STATE OFFICES CLOSING AT NOON IN SE LA. WED., 10/28

Commissioner of Administration Jay Dardenne is announcing that state offices in southeast Louisiana will close at noon Wednesday, Oct. 28, in preparation for Hurricane Zeta. The storm strengthened overnight and its expected effects to Louisiana have intensified. The parishes where state offices will close at noon are: Ascension, Assumption, East Feliciana, East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, Lafourche, Livingston, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. Helena, St. James, St. John St. Mary, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Terrebonne, Washington and West Feliciana. Cameron Parish, which has been closed since Hurricane Laura, remains closed until further notice.

All agency heads are responsible for determining those essential personnel who should remain on duty, report for duty or those who should report to alternate work sites as necessary. Officials continue to monitor conditions throughout the state, and this announcement may be updated.

This office closure applies to all nonessential employees, including those authorized to work from home due to COVID-19.

TIMEKEEPERS: This is an office closure and should be coded as such. All employees in the affected parishes, including those authorized to work from home due to COVID-19, should use the Office Closure code (LSOC). Employees with further questions should seek guidance from their supervisors.

State employees should be aware of the following phone numbers to call, which will be updated: 1.800.360.9660 or 225.342.0498.