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Ascension Parish Government Opens Sandbag Locations Ahead of Hurricane Francine

Ascension Parish, LA - In preparation for the potential landfall of Francine, expected to strike Louisiana as a Category 2 hurricane on Wednesday, September 11, 2024, Ascension Parish Government has opened multiple sandbag locations across the parish to help residents protect their properties. Beginning today at 8 p.m., community members are invited to bring their own shovels to the following locations to fill sandbags:

East Bank Locations:

- Paula Park, 16457 Paula Park Rd., Prairieville
- Prairieville Primary School, 40228 Parker Rd.
- Raymond Tullier at Hwy 70, Sorrento
- Ridge Rd. and Kleinpeter Rd. (off Bluff Rd.)
- Buxton Rd. (at the tee turn around)

West Bank Locations:

- St. Jude Subdivision on St. Jude Drive, Donaldsonville
- Abend Park, 3110 Mt. Bethel Church Ln, Donaldsonville
- Lemanville Park, 3131 Hwy 18, Donaldsonville
- Modeste Park, 35444 Butler Rd.
- Township Rd., 2494 Township Rd.
- Palo Alto Fire Station, 1428 Hwy 1 South

For more information and to stay updated, residents are encouraged to watch Ascension21, follow Ascension Parish Government and Ascension Parish Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness on social media or call the Ascension Parish Citizens Service Center at 225-450-1200.