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Falmouth Fire-EMS Responds to Power Lines Down Across Vehicle

At 5:04 p.m. on Monday October 29, 2012 during the heavy wind storm associated with Sandy, the Falmouth Fire-EMS Department responded to a report of multiple power lines down on Foreside Road. Crews arrived and found a large tree and power lines down blocking Foreside Road. Further investigation found that on the other side of the blocked road there was a car that had power lines down across the vehicle and an operator in the car. The caller was talking on the phone with dispatchers at Falmouth Regional Communications Center. Fire crews on scene made contact with the operator and advised him to stay in the vehicle and that Central Maine Power was responding. Central Maine Power arrived and cut power to the lines and the operator was able to get out of his vehicle. There were no injuries on scene. As of 11:30 p.m. Falmouth Fire-EMS had responded to 16 incidents relating to downed power lines across town. Foreside Road remains closed as of 11:30 p.m. while CMP repairs the downed lines.

End of release.

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