

News from **Cass County Electric Cooperative**
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Touchstone Energy Honors Local Co-op Employee

Kansas City — The 2010 Touchstone Energy® Cooperatives Brand Champion Award was presented May 13 to Claire Vigesaa, Cass County Electric Cooperative, during the annual Connect Conference in Kansas City.

The Brand Champion Award is a significant honor to individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the development, growth, and success of the Touchstone Energy brand.

“Claire Vigesaa is a shining example of why the brand is as strong and successful as it is today,” said Jim Bausell, COO of Touchstone Energy. “This type of leadership on behalf of the Touchstone Energy brand has had an impact in their local, regional and state communities.”

Claire Vigesaa is an active participant and speaker at state and national Touchstone Energy brand meetings. He visits other cooperatives and organizations to speak about the Touchstone Energy Together We Save campaign.

Touchstone Energy is a national alliance of local, consumer-owned electric cooperatives providing affordable, reliable and safe energy to customers large and small. Touchstone Energy cooperatives serve their members with integrity, accountability, innovation and commitment to community.