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Review of Electric Utility Hurricane Preparedness and Restoration Actions

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Category: Power restoration time

Comments: Infrastructure significantly damaged by a little bit more than a tropical storm resulting in high levels of service disruption is indicative of a third world country infrastructure with very poor up-keeping. 15 days to restore service after just a tropical storm is completely unacceptable and demonstrates how ill prepared FPL services are to support existing infrastructure.

What would have happened if Irma had come through Miami as a category 4 or 5 hurricane as per initial forecast?

It is a shame we have not invested in modernizing infrastructure and allow FPL to continue to rely on wood poles and aerial lines.