

Beausoleil First Nation Emergency Operations

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Severe Weather Event Update #4 For Beausoleil First Nation

Hydro Restoration Updates

At approximately 0900 hrs this morning, Hydro One conducted aerial surveillance of the hydro transmission lines on Christian Island. At approximately 1100 hrs, the main feeder line (3 phase line) into the community was restored. Hydro One is still working on restoring power to the other feeder lines into the community and will also address a few other issues within the community itself. We are hopeful that this will be completed tomorrow- Thursday April 3rd.

Although power was restored to a majority of community, one phase of power is still experiencing some issue as the hydro coming into homes is not at full capacity. This has also affected the use of some standby generators. Unfortunately, this is not an issue that can be corrected by our staff and is a result of the automatic transfer switch.

Warming Centre:

The Recreation Centre continues to be the designated Warming Centre and Emergency Shelter for the community.

Community Meals

The following meals are scheduled for April 3rd:

Breakfast- Scone with Peameal or sausage with homefries and French toast casserole.

Lunch- Caesar salad, spaghetti & meatballs, mac & cheese and turkey soup Dinner- Turkey Dinner

All available for pick up at the Recreation Centre.

Community Transportation

Should you require transportation to the warming centre or to drop in for the community meal, please contact the Paramedic Duty Officer at 705-796-1666. The Paramedics will assist those who need transportation.

Emergency Food Supply

Another 40 hampers were distributed today- April 2nd. We will be restocking our grocery supplies tomorrow to continue with community meals so there are no hamper deliveries for tomorrow.

Emergency Fuel Supply

We continue to provide fuel to the community. Requests for fuel top ups can be made to 705-247-2122. Fuel top ups for today will end at 10 PM tonight and will continue tomorrow morning at 8 AM.

Additional Emergency Power Supply

We are in the process of acquiring 20 additional generators to assist with deficits in emergency power supply within the community. We are also acquiring additional heaters, extension cords and power bars. Please call the inquiry number if you haven't had power/heat over the past 4 days or if your equipment has failed.

Small Generator Repairs

If you are experiencing issues with your small generators, please let us know by calling the inquiry line. A list is being formulated for repairs.

Any <u>Urgent</u> inquiries can be forwarded to 705-247-2122.