



# Storm Resiliency and Response

We know it keeps energy utilities up at night: a major storm has rolled though and your customers, dependent on you to keep their lights on, are without service. You want to get everything back up and running again as soon as possible.

Black & Veatch shares your commitment to these communities. We offer a safe, efficient response to damages and outages caused by extreme weather events. Whether we're preparing for future storms or providing a rapid response during hard times, Black & Veatch and our subsidiary Bird Electric have the resources to plan and execute recovery strategies across the nation.



## Comprehensive Resiliency Solutions

### Planning

- System assessment
- Climate risk modeling
- Operational optimizations
- Technology investment recommendation
- Personnel training

### System Hardening

- Business case development
- Scope, cost, schedule, and execution planning
- Engineering, procurement, and construction
- Asset management program
- Monitoring, operations, and maintenance

### Damage Assessment Teams (DAT)

- Immediate mobilization
- Hundreds of in-house assessment professionals
- Technology-driven assessment applications
- Field safety, administrative oversight, and support
- Aerial drone services

### Power Restoration

- 24/7 crew availability and rapid deployment
- Distribution and transmission line inspection and repair (overhead and underground)
- Pole and infrastructure replacements
- Union and non-union subcontractors
- Hydrovac, vegetation, and lodging support
- Access to specialty equipment (including horizontal directional drills)
- Performance optimization and testing

Black & Veatch empowers our clients to prevent history from repeating itself, preparing them to respond effectively in the wake of natural disasters. Our team leverages nationwide relationships to immediately mobilize personnel and equipment to affected areas.



Black & Veatch and our subsidiary company Bird Electric specialize in mitigating risk and safely restoring power for utilities and their customers after ice storms, hurricanes, tornadoes, and wildfires. [Contact us](#) to develop a customized plan for your business.



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