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## LAKESHORE DRIVE CLOSED DUE TO HIGH WATER

New Orleans, LA – Please be advised Lakeshore Drive from Franklin Avenue to Senator Ted Hickey Bridge is closed due to high water and gusty winds. According to the National Weather Service, temperatures are currently in the 30's and lower 40's and brisk north winds have yielded wind chill readings in the 20's and 30's over Southeast Louisiana and Southern Mississippi. Winds are expected to decrease this afternoon. Lakeshore Drive will reopen once the water subsides.

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