

Algiers to Canal Street Ferry resumes operations

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NEW ORLEANS -- <span id="OBJ_PREFIX_DWT104"

class="Object">Today, the Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) announced that the Algiers to Canal Street Ferry has resumed operation in the wake of damages suffered from Hurricane Isaac. Damages caused by the storm, forced the M/V Armiger ferry out of service. Repairs were expedited to ensure services resumed quickly.</p>

<p style="text-align: left">"DOTD was committed to ensuring ferry service resumed as quickly as possible following the damage caused by Hurricane Isaac," said David Tippett, director of tolling services. "From constructing a temporary ramp to fast-tracking parts shipments, our focus was to get this service up and running for the citizens that depend upon these services every day."</p>

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class="Object">Yesterday, DOTD crews completed the construction of a temporary ramp at the Algiers Terminal to allow an alternative loading point. Additional repairs to the terminal and landing are ongoing, but service will be