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Update (3/31/22): The CLP Board of Directors are excited to announce the hiring of Interim CEO Steve Shurts. Steve retired in 2020 after serving ten years as CEO of East Central Energy (ECE) and is highly qualified for the position. Steve will be working as Interim CEO while the CLP Board of Directors work on hiring a permanent CEO.

We look forward to working with Steve and know he will be a great asset to the CLP team.

Update (3/25/22): Last week the CLP Board met with a director from Arrowhead Electric to hear about their CEO search experiences. Our immediate focus is to name an interim CEO as soon as possible. The board requested information from four individuals and will be interviewing three people next week for the interim position. The fourth individual withdrew from further consideration. After the interim CEO is named, the board will concentrate on selecting an entity to conduct the search for a permanent CEO.

From CLP Board of Directors to our Member-Owners (3-10-2022):

Yesterday we accepted a letter of resignation from CLP CEO Hal Halpern, effective April 8, 2022. We thank him for his service and wish him well as he takes on new opportunities in Alaska.

We have started the process to have an interim CEO in place by April 11. The Board has also begun the steps to recruit a permanent CEO. We will be working with professional cooperative associations that will guide us through the recruitment and selection of the best possible candidate for our cooperative. The Board will keep you informed as we move through the process.

We have reassured our dedicated professional CLP staff of our trust and confidence in them as we move through the challenges ahead. We also ask you, our member-owners, for your patience with us and the staff over the next several months as we go through the process to find the best qualified person to help guide CLP into our new energy future.