on Friday, April 26, 2019 at the American Legion, Steeleville, IL.

Nominations by the committee and a summary of the bylaws pertaining to director election will be published in the March newsletter.

**Members appointed to serve on the 2019 Nominating Committee are as follows:**

Gene Luthy – Baldwin	Doug Zacheis – Oakdale
Willis Gerlach – Blair	David Gill – Rice
Steve Krause – Glenn	Jeanne Koeller – St Libory
Kenny Jarrett – Glenn	Lowell Shubert – Venedy

**Mark your Calendar for  
Egyptian Telephone Cooperative Association's  
65th Annual Meeting, Friday, April 26, 2019.  
5pm dinner and 7:15 business session.**

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### Directory Additions

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David & Tammy King.....	329-5550		





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1. Egyptian's 65th Annual Meeting will be held April \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.
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 Venedy..... 824-1234

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