

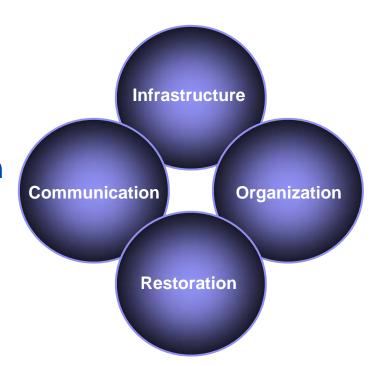
# **2010 Hurricane Preparedness**

May 17, 2010

#### **2010 Preparations**

## **FPL's Hurricane Preparedness Plan**

- Continue to strengthen the infrastructure
- Prepare the storm organization
- Refine the restoration plan
- Enhance communications





## **Distribution Hardening**

Communication Organization

Restoration

- Continue 3-Prong approach
  - EWL projects (CIF/Critical Poles)
  - Community Projects
  - New Design Guidelines





## **Transmission Hardening**

- Replace all wood structures
- Replace ceramic post insulators on concrete structures





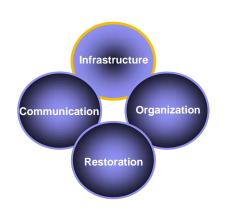
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## **Distribution Pole Inspections**

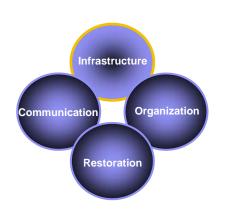


- FPL owns over 1.1 million poles
- Inspecting 1/8 of poles each year
- On-schedule first cycle 47% complete





## **Transmission Pole Inspections**

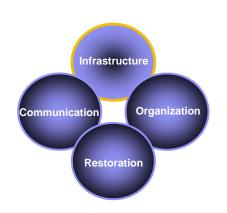


- 65,000 structures system-wide
- On-going 6-year cycle
- Ahead-of-schedule first cycle 84% complete
- Inspect all critical 500kV lines & facilities serving CIF





## **Distribution Vegetation Management**



- Feeders 3-year average trim cycle
- Laterals 6-year average trim cycle
- Clear Top CIF
- Encourage "Right Tree Right Place"





## **Transmission Vegetation Management**



 Clear 100% of transmission right of way each year





## **Prepare the Storm Organization**



## **Annual Preparations**

- Roles identified and staffed
- Training updated
- Training conducted
- Forensic teams ready





#### **Refine the Restoration Plan**

Safely restore in shortest time

- Resource plans in place
  - Logistics
  - Foreign utilities & contract crews
  - Inventories

Complete ICS implementation





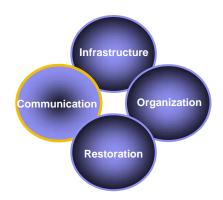
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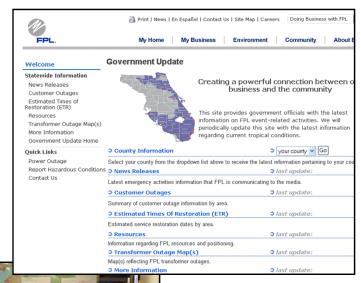
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#### **Enhance Communications**



- FPL / County EOC meetings
- Governmental & community communications
- Estimated restoration times





## **Areas of Concern or Vulnerability**

- Hardening Multi-Year Effort
- Multiple Storms
- Catastrophic Storms
- Insufficient Resources





## **Hurricane Preparedness Plan 2010**

## **Summary**

- Infrastructure strengthened
  - Hardening; Pole inspections;
     Vegetation
- Organization prepared
  - Trained and ready
- Restoration plan tested & refined
  - Lessons learned; Technology;
     Forensics



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