POWER OUTAGE PREPAREDNESS CAR SAFETY

BEFORE AN OUTAGE

- Fuel your vehicle when the tank reaches half empty. Try to keep the tank full in case outage lasts a few days.
- Have a plan if you drive an electric vehicle.
- Keep a safety vest, flashlight and batteries in your vehicle.
- As part of your vehicle supply kit, keep small amounts of cash to use to buy fuel (if station pumps are working) or snacks/drinks during an outage.

DURING AN OUTAGE

- Keep off the road unless necessary.
- Use extra caution as traffic lights may not be working.
- Remember, treat non-working traffic signals at any intersection as a four-way stop.
- Do not run your vehicle in garage!

AFTER AN OUTAGE

- Re-fuel vehicle tank and keep tanks full.
- Replenish your cash stash if used.



FAST TIPS

- Treat non-working traffic signals at intersections as four-way stop.
- Keep small amount of cash in vehicle.
- Keep vehicle fuel tanks full or fill when tank reaches 1/2 empty.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

 For additional preparedness resources, visit www.ReadySLO.org or call the Office of Emergency Services at (805) 781-5011.

