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Lafourche Parish Government Monitors Hurricane Rita

Lafourche Parish Government has been monitoring Hurricane Rita from our Raceland EOC. OEP Administration has met with State OEP on a number of conference calls and is coordinating with State agencies and neighboring parishes for any possible impacts from Hurricane Rita.

The current storm track has Rita passing to the south of Lafourche Parish, and the tropical force winds will not affect our south. But with the unpredictability of hurricanes, Parish President Charlotte Randolph urges citizens to monitor Hurricane Rita closely and to monitor local news media for further updates from Lafourche Parish Government.

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