

October 8th, 2020

PRESS RELEASE - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

As we prepare for the inclement weather brought by Hurricane Delta, please remember the following as you make your preparations:

- As of 5:00 P.M. yesterday, there is a mandatory evacuation order for Calcasieu Parish.
- Starting today, October 8th, there will be a curfew from 7:00P.M. to 6:00 A.M. until further notice.
- Waste Management will suspend all residential routes beginning Friday, October 9th, with plans to resume on Sunday, October 11th.
- Secure outdoor items that may become a wind hazard or clog drains such as outdoor furniture, toys, garbage cans, and construction materials.
- Never drive through flood water; if the water is completely covering the roadway it is unsafe.
- Treat any downed power line as live, lines do not have to be arcing or sparking to be live.
- Check on your neighbors, especially the elderly and those that are home bound, as you prepare your home. If you know a resident that needs to be checked on, please contact the Sulphur Police Department at 337-527-4550. They will continue to provide services before, during, and after the storms although response times could be delayed due to storm debris, possible power outages, and flooded roadways.
- Continue to monitor your local news outlets, as well as www.sulphur.org for storm updates. You can sign up for phone and email notifications from the city on the website, on the “Citizen Notifications” tab.

As of 6:00 A.M. today, all City of Sulphur offices are closed until it is safe to reopen. Due to the mandatory evacuation order for Calcasieu Parish, public safety and other essential personnel are staged to respond to emergencies, however response times may be delayed due to the storm and recovery.

