

Governor Christie Releases Power Utility Companies' Revised Plans for Service Restoration

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Governor Called for Plans Yesterday to Give Affected Families Certainty and Accountability for Getting Their Power Back On

Trenton, NJ – Governor Chris Christie today released revised power restoration plans received from the three major power utility companies in the state in order to create greater certainty, transparency and accountability for New Jerseyans. PSEG, Jersey Central Power and Light and Atlantic City Electric provided plans at the Governor's request to show restoration projections at the municipal level for the next 2 days in order to give New Jersey households and businesses, who continue to be affected by power outages, greater certainty as to when their power needs will be met.

"While progress has been made in restoring power to many businesses, households, and critical infrastructure in the aftermath of Sandy, there are still over 1.25 million customers without power," said Governor Christie. "So many New Jerseyans have demonstrated significant patience and resilience through the storm and this initial **recovery** period, and it is our obligation to get them back online and with the certainty of a timeline they can reliably plan their lives around in the coming days."

The public can access these plans and see when service is expected to be restored in their area by visiting the State of New Jersey website, www.nj.gov, clicking on the Hurricane Sandy Information Center under the Spotlight section, and selecting the link to the power utility company that serves their region.

As of 7:00 a.m. this morning, 1,269,564 customers remained without power statewide, down from a high of 2.7 million through the storm and its immediate aftermath. Governor Christie has met personally with each of the CEOs of the three major utility companies and continues to talk with them daily to discuss restoration efforts and create accountability for New Jersey customers. Each utility company has a representative on-site at the State Police Regional Operation and Intelligence Center (ROIC) to work with state government and emergency management officials, develop action plans and troubleshoot problems as they occur.

There are currently over 16,000 mutual aid/work crews both from in state and out of state on the ground in New Jersey working to reestablish power. Additional crews continue to come in to New Jersey from out of state to assist with the effort.

PDF copies of revised service restoration plans from PSEG, JCP&L and ACE:

[PSEG \[pdf 20kB\]](#)

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