



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **Lompoc City Crews Restoring Power At Lompoc High School**

*Electricity expected to be back on by 3 p.m.*

**LOMPOC, CA, Sept. 11, 2017** – Power is expected to be restored to Lompoc High School by mid-afternoon today following a power outage early this morning resulting from a faulty underground electrical cable.

The power outage at Lompoc High School was reported to City of Lompoc electrical crews shortly before 6 a.m. Crews immediately went to work at the high school, determining the outage was caused by a faulty underground electrical cable. It's unclear yet whether the problem was storm-related.

Lompoc city crews are currently fixing the issue, and expect power will be restored to Lompoc High School by **3 p.m.** The city has been working closely with the Lompoc Unified School District (LUSD). The school district notified parents of Lompoc High School students about the situation, and is keeping parents apprised of updates. School remains in session.

Emergency generators have been brought to the school cafeteria to ensure food is kept safe, and portable toilets have also been delivered.

An update will be provided when power is restored to Lompoc High School.

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### **City of Lompoc**

The City of Lompoc was founded as a town in 1874 and incorporated as a city on Aug. 13, 1888. Prior to the City's establishment, the building of La Purisima Mission in 1787 marked the earliest European settlement in the Lompoc Valley. Growth in the Lompoc Valley was sparked by the 1901 completion of the coastal railroad between San Francisco and Los Angeles, which included the extension of a spur into Lompoc. The Lompoc Valley is home to Vandenberg Air Force Base, the first missile base of the United States Air Force. Today, the City of Lompoc is a travel destination known for its downtown mural program, local wines and acclaimed cuisine, historic landmarks, parks and nearby beaches. For more information, visit:

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