



Dear PSEG Long Island customer:

The beauty of Long Island is tied to its beautiful trees; however trees that grow too close to power lines can cause power outages and safety concerns, particularly during storms.

As part of our commitment to providing safe and reliable service, we have improved and expanded our vegetation management program. These enhancements were required to align the program with Industry best practices utilized by utilities nationwide.

PSEG Long Island's Tree Trim Program reduces the number of power outages by trimming branches away from electric wires. In fact, outages caused by trees have decreased, on average, by 80 percent in areas where we've already implemented our enhanced program. Even if your home's electric service is underground, overhead lines are part of the distribution system that supplies your power, and you will benefit from this maintenance / improvement.

To improve our service to you on circuit **4H-257** a Tree Trim Crew, **GREEN VELVET** is scheduled to work in your neighborhood beginning the week of **6/10/19**. This date and the duration of the Trim work could change or extend due to inclement weather or emergency response work.

PSEG Long Island uses trimming techniques recommended by the International Society of Arboriculture to protect tree health. Clearance around electric wires is maintained at the top of utility poles, not around the lower telephone and cable lines or a customer's service line. Our crews will remove the debris that results from this scheduled maintenance program at the end of the day. In most cases, crews can perform their work from the street. If it becomes necessary to enter your property to access our electric wires, they will proceed with the utmost care and respect.

PSEG Long Island only removes foliage debris as part of our Tree Trim Program, not following storms or customer-requested work. In these cases, the property owner (trees on private property) or the local municipality (trees on public property) are responsible for removing debris.

There is no need to contact us and you will not have to be home when this work is performed. Should you have any questions, please visit us online at www.psegliny.com.

Upon completion of the work, we may contact you for a brief survey about the Tree Trim program work. Your feedback is extremely important to us. For more information about our tree trim program and other reliability initiatives, visit us online at:

<https://www.psegliny.com/safetyandreliability/minimizingoutages/treertrimming>

Sincerely,

PSEGLI Vegetation Management