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Donation Helps Fund K-9 Program

Barron Electric Cooperative's \$500 donation will help fund the Spooner Police Department's K-9 program. The City of Spooner and the surrounding areas have seen a dramatic increase in the amount of illegal narcotics being used and transported. The Spooner Police Department will purchase a narcotics detection K-9 and send an officer to training. Officer Chad Brugman said, "The K-9 program will greatly assist the Spooner Police Department in combating the rise in narcotics violations and help enhance the safety of our community." Dallas Sloan, Barron Electric's General Manager said, "The Spooner Police Department and Barron Electric Cooperative have similar missions to improve the quality of life in the area we serve."

Funds for the Barron Electric donations are derived from the Federated Youth Foundation, an administrative trust overseeing unclaimed capital credits of former members. Barron Electric Cooperative has served the rural area since 1936 and currently provides electricity to more than 18,000 members.
