



High Winds Expected

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VICTORIA, BC — Environment Canada has issued a warning for winds as high as 90 km/h in the Victoria area today.

Businesses, residents, and contractors on building sites, should prepare for high winds by securing materials that could become airborne such as garbage cans, patio furniture, retractable canopies, ladders, hoarding, building materials, and awnings.

There is also a likelihood of power outages due to fallen trees or high winds. Residents should be prepared and have flashlights, blankets, a portable radio and spare batteries on hand in case of power outage, and should avoid parking vehicles under trees or hydro wires if possible.

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