

SUPER TYPHOON KARDING

ST KARDING UPDATE AS OF 12 NOON September 26, 2022 By: Laarni Ilagan

ATOK: STRONG WINDS HINDERING BENECO from fully energizing the town of Atok.
BENECO Network Services Department (NSD) Manager Engr. Ramel Rifani said that only the town of Atok and some isolated cases from other towns of Benguet and Baguio City are keeping BENECO from 100% power restoration as of 12 noon today.

BENECO has reached 98% households in power restoration compared to the 92% it has accomplished at 8 AM this morning. The municipalities of Kabayan, Bokod, Kapangan, Kibungan, Mankayan, and Tublay are now fully restored.
Baguio City is 98.70%, Bakun-96.65%, Buguias-98.09%, Itogon-97.86, La Trinidad at 99.52%, Sablan -96.76%, abd Tuba at 95.31%.

The whole town of Kabayan was reported without power earlier today, turned out to be one of the fastest areas to be restored. The towns covered by Circuits 2 and 3 were the hardest hit by typhoon Karding. These are the towns of Kabayan, Atok, Kibungan, and Bokod, in terms of the BENECO power distribution lines affected.

"We are hoping to fully restore those without power, in Atok especially, today when Karding's strong wind calms down," Rifani assured. **LSI



