



Office of the President

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Greetings Evergreen Community,

Here's a brief update for this week:

- Along with many west Olympia neighborhoods and schools, our **Olympia campus is currently without power**. There are some spaces supported by backup generators. **The Greenery is open and operating with normal hours**. Staff are working to restore power on campus.
- All work orders submitted from the safety inspections have been prioritized. Nearly 40 percent are related to heating ventilation and a contractor is working on a repair plan. We anticipate all heating repairs will be done by the end of Winter Quarter, if not sooner.
- While we work on maintenance items in existing housing, plans continue for renovating and reopening Building C. There is a shortage of affordable housing in our region, so we want to provide more space and more options for current and new students.
- Quarterly safety inspections of all residence hall spaces are taking place this week.

We will send out another update next week. In the meantime, continue sending your questions and comments to [community-response@evergreen.edu](mailto:community-response@evergreen.edu) and visit [www.evergreen.edu/campustragedy](http://www.evergreen.edu/campustragedy) for more information and resources.

Sincerely,

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