

FirstEnergy, Our Contractors and Vendors Considered Essential Businesses During Shut-Downs

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FirstEnergy is working with government officials to ensure that our employees and contractors are authorized to continue the essential utility work we do as states across our service area enact shelter-in-place or business closure orders.

To ensure our employees and contractors/suppliers can continue performing their work without question, we have established the following guidelines to allow them to identify themselves as essential personnel if questioned by law enforcement or concerned citizens:

- Employees and contractors with a FirstEnergy ID should display their company badge
- Essential contractors/suppliers will receive a letter from Supply Chain indicating they perform critical services to support the on-going work of FirstEnergy and its operating companies. The letter will be accompanied by an authorized list of FirstEnergy suppliers/vendors.

Supply Chain has prepared an essential supplier/contractors list, and is in the process of distributing the list and authorization letter to all of the firms on the list.

It is important that employees and badged contractors always wear their FirstEnergy ID badge and that all other contractor and vendors have their credential documentation on-hand.

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