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Feeder 8B Outage Scheduled Tonight to Facilitate Water Main Repairs

St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands (August 6, 2026) — The Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority (“WAPA” or “the Authority”) advises customers served by Feeder 8B of a scheduled power interruption tonight, Thursday, August 6, 2026, from 10:00 p.m. to midnight. Approximately 5,508 customers will be impacted.

The planned outage is necessary to allow crews to safely secure a pad-mounted transformer obstructing access to a leaking water mainline. This work will allow water system crews to complete the required repairs safely and efficiently.

The outage will impact customers throughout areas of western St. Croix, including Whim, Williams Delight, Concordia, Carlton, Walter I.M. Hodge, La Grange, and Strand Street.

WAPA appreciates the understanding of customers as crews coordinate this work to support the restoration of reliable water service while ensuring the safety of all personnel involved.

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About WAPA: The Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority is an autonomous agency of the Virgin Islands Government which produces and distributes electricity and drinking water to residential and commercial customers in the territory. WAPA was created by the Fifth Legislature of the Virgin Islands in 1964 through Act No. 1248. Today, WAPA generates electrical power at production plants on St. Thomas and St. Croix and distributes electrical service through smart grids to customers on St. Thomas, St. Croix, St. John, Hassel Island, and Water Island. Potable water is distributed to almost 13,000 customers through water lines and standpipes. WAPA also has the responsibility of installing and maintaining streetlights.