# **Planned power outage notification**



## Lake McMurray-area planned power outage

July 6, 2018

Dear Puget Sound Energy customer,

PSE electric crews are wrapping up the Highway 534 pole relocation project in conjunction with the WSDOT Strategic Highway Safety Plan. The final step is for the crew to energize the newly installed section of electric wire east of Estate Drive. Due to the complexity of this work and for the safety of our crew, it will require one final planned power outage to your residence or business. Our crew is completing as much work as possible prior to the outage as to shorten the duration. Please see below for the planned outage details.

#### Planned power outage details:

Date: OVERNIGHT Thursday, July 26

Duration: Up to six (6) hours

To occur between: 10:00 p.m. - 5:00 a.m.

Where: Highway 534 east of Estate Drive including the Lake McMurray area, Mt Vernon (please see map on reverse for more details)

#### What you can expect

- As soon as the work is complete, power will return to your residence or business automatically
- There will likely be some noise from trucks and flashing lights in the area during work hours
- Traffic control signs and flaggers will guide vehicles and pedestrians safely through work zones

#### • Note: if you are receiving this notice via mail or email, your residence or business is impacted

Please visit **pse.com/plannedoutages** for more information on how to prepare for a planned power outage.

For more information on PSE's State Highway Pole Relocation and Safety Improvement Program, please visit pse.com/controlzone. For more information on the state's Strategic Highway Safety Plan – Target Zero – please visit targetzero.com.

PSE is proud to serve in your community and aim to complete the work with as little disruption as possible. We recognize being without power is an inconvenience and sincerely appreciate your patience as we complete this work as quickly and safely as possible. If you have any concerns or questions, please contact me and reference project number **101090573**. Thank you again for your understanding as we work to complete this project.

Sincerely,

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### Tips to prepare for an outage

- Unplug computers, televisions, and sensitive electronics.
- Minimize opening refrigerator and freezer doors during the outage.
- Check to make sure all heat-producing appliances (stoves, toaster ovens, irons, hair curlers) are turned off.
- If electricity is required to run your water or refill your toilet, have a reserve of water on hand prior to the planned power outage.
- Once the power has been restored for about 10 minutes, turn your equipment back on in stages so you don't overload the system.

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