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SECRETARY OF STATE PROVIDES POLLING LOCATION UPDATE IN RESPONSE TO HURRICANE ZETA

BATON ROUGE, La. — Secretary of State Kyle Ardoin provides the following update on Hurricane Zeta's impact on Election Day.

As Entergy and our other utility partners continue their restoration efforts across affected areas of Southeast Louisiana, all remaining polling locations currently without power have a generator either operational or scheduled for a Monday delivery and installation. No polling location will be without power on Election Day.

Additionally, on Election Day, there will be reserve generators, technicians and support staff on standby, ready to quickly assist any location that experiences technical difficulties. All Election Day voting machines contain a battery reserve, which can run up to eight hours without power.

As a reminder, the Secretary of State's Office, parish Clerks of Court's Offices and parish Registrars of Voters' Offices are THE trusted sources for all election information. Unfortunately, disingenuous politicians have exploited the public trust by publishing and promoting misinformation. For this reason, any and all questions regarding Election Day preparation or operation should come from either the Secretary of State's Office or the parish Clerk of Court's Offices and Registrars of Voters' Offices.

For more information or to report election misinformation, contact the Elections Division at 1-800-883-2805 or elections@sos.la.gov.

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