

Puget Sound Energy

PETITION FOR EXCLUSION OF EXTRAORDINARY EVENTS FROM SQI SAIDI
PERFORMANCE CALCULATION

Exhibit B: August 2015 Storm Event Timeline

Date	Time	Activity
Friday 28-Aug	10:09	PSE posted on Facebook and Twitter regarding a forecast of stormy weather
	11:54	NOAA sends a forecast bulletin indicating potential for gusts up to 40-50 mph
	12:57	Notifications and staffing plans initiated in anticipation of storm duty
	14:30	NOAA publishes a wind advisory for the service territory for gusts up to 45 mph starting Saturday morning
	15:57	NOAA upgrades advisory to a high wind warning effective Saturday 08:00-18:00
Saturday 29-Aug	8:00	Winds began hitting service territory and causing outages
	10:00	PSE contacts additional contract line crews to determine availability Thurston storm base activated
	11:00	Northern (Whatcom, Skagit, and Island) storm base activated Pierce storm base activated Emergency response roles in operations, logistics, communications, call center, and the ECC activated
	12:00	100,000 customer affected
	13:00	North King storm base activated South King storm base activated Western (Kitsap) storm base activated
	14:30	Customers affected peaks at approximately 250,000
	15:30	All available first responders, 35 line and 17 tree crews working in the field restoring power; 20 third party contract line crews in route
	17:30	Helicopter patrols begin
	17:45	224,000 customers affected, 26,000 customers restored from peak
	22:00	161,000 customers affected, 89,000 customers restored from peak
Sunday 30-Aug	6:00	97,000 customers affected, 153,000 customers restored from peak Additional helicopter patrols
	9:00	83,000 customers affected, 167,000 customers restored from peak
	10:00	All available first responders, 60 line crews, 21 tree crews working in the field. Emergency response roles in operations, logistics, communications, call center, and the ECC working around the clock. Regional ETR's published (approximately 21 hours after outage peak)
	19:00	South King storm base de-activated

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Monday 31-Aug	1:00	Thurston storm base de-activated
	11:30	27,000 customers affected, 223,000 customers restored since peak
	12:00	78 line crews working, 19 tree crews working
	16:30	Pierce storm base de-activated
Tuesday 1-Sept	1:30	North King storm base de-activated
	19:00	Western (Kitsap) storm base de-activated
Wednesday 2-Sept	7:00	ECC de-activated
Thursday 3-Sept	15:00	Northern (Whatcom, Skagit, and Island) storm base de-activated