

Review of Electric Utility Hurricane Preparedness and Restoration Actions

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Electric Utility Provider : Florida Power and Light

Zip Code : 33405

Category : Power restoration time

Comments : I was without power for a week after hurricane Irma, as was my next door neighbor and the two houses behind us. All the other houses on our block had power. The reason that we did not have power was because a branch from a tree in the utility easement broke off and fell on the power lines. My next door neighbor had been trying for over a month to get FPL to trim that tree. We had the same issue during Wilma (we lost power then for over a week for the same reason). FPL does not want to spend the money to trim the trees in the utility easements. These trees and/or their branches fall on the power lines and we are without power.