

DOTD reopens all state routes in East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, and Pointe Coupee parishes

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**<p>Baton Rouge, La. - The Louisiana Department of
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Transportation and Development (DOTD) <span class="Object"

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**Baton Rouge,
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**East Feliciana and Pointe Coupee parishes have been cleared of debris and
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**reopened.</p>
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**<p>DOTD crews will continue to work diligently to clear and reopen roadways in
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**other parishes impacted by the storm.</p>
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<p>"I would like to commend our staff at DOTD for their hard work and

**dedication
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in clearing these roads so quickly after the storm," said DOTD Secretary Sherri

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**H. LeBas. "It took a big effort from everyone on our team to make this
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**possible."</p>
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**<p>DOTD urges motorists to use extra caution when traveling on roadways during
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**hazardous weather conditions and stay off the roads whenever possible. Motorists
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**should drive slowly and carefully, and avoid driving while distracted. Always
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**allow for extra driving time, reduce speeds when visibility is low, and make
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the initial trip home, but DOTD will continue to monitor road conditions and

will post updates on the DOTD website and social media as they become available.

For more information, please contact DOTD at 225.358.5361 or visit our website at

dotd.louisiana.gov. "We appreciate your patience and thank you for your continued support of DOTD.