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# THANKSGIVING CLOSURE

All Kenergy
offices will be
closed Thursday,
November 25th
and Friday,
November 26th for
the Thanksgiving
holiday.

We hope you have a safe holiday celebrating with family and friends!

# WINTERIZING YOUR HOME BEFORE THE BITTER CHILL

The best time of the year to start winterizing your home is before the temperatures start to drop and snow is already on the ground.

This winter, plan ahead for burst pipes, water and tree damage, and unexpected power outages. Knowing how to prepare for these common occurrences can be beneficial to you and the safety of your home.

#### **Protecting pipes**

If a pipe does burst in your home, avoid electrocution by calling Kenergy right away to turn off your electricity before going down in a basement or before touching any plugged-in appliances.

Here's how you can protect your pipes this winter:

- Turn off outdoor faucets and have sprinkler systems blown out by a professional.
- Drain outdoor hoses.
- Remove and drain window A/C units.
- Insulate pipes in exposed or unheated areas.
- Keep your thermostat above 55°.
- On especially cold days, open cabinets to let warm air reach sink pipes.

#### **Roof damage**

To avoid rooftop water damage from clogged gutters, clean your gutters after the last leaf of the season falls. This will keep ice and water from building up around the foundation of your home, which could possibly cause leaking on your roof.

Before a storm hits, have a professional check the trees around your home. Dead or dying limbs on your trees will most likely fall during the first big storm, causing damage to not only your home, but possibly to your neighbors' homes as well.



#### **OFFICE HOURS**

**Henderson** 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. 6402 Old Corydon Road

Owensboro 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. 3111 Fairview Drive

**Hanson** 9:00 a.m. - Noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 2620 Brown Badgett Loop

**Hawesville** 9:00 a.m. - Noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 315 Hawes Blvd.

**Marion** 9:00 a.m. - Noon, 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 3000 Mott City Road

**Questions regarding your account?** 

Call us any time at 800-844-4832 Please have your account number ready when calling us.

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## Winterizing your home . . . cont. from front

#### **Winter appliances**

When preparing for winter weather, remember to check on winter appliances that have been stored away. Look over appliances like snowblowers and generators to be sure the wiring isn't cracked and that all other parts are in working order.

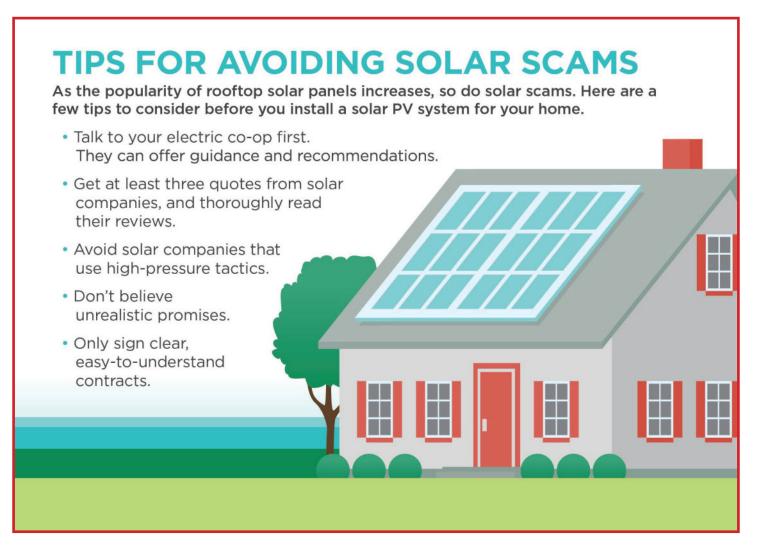
#### **Storm preparation**

Being prepared for the worst is no small feat. Make sure you have a fully charged battery backup for your cell phone. You should also assemble a storm kit that will get you through at least three days without leaving the house. Here are some items we recommend putting in your kit:

- Semi- and non-perishable food items
- Enough water for one gallon per person per day
- Lamps and flashlights (don't forget the batteries!)
- A first aid kit stocked with essentials
- Basic tools

Start preparing your home for winter now and enjoy the comforts of knowing you and your family will be safe from unexpected dangers in and around your home.





## **KENERGY UPDATES TARIFF**



Kenergy Corp. is governed by tariffs that are regulated by the Kentucky Public Service Commission. Our tariff defines how we provide energy to you and how you are charged for the services you receive.

As of September 2021, Kenergy updated our tariff to reflect our most recent rate adjustment order issued by the Kentucky Public Service Commission. You can view the updated tariff by visiting <a href="https://www.KenergyCorp.com">www.KenergyCorp.com</a>. Click the 'About' tab across the top of your screen and then click 'Tariffs' on the left side of your screen. You can also view these and all other electric cooperative tariffs at <a href="https://www.PSC.KY.gov">www.PSC.KY.gov</a>

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### PUMPKIN SCONES WITH MAPLE DRIZZLE

#### **Scones**

- 11/4 Cups Flour
- 2 Tablespoons Brown Sugar
- 4 Teaspoon Baking Powder
- 1 Teaspoon Cinnamon
- 1 Teaspoon Pumpkin Pie Spice
- 1/2 Teaspoon Salt
- 3/4 Cup Pumpkin
- 1/2 Stick Melted Butter
- 1 Tablespoon Milk
- Cream & Turbinado Sugar for topping

#### Glaze

- 1 Cup Powdered Sugar
- 2 Tablespoons Maple Syrup
- 1 Tablespoon Milk

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. Preheat the oven to 450 degrees.
- 2. In a large bowl, combine all the dry ingredients (including brown sugar). Whisk till combined.
- 3. In another bowl, combine the pumpkin, butter, and milk, whisking until well combined.
- 4. Add the pumpkin mixture to the flour. Using a spatula, gently mix together, cutting the pumpkin mixture into the flour. This is a very thick and sticky batter.
- 5. Lightly flour a surface and turn out the dough onto the flour. Sprinkle more on top and using your hands, pat the dough into a 6×10" rectangle. Slice the dough longways down the middle, making 2 3×10 rectangles. Cut the dough into fourths horizontally, but cutting right in the middle (4 3×5 rectangles) and then each one of those in half again (8 3×2.5' rectangle). You can leave here to make bigger scones or continue to slice each of the rectangles at a diagonal leaving you with 16 triangles for smaller scones. Your preference.
- 6. Place on a baking sheet lined with parchment paper. Gently brush cream on the tops of the scones with a pastry brush and then sprinkle with turbinado sugar.
- 7. Bake for 15 minutes.
- 8. Once baked let cool and drizzle with maple glaze. Enjoy!

#### Glaze:

1. Combine maple syrup and powdered sugar in a small bowl. Whisk. Add milk and whisk combining all ingredients and until all lumps are gone. Drizzle over the top of scones once they are cooled.

 $Recipe\ and\ picture\ by\ Fueling A Southern Soul. com$ 

#### **EDITOR'S NOTE**

In the October Member Matters, we shared a 'What's On That Pole' graphic. The graphic points to an image on the pole and says it is a surge arrestor. We would like to correct this mistake. This is an insulator.

