Ventura County Area Agency on Aging
PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF PREPAREDNESS

Are you ready for a PSPS or Public Safety Power Shutoff?
Southern California Edison monitors Ventura County conditions closely and may initiate preventative power shutoffs in your area. If you are sensitive to heat or dependent on electricity to power medical devices, you should begin preparing immediately. Power Shutoffs initiated by Southern California Edison may last throughout the duration of the fire weather event.

WAYS TO PREPARE:
- Fully charge all devices
- Have a generator or portable battery system on hand
- Keep flashlights ready and easily accessible
- Keep hallways clear of clutter for safe walking paths
- Use banisters and handrails when using stairways
- Keep non-perishable food items well stocked
- Have access to safe drinking water

Individuals living with a disability who use assistive technology and/or durable medical equipment can visit www.disabilitydisasteraccess.org. For additional information, or to sign-up to receive alerts, please visit www.vcemergency.com.