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## MEDIA ADVISORY

## <u>SMART to cancel Monday, October 28 train service due to Public Safety Power</u> <u>Shutdown impacts on local city traffic signal systems</u>

Sonoma-Marin Area Rail Transit (SMART) has canceled train service for tomorrow, Monday, October 28, due to the Public Safety Power Shutdown impacts on local city traffic signal systems that cross SMART railroad tracks.

When PG&E turns the power back on, local jurisdictions have to reactivate all traffic control systems and synchronize them with SMART railroad crossing warning devices. To protect the public safety, provide time for local jurisdictions to reactivate traffic control systems, and to clear downed trees from tracks due to continuing high winds, train service will be canceled on Monday, October 28.

For updates, visit SMART's website at SonomaMarinTrain.org, or call 707-794-3077.

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