



Parish of Ascension

OFFICE OF THE PARISH PRESIDENT

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Winter Weather Event 14—1:30 p.m. **Parish Government Offices To Open Thursday**

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GONZALES – Ascension Parish President Tommy Martinez announced today all Ascension Parish governmental offices will resume normal business hours on Thursday, Jan. 30, 2014.

The City of Gonzales and the City of Donaldsonville will also resume normal business hours on Thursday, Jan. 30, according to Mayors Barney Arceneaux and Leroy Sullivan, respectively.

“We are reminding parish residents to continue using extreme caution if traveling on the parish roads with ice,” President Martinez said. “I-10 is not expected to open until tomorrow afternoon at the earliest, so our surface streets will see a lot of traffic. Plan ahead by leaving earlier for your destination.”

The Ascension Parish School Board will announce this afternoon whether they will hold classes tomorrow.

Road Closures

1. I-10 East and West is closed in Ascension Parish.
3. LA 429 at the railroad tracks (inside the Gonzales City Limits).
4. Denham Road is closed

Bridge Closures

1. Brittany Tower Road/Hwy. 941 overpass is closed
2. Cy-Bean Bridge

Bridges Now Open

- 1.Sunshine Bridge
- 2.Palo Alto Bridge

Overpasses

LA 74 overpass open and sanded

- **Livingston Parish** EOC will be taking all possible measures to keep the following **bridges open:**

- a. French Settlement at Amite River
- b. Port Vincent at Amite River
- c. Diversion Canal/Hwy. 22 Bridge

Public Works: Parish Government continues to sand local bridges to deter icing.

The Ascension Parish Sheriff's Office is also reminding residents to dial 911 only for emergencies. To report suspected icing or unsafe travel conditions, call the Ascension Emergency Operations Center at (225) 621-8360.

For more information about weather updates and road closures:

- Ascension 21, the parish's governmental channel
- www.ascensionparish.net/ohsep
- Facebook www.facebook.com/apohsep
- Twitter www.twitter.com/ascensionparish
- Community Information Line 1-866-380-2303.
- You may also contact their office at (225) 621-8360