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## **ADVISORY TO THE PUBLIC**

*GPA Reminds the Community Not to Tamper with Utility Poles*

(Fadian, Mangilao) – The Guam Power Authority (GPA) reminds the community that utility poles are part of GPA’s critical infrastructure and must not be altered, modified, or used for unauthorized attachments. Utility poles support energized circuits as well as other non-power critical infrastructure and protecting these assets helps ensure the safety of the community, GPA employees, and our island’s power infrastructure.

The community is reminded that unauthorized modifications to utility poles can weaken their structure and create safety hazards. Even small alterations can cause damage and lead to potential safety or security concerns. To help keep everyone safe, please avoid the following prohibited activities:

- Nailing, drilling, or attaching signs or other materials to utility poles.
- Mounting cameras, surveillance equipment, communication devices, lighting fixtures, or similar equipment on utility poles.
- Painting, marking, or applying other similar materials to utility poles.
- Making any structural modifications or alterations to utility poles.

GPA has instituted an internal pole maintenance program using standard yellow and gray paint colors for public safety and uniformity. GPA conducts regular inspections and maintenance of its utility infrastructure and asks for the public's cooperation in preserving the integrity of utility poles throughout the island.

To report unauthorized modifications or attachments on GPA utility poles and other critical energy infrastructure, customers may contact GPA Dispatch (PSCC) at (671) 475-1472/3/4.

To submit anonymous reports via GPA’s Fraud, Waste & Abuse Hotline, please call (671) 648-3199.

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