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Senator John Sullivan and Representative Rich Myers met with 15 students representing McDonough Telephone Cooperative during the Illinois Electric and Telephone Cooperatives Youth Day on Wednesday, April 9, in Springfield. Students had an opportunity to view state government in action and tour the State Capitol, Illinois Supreme Court, Old State Capitol and the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum.

Front row from left are: Sen. Sullivan, Sarah Miller of Rushville, Katie Hogan of Niota, Brittany Pieper of Bushnell, Justin Allaman of Oquawka, Kira Jacobs of Nauvoo and Rep. Myers.

Center row from left are: Chloe Li of Colchester, Jessica Boyle of LaHarpe, Amelia Finch of Sciota, Shawnee Perrine of Roseville and Tim Stein of Colchester.

Back row from left are: Les Fowler of McDonough Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Joseph Deveraux of Macomb, Jake Mahr of Colchester, Kristopher Kurdi of Monmouth, Ben Hawk of Stronghurst and Nathaniel Marshall of Bushnell

The day was sponsored by the Illinois electric and telephone co-ops and is designed to introduce young rural leaders to state government.

McDonough Telephone Cooperative serves more than 4,000 members in parts of Fulton, Hancock, Henderson, McDonough, Warren and Schuyler counties. For more information visit www.mdtc.net.

