

Does LCEC turn the power off intentionally?

- LCEC continues to restore power until it is unsafe to work. At that time, nature takes its course and as soon as it is safe to work again, the LCEC crews get to work.
- In some situations, LCEC is requested to disconnect power for safety reasons. Only at that time will LCEC de-energize the lines.

How does LCEC restore power after a storm?

- After a storm has passed, LCEC quickly begins to assess the damage to the electric system.
- LCEC then begins restoring power to essential services such as hospitals, traffic signals, shelters, communication centers and law enforcement.
- Next, power is restored to the greatest number of customers in the least amount of time.
- Finally, individual services or services that need to be reconnected after repair to the customer's damaged electrical system are restored.