



About the program



What is Operation Round Up?

Operation Round Up (ORU) is a way for members of CHELCO to support non-profit organizations by rounding up their monthly bill to the next whole dollar.

Here's how it works for new members

New members are included in Operation Round Up automatically. Member bills are rounded up to the next whole dollar amount. The cost to the member will average 50 cents a month.

The difference between the actual bill amount and the rounded up amount goes into a fund at CHELCO that can be used to support community organizations that improve our quality of life. These might be various health support organizations, charities, youth support groups, community projects and others that work to help those in need or the community as a whole.

Certain types of groups, such as religious and political organization, are not eligible. These rules are included on the application.

Who can participate?

Current members can agree to sign up at chelco.com, any area office or by calling the office. New members/accounts are automatically enrolled they opt out. Also, those involved in prepay (Flexpay) program are not able to participate because of the way usage and bills are calculated daily.

How grants are processed

CHELCO has a process for community non-profits to apply for funds to support their services, programs or special projects or events. The applications are reviewed monthly. Applications are available on our website (chelco.com) or by stopping by one of our offices. The application can also be emailed. The application includes

Thank you for participating and building our community!