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Storm Update

At this time, pockets of Martha's Vineyard are without power, water, and/or communications. The Town Highway Departments and utilities providers have been working to restore electricity and communications to the Island as quickly as possible. Additional crews will be coming over from the mainland to help support these efforts.

The Martha's Vineyard Regional Emergency Management Directors are working with the Fire, Emergency Medical Services and Police Departments to ensure the safety of the public. If a resident needs water or shelter, because of loss of power, please call 774-836-0723. You will be directed to your local Emergency Management Director for your individual town's emergency resources.

Martha's Vineyard Emergency Management Directors:

- Aquinnah Emergency Management Director – Forrest Filler
- Chilmark Emergency Management Director – Timothy Carroll
- Edgartown Emergency Management Director – Fire Chief Alex Schaeffer
- Dukes County Emergency Management Director – Martina Thornton
- Oak Bluffs Emergency Management Director – Fire-EMS Chief Nelson Wirtz
- Tisbury Emergency Management Director – Christina Colarusso
- West Tisbury Emergency Management Director – Russell Hartenstine