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UPDATE FROM BLUEBONNET ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

(BASTROP) – As of 4 p.m. Saturday, Bluebonnet Electric Cooperative reported 61 outages affecting 1,890 members in Washington and Burleson counties. Bluebonnet’s crew will continue to focus on that area, working through the night to restore power to affected members. Average restoration times for the widespread outages in Washington and Burleson counties have been six hours.

“We have widespread power outages in Washington and Burleson counties as result of falling trees and limbs taking down our power lines,” said Will Holford, Bluebonnet spokesman. “Our crews will continue to work through the night and around the clock until we have restored power to all of our members.

“Average restoration time in Washington and Burleson counties has been six hours. We thank all of our members who have been so patient with us, and ask for their continued understanding as our crews work to get their lights back on,” Holford said.