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BECi Restores Power to 85% of Membership

Full restoration is anticipated to be completed within two weeks with the aid of 500 additional linemen

DeRidder — BECi has restored over 85% percent of its membership in less than a week after Hurricane Delta left all 43,000 of our members without power - only 6 weeks after Hurricane Laura did the same. BECi is still confident that all members will be restored in 2 weeks or less. Below is a breakdown of restoration work and estimated times of restorations for specific areas. BECi would like to remind members that these are estimates and unknown damage and unforeseen circumstances may extend estimated restoration time. BECi would also like to remind members that stopping crews to inquire about the restoration process will only further extend outage times.

ALLEN PARISH

Reeves: The distribution line that feeds the area between Reeves and Kinder, around Old Pump and Sand Pit Road, is surrounded by high water that is preventing restoration efforts. Crews are bringing in boats in order to assess lines. Meanwhile, other crews in the area continue to make repairs to lines on Methodist Camp Road. Full restoration is anticipated by October 15.

Kinder: Repairs have been completed to one circuit coming out of the Kinder substation. Other distribution lines are close to completion now that waters have receded. Crews are working on lines towards Ward Line Road.

Oberlin: Repairs to two of three distribution lines from the Oberlin substation have been completed. Crews are working on a distribution line headed west across the Calcasieu and Ouiska Chitto River towards Mittie. Crews are working in flooded areas that may slow down restoration, but progress continues.

Elizabeth: Repairs to all distributions lines from the Elizabeth substation are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration, making repairs to tap lines that feed individual homes and business, although flood waters continue to slow the restoration process. Full power restoration is anticipated by October 16.

BEAUREGARD PARISH

Dry Creek/Sugartown: The substations for this area have been energized and progress continues to be made on repairs to distribution lines. Crews are resetting poles in this area and are working towards Morrow Bridge and Longville Gravel Pit Road. Crews are waiting on flood waters to recede to continue making repairs to other individual tap lines. For members who are energized by lines that are not surrounded by flood waters, restoration is estimated to be completed by October 15.

Topsy and North Topsy: Full restoration is anticipated by October 15.

Ragley: The Barnes Creek substation has been energized. Fallen oak trees and high water on Highway 190 are keeping portions of this distribution line from being energized. Dispatch employees and linemen are working to find alternate routes to energize this distribution line. Other crews in the area will begin to make repairs to Oil Field CYX Road tomorrow. Smaller line crews in this area are working to make repairs on individual tap lines.

Longville: High waters in Barnes Creek Swamp are impeding restoration efforts in this area. Dispatch employees and linemen are working to find alternate routes to energize these distribution lines.

Bon Ami: Repairs to one distribution line are complete and crews continue to make repairs on other distribution lines from this substation. Crews have begun working on the west side of Highway 171, Flat Bottom Creek on Highway 112 and Dogwood Trail. Full restoration for members who are fed from this substation is anticipated to be complete by October 15.

Ludington: All distribution lines from this substation are energized. Crews have begun to work on individual tap lines. Crews will be making repairs on Hauser Road, Hawks Road and in the Cottonwood area. These repairs are anticipated to be completed by October 16.

Junction: Repairs to two of three distribution lines are complete. Crews continue to work on making repairs to the final distribution line. Meanwhile, other crews have begun moving south into Merryville to make repairs to service and tap lines. High water along the Sabine River are impeding restoration efforts.

CALCASIEU PARISH

Sulphur: Repairs to the substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration in this area which is making repairs to service and tap lines that energized individual homes and businesses.

Buhler: Repairs to the substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration in this area which is making repairs to service and tap lines that energized individual homes and businesses.

Moss Bluff: Repairs to the substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration in this area which is making repairs to service and tap lines that energized individual homes and businesses.

Gillis: Repairs to the substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Repairs to meters along Highway 12 are complete. Crews are waiting on high waters from Gillis and Adams Road to recede before continuing with repairs. Meanwhile, other crews in the area continue to work to make repairs to lines along Topsy Road.

EVANGELINE PARISH

Crews continue to make repairs along Colony Road. Full restoration is anticipated by October 16.

JEFF DAVIS PARISH

Crews continue to work along Topsy Road and south along Parish Line Road into the Kinder area.

RAPIDES PARISH

Glenmora/Oakdale: Repairs to the northern part of this area is complete. Crews are now working to make repairs to Colony Road. Full restoration is anticipated to be completed by October 16.

VERNON PARISH

Pickering: Repairs to the substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration in this area which is making repairs to service and tap lines that energized individual homes and businesses.

New Llano: Repairs to substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration in this area which is making repairs to service and tap lines that energized individual homes and businesses.

Pitkin: Repairs to substation and distribution lines that feed this area are complete. Crews have entered the final stage of restoration in this area which is making repairs to service and tap lines that energized individual homes and businesses. Full restoration is anticipated to be completed by October 16.

As of October 14, at 2:00 PM, here are the breakdown of outages per parish.

Parish	Members Served	Total Number of Members Without Power	Total Number of Members Restored to Date	Percentage of Parish Still Out	Percentage of Parish Restored
Allen	5509	1858	3651	33%	67%
Beauregard	14943	2549	12394	17%	83%
Calcasieu	12402	1217	11185	9%	91%
Evangeline	50	25	25	50%	50%
Jeff Davis	336	229	107	68%	32%
Rapides	1487	74	1413	4%	96%
Vernon	8172	758	7414	9%	91%
Total	42899	6710	36189	15%	85%

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