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LAFAYETTE CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT AND LAFAYETTE UTILITIES STORM RESTORATION UPDATE

LAFAYETTE, LA– Lafayette Consolidated Government and Lafayette Utilities System (LUS) have mobilized many departments in response to today's storm event and are closely monitoring the weather predictions for the possibility of additional severe weather tomorrow.

LUS has restored over 60 percent of the 7,500 outages with only 2,800 remaining utilizing LUS and contract crews as well as mutual aid crews. All the main feeders have been restored with only taps remaining.

There have been many reports of downed trees across roads, powers lines and some tree damage to homes throughout Lafayette.

LCG departments are continuing to respond to calls for service and utilities are working restoration. Departments responding to the calls include Police, Fire, Utilities, Drainage, Traffic, Roads and Bridges, OHSEP and LUS Fiber. As per the Lafayette Police Department, there are no road closures at this time.

LCG is requesting the public remain at a safe distance from any LCG personnel working on the restoration to ensure a safe working environment.

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