



## **J. Steven Smith Introduction (Biography)**

Steve Smith has been the President and Chief Executive Officer of Hoosier Energy Rural Electric Cooperative, headquartered in Bloomington, Indiana, since January of 1994, after serving 19 years in senior management positions.

Steve participates in numerous industry-related organizations including serving on the EPRI Board of Directors and as past President of the National G&T Managers Association.

Steve earned both a bachelor's degree and MBA degree from Indiana University.

Hoosier Energy is a generation and transmission cooperative owned and governed by 18 member distribution systems serving more than 650,000 residents, businesses, industries and farms over 15,000 square miles in central and southern Indiana and southeastern Illinois.