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Versant Power – Notice of Transmission Disruptions

On May 27th, 2020, beginning at 14:25, the Versant Power, Maine Public District (MPD) area experienced a severe lightning storm which lasted until approximately 18:20. The slow-moving nature of the storm resulted in widespread impacts within the MPD service territory. Numerous lightning strikes were experienced with approximately 20-25 direct strikes causing reclosing operations and outages on both the transmission and distribution systems. Repairs and proactive inspections continued overnight into the next day.