SOMERSET RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

YOUTH TOUR APPLICATION

JUNE 17-22, 2027 - WASHINGTON, D.C.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____ E-MAIL: _____

SCHOOL DISTRICT: _____

1. List your in-school extra-curricular activities and any offices held.

2. How do you use non-school time?

3. Tell us about yourself, include your strengths.

PLEASE EXPAND YOUR ANSWERS WITH EXTRA PAPER IF NEEDED

ALL APPLICANTS WILL BE INTERVIEWED AND SELECTED BASED ON ESSAY AND INTERVIEW SCORES.

REQUIREMENT: Students must currently be enrolled as a high school junior.

Calling All High School Juniors: The National Rural Electric Youth Tour is an all expense paid educational trip to Washington, D.C. The Youth Tour is a group of more than 1,800 high school students who visit Washington, D.C., every June, year after year, from towns and small cities all over rural America. They come because their rural electric cooperatives think education is important—education about electric cooperatives and education about America. On the tour, you will learn about electric cooperatives, American history and U.S. government. You will attend educational seminars and visit with your elected officials, see historical sights in and around Washington—Arlington Cemetery, the monuments, the U.S. Capitol, the Smithsonian and countless other places.
This leadership experience also looks great on college applications and job resumes.

PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION BY TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 2027 TO YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR OR TO EMILY BAER AT SOMERSET RURAL ELECTRIC. YOU CAN MAIL THE APPLICATION TO 223 INDUSTRIAL PARK RD, SOMERSET PA 15501 OR E-MAIL EBAER@SOMERSETREC.COM.