



Downed Power Line and Vehicle Safety Video

5 Key Takeaways



1. **Assume all downed lines are energized, even if they aren't sparking or smoking.**
2. **Do not leave the vehicle and warn others to stay far away.**
3. **Call 911 and wait for the power company to arrive and de-energize the lines.**

If you notice smoke or fire:

4. **Jump out with both feet together. Do not touch the car and the ground at the same time. Do not touch any wires on or near the car.**
5. **Shuffle or bunny hop* as far away as you can keeping both feet together (35 feet at a minimum).**

**Although not specifically mentioned in the video, bunny hopping with both feet together is an acceptable mechanism for moving away from the vehicle. Whichever you choose, keeping both feet together is key.*