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For Immediate Release
Village Manager's Office

Storm Update

A major storm moved through the Chicagoland area last night that has resulted in significant tree damage and power outages in the Village of Deerfield.

The Village estimates that approximately 60% of Deerfield residents are without power. ComEd has indicated that due to the widespread nature of the outages, it is possible that some residents could be out of power for more than one day. At this time, the Village does not have estimates on restoral time for Deerfield residents from ComEd. The Village encourages residents to continue to call ComEd at 1-800-EDISON-1 (1-800-334-7661) to report power outages and to get updates on restoration times. ComEd is not always aware that an individual home's power is out.

Public Works staff worked over night to clear roadways and continues to work throughout town today. The Village will be providing a special pick up service for downed tree limbs on private residential property through Friday. Residents should have their limbs at the curb prior to 7AM on Friday. Any residents that have downed trees should contact a private contractor for removal of the tree.

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