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

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Baton Rouge, La. - The Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) today announced that all state routes in East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana and Pointe Coupee parishes have been cleared of debris and reopened.

DOTD crews will continue to work diligently to clear and reopen roadways in other parishes impacted by the storm.

"I would like to commend our staff at DOTD for their hard work and dedication in clearing these roads so quickly after the storm," said DOTD Secretary Sherri H. LeBas. "It took a big effort from everyone on our team to make this possible."

DOTD urges motorists to use extra caution when traveling on roadways during hazardous weather conditions and stay off the roads whenever possible. Motorists should drive slowly and carefully, and avoid driving while distracted. Always allow for extra driving time, reduce speeds when visibility is low, and make sure the windshield is clear of obstructions.