



CRYSTAL POLICE DEPARTMENT

TITLE: EMERGENCY GENERATOR POWER FAILURE

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POLICY

The Police Department has a back-up generator that starts automatically in the event of a power failure. Should the generator fail to start, the Shift Commander shall immediately contact the Director of Public Works. In the event of a complete power failure, the jail is to be shut down. The procedures to be followed are located in the Jail Policy Manual.

In the event of a large scale power outage or other disaster or catastrophic event, officers shall coordinate police operations with the Emergency Management Coordinator. Currently, this person also serves as the Director of the West Metro Fire Department. The Shift Commander shall contact a Captain who in turn will notify the Chief of Police.