

Welcome to the WESCT May 2021 newsletter.

As locals, the WESCT Trustees are proud to own The Lines Company (TLC) on behalf of you, its customers—helping to ensure benefits like discounts on your bills and jobs for local people can continue for the greater good of our community.

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WESCT Trustees. Cathy Prendergast, Carolyn Christian, Erin Gray, Peter Keeling, Janette Osborne and William Oliver.

This month your WESCT Trustees are pleased to bring you the second instalment of your 2020 TLC bill discount.

As we go to print we're also wishing The Lines Company all the best at the Deloitte Energy Excellence Awards in Wellington. TLC is a finalist in the Outcomes Award (for products & services that deliver positive outcomes for customers), while Jared Murrell, TLC Manager of Network Services, is in the running for the Young Energy Professional of the Year.

TLC May Discount

Following your pre-Christmas TLC discount, WESCT customers will receive the second part of the 2020 discount in their May TLC bills, reflective of the five months ending 31 March 2021. We hope this discount will help you prepare for your winter energy bills. The discount amount you receive depends on how much electricity your household has used over the five month period, so your discount may differ from your friends, family and neighbours.

Across the December and May discounts, we're returning \$3.8 million

to 9,000 local customers for the financial year ended 31 March 2021. We're extremely proud to be able to return this money to our customers here in the community — where it can be used for everyone's benefit. With the community recently having voted to keep TLC under WESCT ownership, discounts and other benefits will continue to be passed on to you, our customers. We look forward to continuing our work as shareholder of TLC for the benefit of the entire community.