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For Immediate Release  
Village Manager's Office

### **July 11 Storm**

At this time, the Village of Deerfield currently has about 2,000 customers without power resulting from this morning's storm. Village of Deerfield officials have been in contact with ComEd and we have been notified that ComEd has over 400,000 customers out in their service territory and that it may be a multi-day restoration effort. ComEd has not yet provided power restoration estimates for Deerfield. It is expected that some residents may experience an outage that lasts more than 1 day.

The Village encourages residents 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.

Residents should stay away from downed power lines and call 911 if they witness fires or dangerous conditions.

Public Works crews are currently working in town to clear the roadway of debris and remove any parkway trees causing a hazardous condition. Due to the large number of limbs down, the Village will be providing a special pick up service for downed tree limbs on private residential property through Wednesday. Residents should have their limbs at the curb prior to 7AM on Wednesday in order to receive a pick up. Any residents that have downed private trees should contact a private contractor for removal of the tree.

The Village will continue to update the website and issue press releases as information becomes available.

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