

Press Release

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Fort Drum Public Affairs

## Fort Drum Officials Announce Power Outage Impacts

FORT DRUM, N.Y. -- A significant portion of Fort Drum will be impacted by a planned power outage from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Tuesday, July 15. During the outage, National Grid is implementing critical infrastructure upgrades for the installation.

Due to the service interruption, the Senior Commander has directed that only mission essential military and civilian personnel will report as scheduled. Service Members and Civilian employees unsure of their status should reach out directly to their chain of command or supervisor with questions.

Safety officials are encouraging motorists to avoid driving during this time, if possible, as some traffic lights will not be functioning during the outage. Military police and temporary signage will be present at those intersections and drivers should use caution and follow directions from emergency services personnel.

Many of Fort Drum's offices and services will be closed or have altered hours on Tuesday to include:

- Child and Youth Services (Child Development Centers, School Age Center, Youth Center) – Closed
- FMWR Facilities – Closed
- Gyms – Magrath Sports Complex, Monti Physical Fitness Center – Closed
- Atkins Functional Fitness Facility - Closed 8:00 a.m. - 1 p.m. (to include the 24/7 access) and will re-open once power is restored.

- Medical and Dental Clinics – Closed until 1 p.m. with any morning appointments rescheduled.
- Clark Hall – Closed until 1 p.m.

Community members can find a full list of impacted services and stay informed about any changes by visiting the Fort Drum website: <https://home.army.mil/drum/>, following the installation on social media: <https://www.facebook.com/drum.10thmountain/> and downloading the My Army Post App and selecting Fort Drum as their home installation.

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Photo Captions:

15 JUL Map – Fort Drum officials outline areas that will be affected by the planned power outage 15 JULY.

Garrison Commander PSA Video available for download:

<https://www.dvidshub.net/video/969920/15-july-2025-power-outage>

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