# Storm Preparedness and Safety Checklist

### **BEFORE A STORM**

- Find your account number on MyPower or your bill for reporting outages using our self-serve options.
- O Familiarize yourself with MyPower, the easiest way to report an outage: https://bit.ly/3Uvnj5d
- O Bookmark our outage map in your web browser for the latest outage information: https://bit.lv/3SoL5Oo
- Add our number, 1-800-670-1012, to your contact list
- O Charge all mobile devices and power banks
- Secure any loose items around your yard
- O If applicable, review generator information for safe connection and use: https://bit.ly/3XiQ9GY
- Fill propane tanks and your vehicle's gas tank (charge) your electric vehicle if applicable)
- Check your first aid kit for expired products and refill anv medications
- O Check your sump pump and consider purchasing a backup battery
- Review your emergency plan with your family
- O Fill out the information on the back of this page
- O Prepare an emergency kit with at least 72 hours-worth of supplies for each member of your family:
  - O Water
  - Batteries
  - Flashlight
  - Power bank
  - Battery-operated radio
  - Non-perishable & canned goods
  - First-aid kit
  - Warm clothes

- Snacks
- Candles & matches
- 0 Mechanical phone
- Loud whistle
- Warm blankets
- 0 Manual can opener
- Plastic garbage bags Disposable cutlery

#### **DURING A STORM**

- Report power outages by calling 1-800-670-1012 or through your MyPower account
- O Check the outage map for the most up-to-date outage information and estimated time of
- Of If you are using a generator, only use it outside in a well ventilated area
- Turn off all light switches and unplug all electronics and appliances to prevent a power surge when the power returns
- Avoid opening the fridge and freezer to retain the
- Stay indoors and away from any windows or doors
- Check the local news for weather updates

## **AFTER A STORM**

- O Consider all wires as live, stay at least 30 metres away and report downed wires to us at 1-800-670-1012 as soon as possible
- O If your meter mast is damaged, you will need to get an electrician to make repairs before we can restore power
- O Don't forget to refill your emergency kit to be ready for the next time a storm hits

### **HOW WE RESTORE POWER**









Main lines and



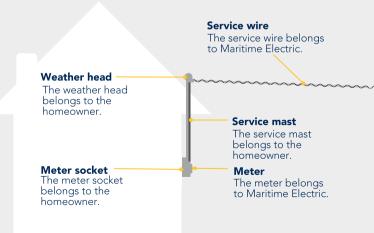
Critical system infrastructure



Hospitals and other urgent community needs



Individual homes and businesses



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## **MY INFORMATION**

Having key information in an easy to find place can make a difference in an emergency.

My Maritime Electric Account Found on your bill or on MyPower for	
Pole Number(s) Next to my R	
Found directly on the pole for reporti	ing emergencies/safety hazards near the pole.
My Address: For quick reference if emergency serv	vices need to be called.
Personal Emergency Contacts For quick reference if another trusted	s:   adult needs to be called by a child or other adult at hom
Contact 1:	Contact 2:
Insurance Policy:	
Company phone number:	My policy number:
Electrician Contact:	
Name/company:	Phone number:
Phone Provider:	
My account number:	Phone number:
Other information: Add any other information that you m	nay need quickly in a storm or emergency.

