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Tropical Storm Isaac 2 **Emergency Shelters To Open**

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GONZALES – Ascension Parish emergency officials announced this afternoon two emergency shelters will open Tuesday morning as Tropical Storm Isaac approaches the Louisiana coast.

Ascension Parish Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness Director Rick Webre said the locations, Donaldsonville High School and Dutchtown High School, will open at 5 a.m.

“If our residents decide to use the shelters, they need to make sure and bring enough supplies to last them a couple of days,” Webre said.

He said they need to necessary items like blankets, water, non-perishable food items, medicines, prescription eyewear, infant formula and diapers.

Cots will be available for the elderly and those with physical ailments that prevent mobility.

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