CPI is working to prepare our members for the threat of wildfires and power outages during times of extreme weather. We’ve created a list of suggestions that can help, should there be an extended power outage that lasts multiple days.

HOME CHECKLIST – KEY ITEMS TO HELP YOU DURING A POWER OUTAGE

- Battery powered radio
- Flashlights
- Batteries
- First aid kit
- Prescription medications
- Extra clothing
- Extra blankets
- Basic toiletries
- Extra cash
- Waterproof matches
- Bottled water (1 gallon per person per day for 7 days)
- Non-perishable foods (7 day supply)
- Pet food
- Infant formula
- Paper cups, plates, and utensils
- Can opener
- Portable camp stove
- Firewood
- Backup power generator
- Games (playing cards, board games, etc)

POWER OUTAGE TIPS
DON’T BE IN DOUBT WHEN THE POWER GOES OUT

- Check your electrical panel. Try to reset the breakers.
- Call CPI to report an outage
- Unplug any voltage-sensitive equipment
- Install surge protectors
- Keep refrigerator and freezer doors closed
  Food in a refrigerator will last 12 - 24 hours if the doors are closed.
- Switch on an outside light.
  This may help our crews determine if your power has been restored.
- Listen to radio reports for updates

NEVER WIRE A PORTABLE GENERATOR DIRECTLY INTO YOUR ELECTRICAL PANEL / OUTLETS

Start your emergency preparedness plan by getting connected

- Update your phone and email contact information with CPI
  cpi.coop
- Sign-up for emergency alerts
  ORalert.gov

Stay informed. Stay safe.

Call 541-929-3124 or 800-872-9036 to report an outage.
For more information visit cpi.coop