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This Week's Top Story | November 13, 2026



Advancing Electrical Industry Priorities at EFC's Quebec Lobby Day

Grid modernization, supply-chain readiness and opportunities to strengthen Québec's electrical and automation industry were at the forefront of EFC's 2026 Québec Lobby Day.

Meetings with provincial government officials and Hydro-Québec focused on advancing electrification priorities, strengthening domestic manufacturing and addressing barriers to technology deployment. Drawing on EFC's research with Dunsky Energy, discussions also highlighted the importance of industry collaboration to support Québec's growing electricity infrastructure needs.

The meetings also highlighted opportunities to strengthen recognition of the electrical and automation industry within Québec's industrial policy and expand collaboration on the province's energy priorities.

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Industry News

2026 EFC Holiday Closing Survey Results Now Available – Thank you to the 99 EFC member companies that participated in this year's survey. Results indicate that all respondents plan to close on December 25 and January 1, with many operating reduced hours or closing early on December 24 and 31. The report provides a breakdown of planned holiday operating schedules across manufacturers, distributors and CEMRA members to support year-end planning. View the survey results

EFC is Attending Canada Light Expo 2026! Explore the latest lighting technologies and solutions advancing a more sustainable future on November 18–19 at the International Centre in Toronto. The expo brings together lighting industry professionals, innovators, and leaders to exchange insights and discover new opportunities. Be sure to visit EFC in the Connections section! Learn more

Share Your 2027 Industry Event Dates – EFC is building its 2027 events calendar, and we'd like your input! If you're planning, hosting or attending key industry events next year, share the dates to help us avoid scheduling conflicts and identify opportunities. Send event details to your EFC contact or info@electrofed.com

Women's Network Atlantic Members Invited to the Atlantic Menopause Show | November 27 – The Women's Network Atlantic Committee is pleased to offer members complimentary admission to the Atlantic Menopause Show, taking place November 27, 2026, at the Halifax Convention Centre. As a Benefactor Sponsor, the committee has secured a limited number of complimentary passes, with just three passes remaining. Tickets are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Interested members are encouraged to reserve their spot. For questions, contact Dennis Potharst

NEW: Ontario YPN GATHER Holiday Floral Workshop | December 10 – Celebrate the season with fellow YPNs at this hands-on holiday workshop! Catch up with familiar faces and meet new industry peers while creating a festive centrepiece to keep or give as a gift. Register now

LAST CALL: EFC Atlantic's "Panel Power Lunch" | November 19 – Join us for an informative and engaging panel discussion on smart building design and how it can be maximized under the latest CE Code changes. Our panel of experts, including Wissam Ghoussaini, ABB and Andrew Pottier, UL Solutions, will also examine the critical impact of energy management and how advanced technologies are driving greater efficiency, lowering costs, and shaping the future of sustainable building design. Registration includes lunch. Register now

REMINDER: EFC Atlantic Family Fun Day | November 21 – Join EFC members and their families for a day at the aquarium at the Beaty Centre for Marine Biodiversity in Halifax, NS! Dive into conservation, curiosity, and connection at Nova Scotia's newest ocean discovery destination. Family and individual rates available. Register now

RECAP: 2026 Roundtable – A Fresh Format, Engaging Discussions and Incredible Energy – On November 5, Quebec members came together for a dynamic event organized by the Young Professionals Network, featuring a fresh format that encouraged active participation and a diversity of perspectives. A great success that highlighted the value of bringing people together and creating opportunities for everyone to contribute to meaningful conversations! View the LinkedIn post

Innovair Solutions Announces Acquisition of Radiant Systems Inc. – Read more

Contact Delage Announces New Representation in Quebec and the Ottawa Valley – Read more

Sandra Tomassi Appointed to National Sales Director with Innovair Solutions – View the LinkedIn post

Titan Electrical Group Welcomes Arminder Singh as Lighting Controls & Design Specialist – View the LinkedIn post

Leviton Canada Names Margarita Mejia as Sales Operations Specialist – View the LinkedIn post

Katy's Donation Day 2026 Marks a Legacy of Giving Back – View the LinkedIn post