



# Parish of Ascension

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### Ascension Parish Sandbag Location Updates

Ascension Parish has sandbags available at the following locations (please note the additions of Oak Grove Community Center and Lamar-Dixon Expo Center):

#### EAST BANK LOCATIONS:

- Oak Grove Community Center, LA 42 @ LA 73 (*opening today at 2:00 pm*)
- Prairieville Fire Dept, Hwy 73
- Paula Park, LA 933, Galvez
- 5th Ward Fire Dept, la 22, Darrow
- Butch Gore Memorial Park, Harry Savoy Rd, St. Amant
- A.P. Fire District #1, Airline Hwy, Gonzales
- Stevens Park, Cannon Rd, Gonzales
- Jackie Robinson Memorial Park, Coco Rd, Geismar
- LA 431 @ Valentine Rd (in the curve), Lake – (*Loose sand and bags. Bring your own shovel*)

#### WEST BANK LOCATIONS:

- DPW-West Barn, 750 Church St, Donaldsonville

#### LAMAR-DIXON EXPO CENTER

#### **Senior Citizens and Disabled Citizens with Ascension Parish proof of residency ONLY**

- Friday August 27 from 2 pm to 6 pm
- Saturday August 28 from 10 am to 4 pm
- Limited to 30 sandbags per trip.
- Bags will be loaded into their vehicles
- Enter from St Landry Road Entrance #2, follow the cones to Barn 8 (same setup as the Army National Guard testing for Covid).

Additional locations will be added as needed.

**Residents are asked to keep all sandbags through the duration of hurricane season.**