HURRICANE RITA SURGE INUNDATION
and ADVISORY BASE FLOOD ELEVATION MAP
Vermilion Parish, Louisiana

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Advisory Base Flood Elevations

This map shows Advisory Base Flood Elevations (ABFEs) developed by FEMA. Please see http://www.fema.gov/hazards/floods/recoverydata/ pdf/vermilion_parish11-30-05.pdf for more information on how they were determined.

Estimated Rita Surge Elevations

7-8 ft

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OVERVIEW MAP

State Boundary
Parish Boundary

LEGEND

Flood Advisory Related Data

Advisory Base Flood Elevation (ABFE) Zone, including Flood Zone Types (A, AE, or VE), and elevation (in feet)

Hurricane Rita Related Data

Preliminary Indoor High Water Mark
Preliminary Outdoor High Water Mark

Landward Limit of ABFE

Notes:
1 Measured in feet relative to the National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929 (NGVD 29). To convert from NGVD 29 to North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD 88), add 3.28 feet.
2 Range estimated from surveys, so large areas High Water Marks. Local wave effects (wave heights and wave runup) are not included in these elevations.
3 Flood advisory ABFEs shown apply to all properties located in the shaded zone with flood boundaries outlined in yellow. Those properties affected by a flood risk exceed 1 foot above current, effective base flood elevations (ABFEs) shown on your community’s Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM).
4 In areas outside the ABFE limits, please refer to the community’s effective FIRM for additional flood hazard information, where applicable.

For more information or these advisory maps, please see http://www.fema.gov/hazards/floods/recoverydata/

For insurance rating purposes, refer to the currently effective Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), available from your local government or the FEMA Map Service Center (1-800-358-9616 or http://femapgc.gov).