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*This resource provides guidance for septic system users before, during, and after a power outage. Understanding your septic system type, location, and components before a power outage occurs will make this guide more useful. Please visit [neha.org](http://neha.org) to access educational resources for septic system users.*

Get help from a septic system service professional for steps with this



service professionals through local

extension services.

Make sure you turn off power to

protection when inspecting septic system components. Wash your

Steps with a  only apply to pressure

Get help from a septic system service professional if any of the steps feel unsafe in your situation or if your system loses power.

Never enter the pump chamber or



of your septic system. Take photos of the

Septic tank location

Electrical components

Blowers

Lights

Aerobic treatment units

Generator (if applicable)



Pumps

Flow equalization tanks





system service professional.



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Settling or breakage away from pipe



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reasonable rate.



OTHER SYSTEMS



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SOURCES

