



Cass County

Extreme Weather

Information Sheet

State Information

TexasOnline.com Emergency Portal	www.texasonline.com/portal/tol/en/emergency	
Texas Department of Public Safety	www.txdps.state.tx.us	512-424-2000
Governor’s Division of Emergency Management	www.txdps.state.tx.us/dem/pages/index.htm	512-424-2138
Texas Department of Transportation	www.dot.state.tx.us	1-800-558-9368
Texas State Road Conditions	www.dot.state.tx.us/travel/road_conditions.htm	1-800-452-9292
National Weather Service Forecast Office (Shreveport, LA)	www.srh.noaa.gov/shv	318-631-3669
Office of Tourism Information and Referral	www.traveltex.com	1-800-888-8TEX (8839)
Texas Department of Agriculture	www.agr.state.tx.us	1-800-TELL-TDA (835-5832)
Texas Highway Patrol	www.txdps.state.tx.us/tle	512-424-2000
Texas Highway Patrol Roadside Assistance		1-800-525-5555
Texas Rangers	www.txdps.state.tx.us/director_staff/texas_rangers	512-424-2160
Governor’s Office	www.governor.state.tx.us	1-800-843-5789 (in-state only) or 512-463-2000
Texas Animal Health Commission	www.tahe.state.tx.us	1-800-550-8242
Texas Attorney General	www.oag.state.tx.us	1-800-621-0508 or 512-463-2100
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality	www.tcep.state.tx.us	512-239-1000
Texas Department of Insurance	www.tdi.state.tx.us	1-800-578-4677 or 512-463-6169
Texas Parks and Wildlife Department	www.dshs.state.tx.us	1-800-792-1112
Texas Department of State Health Services	www.dshs.state.tx.us	1-888-963-7111 or 512-458-7111

**For Emergencies, Call 911 in All Areas • For Non-Emergency Information and Referrals, Call 211
For Evacuations and Special Health Care Needs, Call 211 To Register In Advance For a Ride**

Cass County Information

Emergency Management (Larry Trevino, director)		903-756-7511
Sheriff		903-756-7511
Cass County Office of Texas AgriLife Extension Service	http://cass-tx.tamu.edu	903-756-5391 or 903-756-5483
Bowie-Cass Electric - Douglassville		1-900-794-2919 or 903-846-2311
CenterPoint Energy	www.centerpointenergy.com	1-800-259-5544
American Electric Power (AEP) SWEPCO	www.SWEPCo.com	1-888-216-3523
Cass County:		
Precinct 1 Shop		903-756-5701
Precinct 2 Shop		903-835-5761
Precinct 3 Shop		903-796-4502
Precinct 4 Shop		903-796-2766

Evacuations

If you live in an area that might have to be evacuated due to a gas leak, hazardous materials spill, or extreme weather conditions, you need to make extra efforts to be prepared. It is critical that you begin now to make your evacuation plans, prepare an emergency kit, and learn evacuation routes and the location of emergency shelters. This should be done well in advance, especially if you do not have friends or family to help in an emergency.

National Information

American Red Cross (www.redcross.org)	1-866-GET-INFO (1-866-438-4636)
Environmental Protection Agency	www.epa.gov
Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) (www.fema.gov)	1-800-621-FEMA (3362)
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)	www.noaa.gov
National Weather Service	www.nws.noaa.gov
National Hurricane Center	www.nhc.noaa.gov
National Coastal Data Development Center	www.ncddc.noaa.gov
National Environmental Satellite, Data, and Information	www.nhc.noaa.gov/satellite.shtml
US Department of Homeland Security	www.dhs.gov/dhspublic

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

NOAA Watch website is a Web portal offering information about ongoing environmental events, and explains the role of NOAA in prediction, monitoring, and recovery from environmental hazards. It provides public access to current information on a number of environmental threats ranging from oil spills, to hurricanes and tsunamis, to space weather. The website can be found at www.noaawatch.gov.

NOAA Weather Radio

NOAA Weather Radio (NWR) All Hazards is a nationwide network of radio stations broadcasting continuous weather information directly from a nearby National Weather Service office. NWR broadcasts National Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts, and other hazard information 24 hours a day.

162.400 MHz 162.425 MHz 162.450 MHz 162.475 MHz 162.500 MHz 162.525 MHz 162.550 MHz

The National Hurricane Center normally issues public advisories on their website and to the media for Atlantic tropical cyclones every six hours at 4:00 AM CDT, 10:00 AM CDT; and 10:00 PM CDT. Intermediate public advisories may be issued every 3 hours when coastal watches or warnings are in effect, and every 2 hours when coastal watches or warnings are in effect and land-based radars have identified a reliable storm center. Additionally, special public advisories may be issued at any time due to significant changes in warnings or in the cyclone.

Mobile NHC and NWS Weather Data

Graphical Tropical Weather Outlook RSS/XML feed	http://hurricanes.gov/gtwo.xml
Website for PDAs and Smartphones	http://hurricanes.gov/mobile
Mobile NHC home page in WAP (WML)* format	www.nhc.noaa.gov/index.wml

Local Commercial Radio Stations

KPYN 900 AM and 95.9 FM, Atlanta, TX	KKYR 102.5 FM, Texarkana, TX
	KYKX 105.7 FM, Longview, TX

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