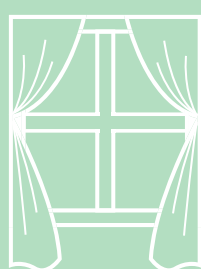
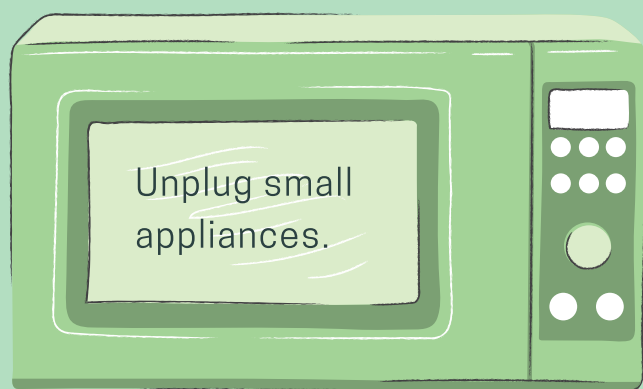


# STORM PREPAREDNESS

How to be ready and stay safe when dangerous weather hits this summer



Secure the exterior of your home and any loose items that could get swept up and blown away or cause damage.



Plan where you will shelter in your home. It should be on the first floor with no nearby windows.

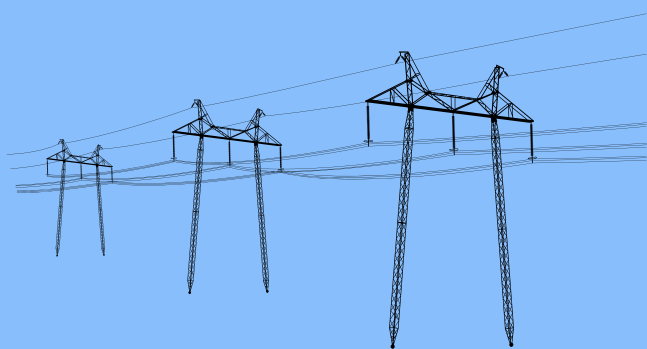
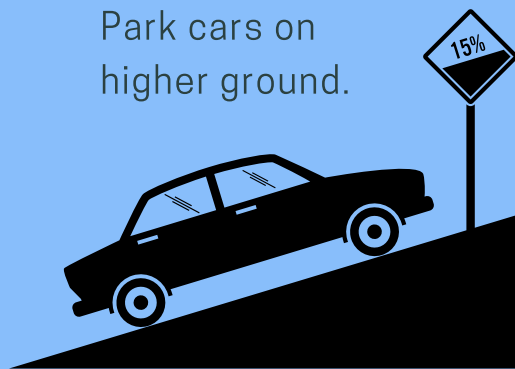
Charge your phone.



Have extra cash on hand.

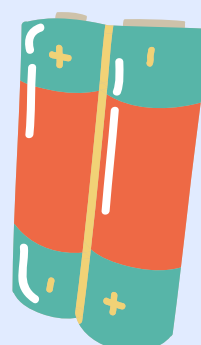
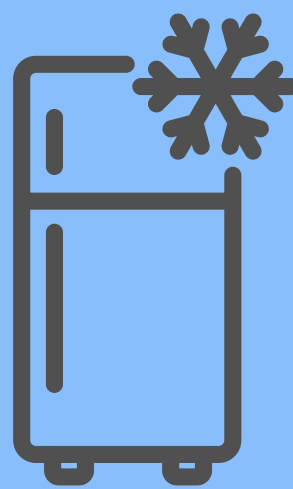


Park cars on higher ground.



Don't park under trees, under power lines, or in low-lying areas.

Turn your refrigerator and freezer to the coldest settings and try to avoid opening the door if power goes out.



Make an emergency kit with flashlights, fresh batteries, a hand-cranked or battery-powered portable radio, plenty of bottled water, medications, non-perishable food, plastic utensils, can opener, blankets, hand sanitizer, hygiene products, toiletries, and first aid items, as well as important documents.