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Power restored to Richardson County NPPD customers

**(KLZA)-- Nearly 300 Richardson County customers of the Nebraska Public Power District lost service for around three hours Thursday morning.**

**NPPD spokesman Mark Becker tells MSC News that a squirrel got into an Omaha Public Power District substation near Verdon causing the outage. NPPD and OPPD share some power coming from that substation.**

**Crews were able to make repairs and get the power back on to customers about 1:00 p.m.**

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