## MORA-SAN MIGUEL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. CONSERVATION BOARD POLICY NO. 124 Supersedes Policy No. 53

SUBJECT:

Conservation

**OBJECTIVE:** 

To establish policy concerning use of energy by the Cooperative and its members, particularly in regard to effectiveness, efficiency, and conservation of energy. This objective is consistent with the utility's responsibilities of a full service Cooperative and its prime concern for members' needs.

## POLICY:

It shall be the policy of the Cooperative to:

- A. Constantly examine its own use of energy. This includes, but is not limited to, plant engineering design and construction, lighting, climate control and use of vehicles.
- B. Develop and carry out a system wide program of energy management including energy conservation, adequate home insulation, weatherization, efficient irrigation and other farm and business uses, and effective and efficient use of energy in the home. Alternate energy sources will be appropriately considered.
- C. Develop and carry out an information program so that the need for energy management is understood along with understanding of what each consumer can do to meet energy use needs most effectively.
- D. Develop and carry out an information and education program with major groups involved in housing, including the building industry and local government organizations, to assure understanding and coordination in methods of energy management.
  - E. Develop training as appropriate for all employees.
- F. Develop an adequate program to promote the weatherization of members' homes, including the selection and monitoring of contractors and securing adequate financing from the FmHA, local lending institutions, CUFC and other sources.

The Board shall be responsible for the enforcement of this Policy.

Approved: Effective:

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Reaffirmed:

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Board Secretary