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JEFFERSON PARISH RESIDENTS FINAL RE-ENTRY

Jefferson Parish President Aaron Broussard has announced the following final re-entry plan for residents of Jefferson Parish:

WESTBANK:

- West of the Harvey Canal - Friday, September 16 at 5:00 am
- East of the Harvey Canal - Saturday, September 17 at 5:00 am

EASTBANK:

- All areas south of Airline Dr. – Friday, September 16 at 5:00 a.m. (to include River Ridge, Elmwood and Old Jefferson with the exception of the Rio Vista Subdivision who may return on Monday, September 19 at 5:00 am)
- Metairie residents east of Kenner to Transcontinental Dr. – Saturday, September 17 at 5:00 am
- Metairie residents north of I-10 between Transcontinental Dr.(on the west) and 17th St. Canal (on the east) – Sunday, September 18 at 5:00 am
- All remaining areas bounded by I-10 (north), Airline (south), Transcontinental (west), and 17th St. Canal (east) – Wednesday, September 21 at 5:00 am

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Final Re-Entry
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All Jefferson Parish residents should be completely returned to their residence by Wednesday, September 21 at 5:00 am.

Some areas will experience scattered electrical outages. If you return home and find your meter pan or weather head has been torn from your house you must contact an electrician to handle the repair. For other outages, please contact Entergy at 1-800-ENTERGY (1-800-368-3749).

For any sewer problems, please contact (504) 736-6006, 736-6007, 736-6008, 736-6009

Should you detect a gas odor, do not turn on light switches, stoves, or anything that will ignite a spark. Please contact ATMOS ENERGY at 1-800-252-3323 or call 911.

Parish President Broussard reminds all returning residents that Jefferson Parish is “*very spartan*”. There is limited fuel, groceries, and pharmacies available to the public. You should be prepared to be self contained.

Additionally, I-10 will remain closed for travel to the general public until further notice. A strict curfew of 8:00 pm until 5:00 am will remain in effect indefinitely.

Those residents who wish to rent portable storage units or pop-up trailers/campers will be allowed to place these units on their property between the sidewalk and their property line. All violations pertaining to this use will be suspended and no permits will be required through the remainder of this year.

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