

## TOWN OF DERRY, NH EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT NEWS RELEASE

To: Media Outlets and Citizens of Derry, New Hampshire

Date: October 30, 2017 5:00pm

**Subject: Wind Storm- Press Release #1** 

Heavy rain and strong damaging winds have closed roads and knocked out power to many. Eversource reports 32% of Derry residents are still affected by power outages. Early this morning, 57% of our community was without power. Utility and public works crews have worked throughout the day to clear debris and wires from roadways. As of 2:30 p.m. there are 26 roads that are fully closed and 13 that are partially closed. Emergency responders have been extremely busy handling 215 calls for service. Because of the widespread damage throughout the entire region, Eversource reports it could be several days until power can be restored.

The fire department is urging citizens to stay clear of downed wires as they may still be energized. When operating generators make sure they are not being run indoors and are at least 10 feet from the structure. Generators running inside a structure can cause carbon monoxide poisoning and result in death. Citizens with questions can call the Derry Emergency Management Hotline at 603-845-5522.

The Zoo Fitness Club and Planet Fitness are allowing residents to shower at their facilities during the power outages.

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## The following roads in Derry are **fully** closed:

12 Adams Pond Rd
Island Pond Rd at Whitney's
41 Drew Rd
Fordway Extension at Beacon Hill Rd
67 Goodhue Rd
64-97 Kilrea Rd
North Shore Rd at Germantown Rd
Old Auburn Rd at Elwood
Hoodkroft Dr at Corwin Rd
Londonderry Ln
35 Stark Rd
Bill Rd at Eleanor Ave
1 Brookview at Scenic Dr
Escumbuit Rd

Bedard Ave at Claire Ave
Berry Rd and Brady Ave
Eastgate at Route 28
2 Dattillo Rd
Peter Dr
32 Pond Rd
Pingree Hill Rd at Chester Town Line
Kendall Pond Rd at State Shed
Brady Ave
46 Berry Rd
Bill Rd at Elaine Ave
105 Walnut Hill Rd