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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## Marin Municipal Water District asks customers to prepare for PG&E power shutoff and curtail water usage

The Marin Municipal Water District is asking customers to prepare for PG&E's planned Public Safety Power Shutoff today by curtailing water use and planning ahead. Customers should stop using irrigation systems, and reduce water use.

In advance of the power shutoff, customers should also plan ahead and store <u>at least</u> a three-day emergency supply of water of two gallons per person, per day. Remember to include extra water for those with special needs and for pets. PG&E estimated Tuesday that the power shutoff could last up to six days.

The Marin Municipal Water District has taken precautions to prepare for the PG&E power shutoff, and has installed backup generators at water treatment plants to continue to provide water from its reservoirs. The water district has also prepared a fleet of generators that will be placed at pump stations throughout Marin as needed to keep water tanks full and to ensure service is not impacted.

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