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Board Memo 050-2024: Winter Storm in New England Districts

Executive Board,

Below is an update from the Michael Swigart, the Executive Director of Continuity and Preparedness, regarding the winter storm in New England on April 3, 2024

Situation: A winter storm in New England has brought a mix of rain, heavy snow and strong damaging winds resulting in power outages and non-passable roads due to falling trees in three Districts (ME-NH-VT; NY3; and MA-RI) and the New England Division.

People:

- All accounted for and no injuries reported.
- Employee availability impacted in areas with the heaviest snowfall and power outages.

Property:

- One (1) office in the ME-NH-VT District suffered minor damage after a tree fell on the building.
- 110 offices in two (2) districts are without power (ME-NH-VT - 91; and NY3 - 19)
- The Southern Maine P&DC lost power this morning (10:30 am).

Product:

- Transportation (delivery, collections and dispatch) has been heavily impacted from the snow, downed power lines and road closures.
- All routes are out for delivery where safe and accessible.
 - Weather delay and no access scans approved where roads are impassable, approved by District Manager.
 - Non-delivered routes, late arrival trucks and delays will be reported in DCV.
- All boats and planes to island offices are delayed or cancelled..

Communication:

- Emergency hotlines have not been updated.
- District Leadership has been informed and are holding touchpoints throughout the day.
- Area Leadership has been informed.

Please share this information with your membership.

Thank you, and be safe.

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