



Office of Mayor Charles Caillouet  
City of Thibodaux  
PSA #1: Tropical Storm Bonnie  
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### **Mayor Charles Caillouet Asks Residents to Prepare for Inclement Weather**

Thibodaux, LA – Due to the possible inclement weather associated with Tropical Storm Bonnie, Mayor Charles Caillouet asks Thibodaux residents to assist by clearing catch basins located on or near their property.

Eric Faucheaux, Public Works Director said, “We are preparing for possible inclement weather by clearing area catch basins, clearing major drainage areas, closely monitoring the city’s forty sewer lift stations and sewer reservoir levels, checking back-up generators, and increasing the water level in the Adley Landry Reservoir.”

Mayor Caillouet said, “All city departments are communicating and have enacted Phase 1 of the City’s Emergency Preparedness Plans. In addition, Chief of Police, Craig Melancon; Public Works Director, Eric Faucheaux; Human Resource Director, Donny Clause; and Marketing & Public Relations Administrator, Luci Sposito are participating through the Mayor’s Office in conference calls organized by our parish’s Office of Emergency Preparedness.”

The city’s Emergency Preparedness Plan was initiated on June 1 to coincide with the beginning of hurricane season. The current phase of the plan is enacted approximately seven days prior to landfall of any tropical depression or hurricane.

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