



Downed Definitely Doesn't Mean Out.

Fallen power lines may still be live and dangerous. So stay away. It only takes a moment and could save a life.

Take a second for safety.



recipe corner

Baked Beans

Servings: 12-15

Prep time: 15 minutes, plus overnight

Baking Temperature: 250 degrees

Baking Time: 6 hours

- 1 can (16 oz.) great northern beans
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 teaspoons seasoned salt
- 1 ½ tablespoons dark molasses
- 3 teaspoons prepared mustard
- ¾ cup ketchup or barbecue sauce
- 4 tablespoons brown sugar
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 2 ½ cups tomato juice
- ¼ lb. bacon, chopped

Soak beans overnight. Then, cook beans in soaking water plus baking soda. Cook until skins pop when you blow on them. Drain the beans, reserving 1 ½ cups of the cooking water. Combine reserved cooking water, beans and remaining ingredients. Pour into a casserole dish and bake.

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Don't Risk Life For Limb.

Tree trimming can mean danger when it puts you near overhead power. Avoid the problem altogether by planting new trees away from areas where they'll grow into power lines. And when you're trimming the branches on existing trees, make sure no power lines are near. If so, stop and call us at **800-450-7260** so we can trim them for you. It only takes a moment and could save a life. For more information on landscaping safely, call us to request a copy of our "Lines, Limbs and The Landscape" booklet.

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Dam Site Safety

As part of its power-generation infrastructure, Wisconsin Public Service maintains hydroelectric stations and dams on public waterways throughout northeast and central Wisconsin.

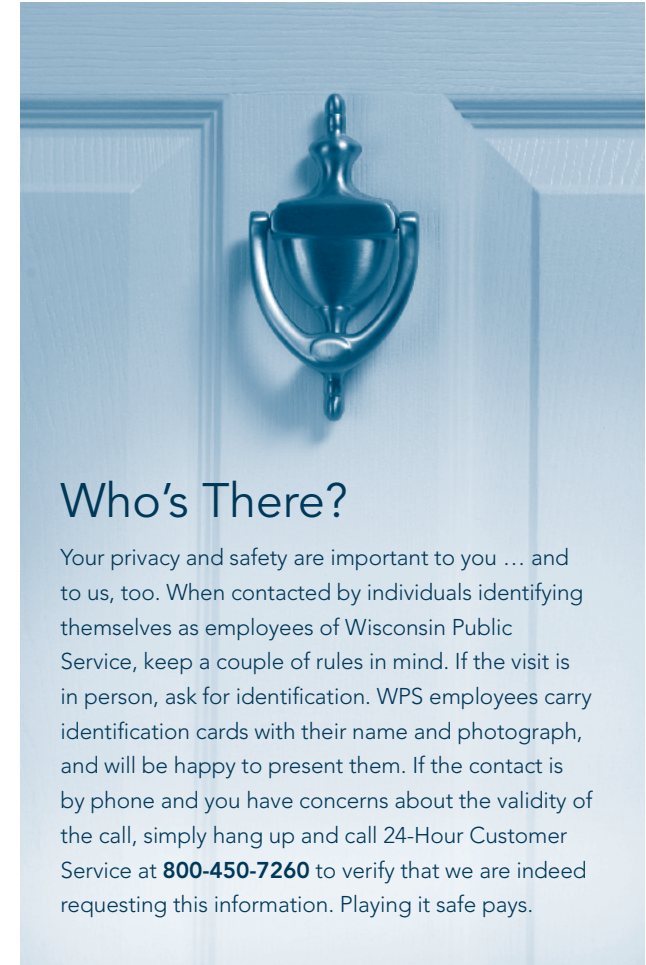
While vital to our total electric supply, these facilities can also pose hazards to unwary visitors. At WPS, we remind you to treat dams and surrounding areas with respect and exercise caution at all times.

On land, stay away from the edge of waters above and below dam facilities entirely; slippery surface structures can cause you to fall in and be injured or carried away by currents. Avoid dry riverbeds, as sudden discharges from dam gates and automatic generators can flood the riverbeds, turning them into rapidly flowing waterways.

When fishing, boating or swimming near a facility, pay attention to the warning signs, buoys and barriers we've installed and stay a safe distance away. Don't get near the waters below dams and their potentially dangerous currents, and avoid spillways

that can suddenly and unexpectedly discharge large amounts of water.

Fisherman, boaters and outdoor enthusiasts of all kinds can enjoy Wisconsin's waterways. And by practicing hydroelectric safety, the enjoyment will be that much greater.



Who's There?

Your privacy and safety are important to you ... and to us, too. When contacted by individuals identifying themselves as employees of Wisconsin Public Service, keep a couple of rules in mind. If the visit is in person, ask for identification. WPS employees carry identification cards with their name and photograph, and will be happy to present them. If the contact is by phone and you have concerns about the validity of the call, simply hang up and call 24-Hour Customer Service at **800-450-7260** to verify that we are indeed requesting this information. Playing it safe pays.