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UPDATED: COMMISSIONER DARDENNE ANNOUNCES STATE OFFICE CLOSURES

Due to the possibility of extreme weather, Commissioner of Administration Jay Dardenne is announcing that state government offices will close at noon today, Feb. 23, in the following parishes:

Ascension                  Pointe Coupée
Assumption                 St. Helena
East Baton Rouge          St. James (updated)
East Feliciana            St. John The Baptist
Iberville                  St. Tammany
Lafourche                 Tangipahoa
Livingston                Washington
Orleans (updated)          West Baton Rouge
St. Charles (updated)      West Feliciana

State officials continue to monitor weather conditions across the state, and this announcement may be updated.

All agency heads are responsible for determining those essential personnel who should remain on duty or those who should report to alternate work sites if necessary.

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

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