

## St. Helena Parish Made Eligible for Category A Assistance

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"I am pleased that the President has decided to add St. Helena to the list of parishes that are eligible for Category A disaster assistance. The citizens of St. Helena will now be able to access all individual assistance available through FEMA. This will help put St. Helena and its people on a path to a speedier recovery from Hurricane Gustav. Again, I want to thank the President and his administration for listening to me and local leaders who requested that St. Helena be made eligible for both Category A and B assistance."

Previously, Congressman Cazayoux sent letters to the President requesting that St. Helena be added to the list of parishes eligible for Category A and B assistance. Category B assistance applies to local governments and their pre-storm preparations, while Category A makes individual assistance available in a given parish. St. Helena was added to the Category B list on Saturday.

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