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Basin Electric hosts virtual 2020 annual meeting

Basin Electric Power Cooperative will host members and guests from a nine-state region at its first virtual Annual Meeting of the Membership today. This year's theme is *"Listen & Lead."*

The livestreamed event will feature messages from Basin Electric representatives and keynote speaker, Scott Tinker. Tinker is the director of the 250-person Bureau of Economic Geology, the state geologist of Texas and a professor holding the Allday Endowed Chair in the Jackson School of Geosciences at the University of Texas at Austin.

He co-produced and is featured in the award-winning energy documentary film *"Switch,"* which has been screened in over 50 countries to more than 15 million viewers and is used on thousands of K-12 and college campuses. He formed the nonprofit Switch Energy Alliance, recently released the film *"Switch On,"* which addresses global energy poverty, and is currently working on the film *"Making the Switch,"* which focuses on the energy transition. He is the voice of EarthDate, a two-

minute weekly program that focuses on stories about Earth. Tinker speaks at 9 a.m.

The meeting will be streamed live at <https://basinelectric.com/about-us/annual-meeting/annual-meeting-video-gallery>, starting at 8:30 a.m.

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