



MENDOCINO COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE

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Update: PG&E Public Safety Power Shutoff Scheduled for October 26, 2019 through October 28, 2019

The County of Mendocino has been notified by Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) that power is expected to be turned off in our area due to red flag fire hazard conditions. **At this time the majority of Mendocino County will be affected. Impacted communities include, but are not limited to: Albion, Annapolis, Boonville, Branscomb, Calpella, Covelo, Cloverdale, Cummings, Dos Rios, Elk, Fort Bragg, Gualala, Harris, Hopland, Laytonville, Leggett, Littler River, Manchester, Philo, Piercy, Point Arena, Potter Valley, Redwood Valley, Rockport, Talmage, Ukiah, Westport, Willits and Yorkville.** PG&E estimates that **approximately 39,000** customers in Mendocino County will lose power. This information continues to evolve and could change prior to the scheduled event. More information will be available on PG&E's website www.pge.com later this evening.

De-energization will be initiated by PG&E the afternoon of Saturday, October 26. The event is estimated to continue through the early morning of Monday, October 28. De-energization will begin in the northernmost areas, moving south. Mendocino County will release updated information on Saturday, October 26. Re-energization time periods have not been confirmed by PG&E.

Residents should be prepared with food, water, and any other necessary supplies for this potential extended outage. Residents can visit the County of Mendocino's website www.mendocinocounty.org/psps and PG&E's website www.pge.com for power outage information, preparedness tips, lists of markets, grocery stores and fueling stations that may be open during the outage in your area.

For more information, please contact the Executive Office at 707-463-4441.

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Carmel J. Angelo
Chief Executive Officer