

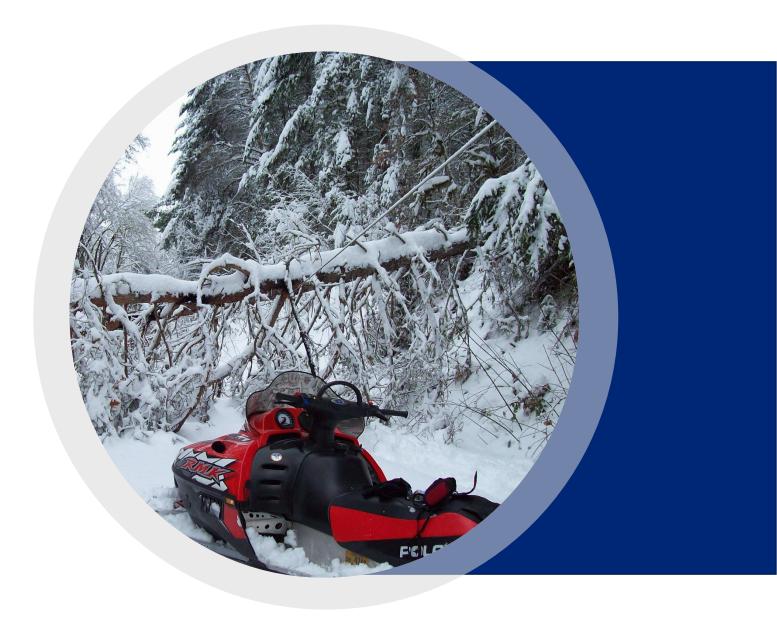
MW&L EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

KEEPING THE LIGHTS ON AND WATER FLOWING



OUR START TO EMERGENCY PLANNING

- 2008 WINTER STORM
- STARTED MONTHLY MEETINGS (Still ongoing today)
- STARTED TASK LIST (Still ongoing today)



2023 STRATEGIC PLAN: Emergency preparedness is a key objective



- ☐ Emergency Response Plan
- ☐ Updated website with emergency preparation information
- Wildfire plan (updated annually)





- ☐ Update our COOP Plan
- ☐ Crisis communications plan
- ☐ Training:
- Incident Command System for additional staff
- Tabletop exercises
- Yamhill County assisting with an exercise

WILDFIRE PLANS

ELECTRIC SYSTEM:

RED FLAG DAYS; ENHANCED SENSITIVITY MODE; DAILY PATROLS FOR POTENTIAL ISSUES





ELECTRIC SYSTEM: THERMAL IMAGING CAMERA

ELECTRIC SYSTEM:
INCREASED TREE TRIMMING
(SENT LETTERS TO CUSTOMERS
OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS)





WATERSHED: BRUSH TRUCK; NO PUBLIC ACCESS; WTP PERSONNEL ARE FIRST RESPONDERS

AFTER ACTION

HELD AFTER ALL MULTI-DAY OR MAJOR EVENTS

Items added to our task list

LEARN FROM OTHERS

- 6 line crew staff at Springfield for 13 days in January 2024
- Reviewing Springfield Utility Board's After Action to identify potential issues we can identify

CURRENT FOCUS

- Additional equipment on hand
- Communications to customers
- Define role & responsibilities for employees



FUTURE LARGE CAPITAL PROJECTS



FUTURE WATER TREATMENT PLANT/SUBSTATION SITE



RESILIENCY PLANNING: ADDITION OF SELF-SUPPORTING STEEL POLES TO IMPROVE RELIABILITY FOR TRANSMISSION



NEW BUILDING TO BE BUILT TO "ESSENTIAL FACILITY" STANDARD TO ALLOW FOR IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY





THANKYOU