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## Final Daily Status Report Summary July 14, 2023 Typhoon Mawar Restoration Day 50 Since COR4 Declared

## Nearly 99% Restoration Achieved; Phase IV Begins Next Week

GPA will be concluding its Phase III post-typhoon restoration efforts today, having restored power service to nearly 99% of pre-Typhoon Mawar customers. Crews will continue to make necessary repairs in the heavily damaged areas to restore customers still without power, and close out emergency work clearances requiring customer-side repairs. Power emergencies are addressed in all phases of recovery. Please report emergency power issues to GPA Dispatch at (671) 475-1472/3/4.

Beginning this Monday, GPA will begin restoring the streetlights, starting with the main routed roads then progressing to village roads. Streetlights will be replaced at its original power pole location. GPA maintains sufficient material inventory, including streetlight fixtures and components. Resolution of power quality issues have begun and will continue through the post-typhoon restoration period. Weekly Phase IV restoration progress updates will be issued beginning next week.

Our priority is to restore energy back into your homes and businesses; and restore the island-wide power system online at full capacity. Si Yu'os Ma'ase' for your patience and support.

Customers without power service, those experiencing power quality issues, or have completed Emergency Work Clearances are requested to call GPA at (671) 647-5787 to report these issues for resolution. Power service and/or quality issue reports are welcomed via <a href="mailto:customersfirst@gpagwa.com">customersfirst@gpagwa.com</a>, GPA's Facebook Direct Messenger (@guampowerauthority), and through village mayors. Voice mail and direct messages are retrieved hourly during regular business hours, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

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The island-wide power system (IWPS) may be unstable, with fluctuating voltages, power interruptions and intermittencies occurring during restoration and recovery especially after a strong typhoon. Outages or interruptions may occur after power has been restored. This is not unusual as the grid is fragile and a period of system instability will occur until full restoration is completed. GPA will make every effort to have power restored as quickly as possible to its customers. Once full restoration is completed around the island, the system will stabilize and less power interruptions will occur.