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Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER

Executive Order

Declaration of Emergency – 2021 Spring Storms & High Water

Emergency Operations Center Contact: 985 873-6357

BY ORDER OF THE OFFICE OF THE PARISH PRESIDENT OF TERREBONNE:

WHEREAS, due to the imminent threat of flooding, heavy rainfall, and extreme winds throughout the Parish of Terrebonne due to heavy storms and crippling rain now entering Terrebonne Parish; and

WHEREAS, in light of the severity of storms in the last few weeks, the recent record flooding in Terrebonne Parish, and elevated water levels customary in Terrebonne Parish this time of year; and

WHEREAS, the Parish President of Terrebonne seeks to issue an Executive Order on this day, declaring a parish-wide state of emergency as to 2021 Spring storms and high water; and

WHEREAS, the Parish President of Terrebonne Parish seeks to invoke all rights and duties afforded him under Louisiana Revised Statute 29:721 and Terrebonne Parish Charter Sec. 3-01 *et seq.*, and Terrebonne Parish Code of Ordinances Sec. 7-5 Homeland Security, until further notice; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated effect of the potential flooding, rainfall and extreme winds upon all of Terrebonne Parish's people and property will require immediate action by Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government to offset the potentially irreparable damages and facilitate quick drainage in areas where rain water flow is impeded; and

WHEREAS, without immediate and thorough governmental intervention, including the recovery of branches and debris from natural drainage ways and bayous, and excavating for drainage where necessary, the residents and businesses of Terrebonne Parish may suffer damages to homes and businesses, and the natural habitat, intrinsic character and economy of Terrebonne Parish may be detrimentally impacted; and

WHEREAS, Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government, through Gordon E. Dove, as Parish President, is empowered to take all necessary measures to ensure the safety, health and welfare of the citizens of Terrebonne Parish, as per law, including undertaking various emergency works projects as authorized by the emergency provisions of Louisiana law; and

WHEREAS, immediate action by the Parish of Terrebonne, including, but not limited to debris removal and excavating for drainage where necessary, is mandatory to fulfill the needs of the people of this Parish; and therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- SECTION 1. that there be a Parish-wide state of emergency due to the 2021 Spring storms and high water.
- SECTION 2. that the Office of the Parish President invokes all rights and remedies afforded it under all the laws and constitutions of the United States and State of Louisiana.
- SECTION 3. that the Office of the Parish President invokes all rights and remedies afforded it under Louisiana Revised Statutes.

- SECTION 4. that the Office of the Parish President invokes all rights and remedies afforded it under the Terrebonne Parish Charter and Code of Ordinances.
- SECTION 5. through the Office of the Parish President, that the Parish initiate all emergency operations plans and commence action to prepare for any potential impact from flooding, including, but not limited to, actions necessary to clear bayous, canals, and ditches from debris, excavating where necessary, in an effort to facilitate drainage of excess water which may accumulated during the emergency.
- SECTION 6. that the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government and any other appropriate and designated local, state, or federal governmental entities and their contractors, employees, agents, volunteers, and assigns are authorized to initiate action to combat the potentially devastating effects of flood waters, rainfall and winds, including, but not limited to, undertaking various emergency public works projects as authorized by the emergency provisions of the Louisiana Public Bid Law.
- SECTION 7. that Terrebonne Parish Code Section 2-109 shall be and is hereby suspended as authorized by La. R.S. 29:727(F)(2) in order that the Parish President may execute any contracts for the purpose of the procurement of any goods, material, or services necessary for the response to the emergency needs of the parish as a result of the threat of 2021 Spring storms and high water.
- SECTION 8. that this Executive Order is not intended to invoke the emergency pay act.
- SECTION 9. that all standard local and parish procurement procedures are suspended to ensure the health, safety and welfare needs of the people and property of Terrebonne Parish while coping with the effects of flooding, rainfall and winds from the 2021 Spring storms and high water.
- SECTION 10. that the Parish Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness Director, Earl Eues, (985) 873-6357, be hereby designated as point of contact.
- SECTION 11. that any person or entity that interrupts or interferes with the control of the Parish and/or Parish President shall be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.
- SECTION 12. that this order by recorded with the Terrebonne Parish Clerk of Court and given prompt and general publicity and filed with the Office of Emergency Preparedness, all in accordance with La. R.S. 29:727.

9:00 AT HOUMA, LOUISIANA, THIS 15 DAY OF April, 2021 AT
9:00 O'CLOCK A.M.



Gordon E. Dove
Parish President

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