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WATER SERVICE WILL BE TEMPORARILY DISCONNECTED AT BONNABEL RECREATIONAL FACILITY AT LAKE PONTCHARTRAIN

Beginning on Thursday, April 29, 2010, for approximately eight (8) weeks, water service to the Bonnabel Boulevard Recreation Area at Lake Pontchartrain will be temporarily disconnected.

As part of the ongoing USACE project to raise the Lake Pontchartrain levee to reach the 100-year flood protection level, the existing levee waterline crossing at the Bonnabel Boat launch must be removed.

As a result, the boat launch, dog park, and children's play area will be without water service during this time. Visitors are encouraged to bring drinking water for themselves and their pets during this time.

The Jefferson Parish Public Works Departments will be replacing the levee water line crossing at the Bonnabel Floodgates immediately after the Corps has completed the levee improvements in this area. The estimated cost for this project will be \$25,000.

For more information, contact Mark Drewes, Director, Department of Engineering, at 736-6500.

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