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## **CWLP LINE CREWS ASSISTING AMEREN IN QUINCY THIS WEEK**

City Water, Light and Power (CWLP) sent 18 of its linemen and a supervisor to assist Ameren in the Quincy, Illinois area of its territory with their power restoration efforts today. Ameren reported that high winds last night have caused extensive damage to its system, including many downed power lines in this area.

Under a mutual aid agreement with Ameren, CWLP is providing this assistance through its crews that volunteer for such assignments. Under this agreement, the utility requesting aid is responsible for paying all of the material and labor costs and associated expenses of the crews from the responding member utilities. Mutual aid agreements are a primary mechanism utilities use in response to storms and other disasters that wreak havoc on electric systems.

CWLP's line crews are expected to work through the week in this area.

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