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PRESS RELEASE

Oncor to Prune Trees Near Power Lines

Wylie, TX, July 17, 2017 – In order to minimize the risk of power outages, Oncor will trim trees throughout the city of Wylie the week of July 24. Those affected will be notified by a door hanger three to five days prior to the pruning.

All trees near the Oncor lines will be trimmed on the streets affected. Oncor trims to industry standards and will be trimming those affected trees 10 feet as a rule; however, cuts could go as far back as to the trunk in some cases so as not to jeopardize the health of the tree. It is normal procedure for Oncor tree trimmers to use cuts in the shape of “V” or “L” depending on the proximity of the trees to the lines, the type of tree and other considerations.

Although it is not possible to prevent all tree-related outages, a well-managed tree pruning program can drastically reduce outages and provide a safer environment for utility workers and the public.

Oncor will trim trees on E. Stone Road from Second Street to Stonehedge Drive; east side of S. Ballard Avenue from Stone Road to W. Butler Street; S. First Street from Stone Road to E. Butler Street; S. Second Street from Stone Road to E. Butler Street; S. Third Street from Park Street to E. Butler Street; S. Fourth Street from Park Street to E. Butler Street; Hilltop Lane from E. Stone Road to Butler Circle; Butler Circle; W. Butler Street; E. Butler Street; Trails Place; Briarwood Drive; Dogwood Drive; Dogwood Court; Woodhollow Drive; JW Akin Lane; Foxwood Lane; S. WA Allen Boulevard from Stone Road to Old State Highway 78; E. Foxwood Lane; Squire Drive; Windco Circle; Yorkshire Lane; Wyndham Meadows Way; Piccadilly Circle; London Drive; E. Old Knoll Drive; Sheppard Lane; Sheffield Drive; Wyndham Drive; Devonshire Lane; E. Callie Street; E. Donna Drive; Eubanks Lane; E. Brown Street from County Road 432 to N. Rutherford Avenue; State Highway 78 S from County Road 389 to County Road 1052; N. Anson Parkway; Skyview Court; Side Road; and County Road 435.

For more information on Oncor’s tree pruning, visit <http://www.oncor.com/EN/Pages/Tree-Pruning.aspx>

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About Wylie – Incorporated in 1887, the City of Wylie is located just 24 miles from downtown Dallas in Collin, Dallas and Rockwall counties. Possessing an outstanding school district, a low crime rate, an ISO #1 rating and an expanding business climate, Wylie (population 48,000) is one of the fastest-growing communities in the state of Texas with a 220-percent increase since 2000. In 2015, Money Magazine named Wylie the 25th Best Place to Live in the Country, and financial website NerdWallet named Wylie the Best Small City for Young Families in August 2016. Realtor.com named Wylie the second hottest suburb in the country in February 2017.