



Trinity Fabricators (New Albin, Iowa) was honored as a recipient of a 2018 Iowa Venture Award. The award recognizes businesses “for their significant contributions to Iowa’s economy through entrepreneurial leadership, innovation and the creation of job opportunities.” The structural steel fabricator recently completed a significant expansion with loan assistance from Allamakee-Clayton Electric Cooperative and Dairyland Power Cooperative.



Construction of a new fire station means safety and peace of mind will be a lot closer to home for families in the Town of Alden, Polk County, Wis. Helping to finance the new fire station is a \$694,880, zero-interest, pass-through loan from Polk-Burnett Electric Cooperative, via the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Rural Economic Development Loan program.



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ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE



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Partnering with You

Site Selection

Identifying and selecting the right site to meet your business needs



Project Financing

Economic development loans available via your local cooperative, along with assistance in identifying additional financing and incentives

Infrastructure & Rates

Expertise to ensure your electric utility service needs are well met; competitive electric rates to fit your specific operation

Beneficial Electrification & Energy Efficiency

Assistance in identifying energy efficiency measures and electrification initiatives

Project Facilitation

Connecting you to the people, places and resources in our communities to make your project successful

Contact your local Touchstone Energy® Cooperative or Dairyland Power Cooperative's economic development team to learn more about low-interest financing options and to discuss your project.

Economic Development Loan Program

Low-interest rate financing to support rural economic and community development projects in the communities where we live and serve.



Financing Terms

Amount

- Determined on a case-by-case basis by the cooperative board of directors; based on the project and specific loan program requirements

Rate

- Typically ranging from 0% to below prime interest rate
- Determined on a case-by-case basis by the cooperative board of directors

Term

- Maximum of 10 years

Security

- Adequate security as determined by the cooperative board of directors

Eligible Projects & Applicants

Business/Organizations

- For-Profit or Non-Profit
- Commercial, Industrial, Retail, Distribution, Agricultural Processing
- Land, Buildings, Machinery & Equipment

Community Facilities

- Infrastructure (sewer, water, streets, rail)
- Business/Industrial Parks
- Fire/EMS Buildings & Equipment, Libraries, Community Centers

Health Care & Education

- Hospitals, Clinics, Assisted Living, Child Care



Who We Are:

The Touchstone Energy® Cooperatives of the Dairyland Power System provide power to homes, farms and businesses in western Wisconsin, southeast Minnesota, northeast Iowa and northwest Illinois. These 24 electric cooperatives are owned and governed by the member-consumers they serve.