

# NEWS



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### **NIPSCO CREWS RESTORE POWER TO MOST CUSTOMERS FOLLOWING POWERFUL SUMMER STORM**

**MERRILLVILLE, Ind.** – Crews from Northern Indiana Public Service Company (NIPSCO) have restored power to most customers following a powerful summer storm that swept across northern Indiana during the late afternoon and early evening of July 21.

A total of 24,000 customers across northern Indiana were without power. Crews worked throughout the night and restored power to all but 3,800 customers, most of who are in Angola, Gary, Goshen, LaPorte, Monticello, Plymouth and Valparaiso. NIPSCO expects to restore power to these customers today.

Customers should stay away from downed power lines and not come into contact with anything touching a downed line. Downed power lines should be reported by calling 911 and NIPSCO at 1-800-4-NIPSCO.

NIPSCO, with headquarters in Merrillville, Ind., is one of the 10 energy distribution companies of NiSource Inc. (NYSE: NI). With over 712,000 natural gas customers and 445,000 electric customers across the northern third of Indiana, NIPSCO is the largest natural gas distribution company, and the second largest electric distribution company, in the state. NiSource distribution companies serve 3.7 million natural gas and electric customers primarily in nine states. More information about NIPSCO is available at [www.nipSCO.com](http://www.nipSCO.com).

