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**Remain Indoors; Guam in COR 1;
 Transition Disposal Sites Not Open; Utilities Update**

Guam, and the respective military bases, remain in Condition of Readiness (COR) 1, and Tropical Cyclone Condition of Readiness (TCCOR) 1 as of 4 p.m., April 13, 2026.

REMAIN INDOORS UNTIL COR 4 IS ANNOUNCED.

Transition Waste Disposal Sites Not Open

The Joint Information Center is aware of an unofficial photo circulating on social media that identifies temporary sites to dispose of waste — a regular public service offered following major storms. While the photo accurately reflects ongoing discussions, the JIC would like to stress that these locations are *preliminary, not final, and that changes are possible before these sites open*. The public is advised to not go to any site to dispose of trash and debris *until an official announcement of locations and operating hours is made*.

Premature disposal, even at sites that will be operating to serve the public, will be considered illegal dumping.

The Guam Environmental Protection Agency reminds residents that illegal dumping during storms, including abandoning construction debris or household waste, significantly increases flood risks by clogging storm drains and causing hazardous materials to contaminate waterways. These illegal activities, often intensified during cleanup efforts, block drainage systems, cause severe property damage, and can lead to severe fines and criminal penalties.

Report suspicious dumping activities, to include date, time, location, type of waste, vehicle description and license plates, to Guam Environmental Protection Agency at report@epa.guam.gov. Illegal dumping can result in fines of \$1,000 or more. Residents can also call (671) 588-4751 when COR4 is declared.

GPA Update:

As of 11:30 p.m., Guam Power Authority (GPA) line crews continue to actively address power related issues and restore service throughout the island in northern, central and southern sectors until it is determined that conditions are no longer safe for repairs. GPA officials confirm most reported outages have already been restored.

Power outages and fluctuations occurred as the weather began to deteriorate earlier today. Restoration efforts are being conducted as conditions allow throughout the evening. Customers may continue to see crews working in various villages as power is restored. GPA appreciates the community’s patience and understanding as crews work to safely restore power.

For any outages, customers can contact the GPA 24-hour dispatch line at (671) 475-1472/3/4. Customer service representatives are also manning GPA’s facebook page at www.facebook.com/GuamPowerAuthority.

GWA Update:

The Guam Waterworks Authority has not received any reports of water outages as of 11:30 p.m., and all water wells remain online. For information, contact GWA's 24/7 phone line at (671) 646-4211 or go to www.facebook.com/guamwaterworksauthority.

The **GBHWC Suicide & Crisis Lifeline** remains operational **24/7**. The community may call or text the hotline at 988, or chat online at 988lifeline.org.

Visit the following links for the latest information:

- NWS Website: <https://www.weather.gov/gum/>
- NWS Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/NWSGuam/>
- GHS/OCD Website: <https://ghs.guam.gov/>
- GHS/OCD Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/GHSOCD/>
- JRM Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/jrmguam>
- JTF-M Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/1CdEchVcDs/>

For more information, contact the Joint Information Center at (671) 478-0208/09/10

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