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NEWS RELEASE

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Event: Hurricane Katrina
Advisory 33

Additional Re-Entry Information

Please be advised that Jefferson Parish's conditions are deplorable.

Garbage collection will not be collected for some time so therefore we are asking all citizens to bury, at some location on their property, any type of meats, poultry and seafood that is removed from freezers and refrigerators. Normal garbage can be held in trash cans until collections are resumed.

Again, to reiterate to all Jefferson Parish residents – there will be no electricity, no sewerage capabilities, and very low water pressure throughout the parish. Additionally, there are no food commodities, no gasoline, no restaurants, no drug stores available at all in Jefferson Parish. We are urging residents to get in, assess your property, gather needed items and leave. It will be weeks before Jefferson Parish is livable.

The following are items that you may want to bring along when you return :

Bleach, rubber gloves, bottled water, cameras, prescription drugs, sanitation supplies, plastic/garbage bags, disinfectant, flashlights and batteries.

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