

Public Safety Power Shutoff



**THE CITY OF MANTECA HAS A
COMPREHENSIVE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS
PLAN.**

**SPECIAL CONSIDERATION IS BEING GIVEN
TO THE PROPOSED PG&E PUBLIC SAFETY
POWER SHUTOFF.**

What To Expect



- PG&E has informed cities all over California to expect power shutoffs lasting from 2 to 5 days.
- Citizens should be prepared to be self sufficient in the event of a power shutoff.
- The city will not provide food or bottled water in the event of a power shutoff.
- Traffic lights and street lights will not be working.
- Most schools and businesses will be closed.

What to Expect



- Due to increased call volume emergency services will have longer response times.
- Water and sewer services will be functional but at a reduced level. Citizens will be asked to refrain from non-essential water usage.
- Extended outages may affect cell phones.
- Citizens with critical medical or health issues will be directed to a designated shelter site.
- Gas stations will be non functional.

City of Manteca Emergency Operations



- Manteca has a dedicated Emergency Operations Center. When activated it is capable of managing large scale disasters such as prolonged power outages.
- Citizens can expect essential services such as Fire Department, Police Department and Public Works to continue operating with as little disruption as possible.
- The Manteca Senior Center is a designated shelter site. Efforts are currently underway to update the facilities emergency power source.

City of Manteca Emergency Operations



- The city will be using a three tiered response plan in the event of a power outage based on length of time and scope in the region.
- The plan may be adjusted based on current information.
- Public safety, and sanitary utility services will be priority.
- Staff are assessing private contracts for generators and diesel delivery for city facilities.

City of Manteca Emergency Operations



Tier 1

- When notified of an impending Public Safety Power Shutoff the city will notify citizens on social media and Nixel.
- The Manteca Senior Center will be opened as an emergency shelter for citizens with medical or health issues.
- Most city functions will be fairly uninterrupted.

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Tier 2

- After twelve hours (or sooner) of power outage the city will activate its Emergency Operations Center.
- Essential city employees and all Firefighters and Police Officers will be called back to work.
- Generators will be set up at the Manteca Senior Center to charge essential life safety electronics.

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Tier 3

- After 24 hours the city will consider a “Proclamation of Local Emergency”.
- Daily press conferences will be held.
- The need to impose curfews will be evaluated.
- Mutual aid from unaffected areas will be utilized.
- Outages in larger regional areas will increasingly strain city resources.

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What does a Proclamation of Local Emergency mean?

- Request the Governor proclaim a State of Emergency, if necessary.
- Promulgate or suspend orders and regulations necessary to provide for the protection of life and property; curfew in designated boundaries.
- Exercise full power to provide mutual aid to any affected area in accordance with local ordinances, resolutions, emergency plans, or agreements.
- Request State agencies and other jurisdictions to provide mutual aid.

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What does a Proclamation of Local Emergency mean?

- Require the emergency services of any local official or employee.
- Requisition necessary personnel and materials from any local department or agency.
- Obtain vital supplies and equipment and, if required, immediately commandeer the same for public use.
- Impose penalties for violation of lawful orders.
- Conduct emergency operations without incurring legal liability for performance, or failure of performance. (Note: Article 17 of the Emergency Services Act provides for certain privileges and immunities.)

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- PG&E Open House has been requested
- Additional internal plans are being assessed
- Staff will provide regular updates to the public going forward.

Questions???



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