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**POWER OUTAGE IN NORTH MYRTLE BEACH - 9:20 PM UPDATE**

*North Myrtle Beach, SC – December 4, 2018* – About 4,500 people in the North Myrtle Beach/Little River area are currently without power as the result of a car crashing into a utility pole on Little River Neck Road. The crash impacted high tension lines, which feed power to large areas.

A Santee Cooper crew will soon begin work on repairing the high tension lines. This may take a few hours or longer.

Travel on Little River Neck Road may be interrupted when the crew begins its work.

To see the power outage area, visit this Santee Cooper website link:  
<http://stormcenter.santecooper.com/default.html>

The crash was caused by a DUI driver, who is now in North Myrtle Beach Police custody.

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