

Review of Electric Utility Hurricane Preparedness and Restoration Actions

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Comments : Florida needs to go solar NOW!! Hurricane Irma showed again how undependable the power grid is when a big storm hits. We only went a week with no power but we are dependent upon medications that need refrigeration. This is the "Sunshine" state; it makes no sense NOT to use solar power.

Utilities need to invest in more solar and batteries near our neighborhoods. Or make it easier for customers to buy their own equipment and be able to use it when the grid goes down. Those kinds of technology should be used wherever they can to prepare for hurricanes. We need to make sure FPL is building the grid with modern technology and clean energy to make it more dependable, not just rebuilding the same old power lines that keep going down when we need them the most.