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Surry Communications

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ON THURSDAY,
NOVEMBER 27, 2025

Nominating Committee Named

On Thursday, September 11, 2025, the Surry Telephone Board of Directors appointed the following members of the cooperative to serve on a nominating committee to propose candidates to serve as directors.

Nominating Committee

Beulah	Danny R. Hodges	Zephyr	Avery Branch
Level Cross	Terry Pratt	Churchland	Danny Snider
Red Brush	Jimmy Draughn	Reeds	Gene Klump
Shoals	Scotty Marion	At Large	Clarence Cropps Jr.
Westfield	Jerry Atkins		

Nominating Committee to Meet:

The nominating committee will meet on Monday, January 5, 2026 at 7:30 p.m. at the headquarters building located at 819 E. Atkins St., Dobson, NC. The committee will nominate at least one member as a candidate to serve a three-year term from the Red Brush Exchange and the Zephyr Exchange.

The list of nominations will be posted at the headquarters business office in Dobson and in all branch offices.



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Recipe of the Month:

Pumpkin Delight Magic Bars

(recipe from Tasteofhome.com)



Ingredients:

- 1 package (11 ounces) vanilla wafers
- 1/2 cup butter, melted
- 3 ounces cream cheese, softened
- 1 can (14 ounces) sweetened condensed milk
- 1/2 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
- 1 can (15 ounces) solid-pack pumpkin
- 1 cup dried cranberries
- 1-1/2 cups sweetened shredded coconut
- 1 cup white baking chips
- 1 cup chopped pecans

Directions:

1. Preheat oven to 350°. Place wafers in a food processor; pulse until coarse crumbs form. Drizzle with melted butter; pulse until blended. Press into bottom of a greased 13x9-in. baking pan.
2. In a large bowl, beat cream cheese, milk and pie spice until smooth. Beat in pumpkin; stir in cranberries. Pour over crust. Layer with coconut, baking chips and pecans.
3. Bake until golden brown, 45-55 minutes. Cool in pan on a wire rack 10 minutes.
4. Loosen sides from pan with a knife; cool completely. Cut into bars. Refrigerate leftovers.

BUSINESS OF THE MONTH



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336-789-9877 Lynn Shelton

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336-787-5892 Rick Jarvis

WESTFIELD EXCHANGE

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