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Sabine Parish School Board

PRE-SCHOOL

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Community Resource Directory

This Community Resource Directory will provide you with necessary information to pursue various human services available in Sabine Parish and surrounding areas.

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**SABINE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
PRESCHOOL STAFF**

Dorman Jackson.....Executive Director
Melyssa SnellingPreschool Supervisor
Jean Falcon.....ERSEA/Center Facilitator
Meredith Mitchell.....Mental Health Disabilities Coordinator
LaSha Garner.....Family/Community Involvement/Transportation
Sonya Williams.....Family Advocate
Patsy Lowe.....Bus Driver-Many
Lucy Laroux / Demitra Hickman.....Custodian - Many/LTC
Shalonda Hickman.....Cook-Many /Food Transporter Technical College

TEACHERS

Many Preschool Center (Many)..... Velisa King & Hilda Malmay
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Many Preschool Center (Many).....Crystal Lehr & Stephanie Netter
Many Preschool Center (Many).....Angela Collins & Lisa Marroquin

Many Elementary Preschool (Many).....Pam Pickett & Kelli McClendon
Many Elementary Preschool (Many)..... Angel Eaves & Quanteequa Holmes

LA. Technical College (Many).....Tantaneke Courtney & Tery Remedies (T.J)

Converse Preschool (Converse).....Ashley Boudreaux & Susan Craig
Converse Preschool (Converse).....Laura Laroux & Rachel Wallace
Ebarb Preschool (Ebarb).....Mary Ann Jones & Pam Ebarb
Ebarb Preschool (Ebarb).....Jessica Wilson & Joyce Craig

Florien Preschool (Florien).....Patricia Jones & Amanda Remedies
Florien Preschool (Florien)..... Kathryn Thaxton & Mandi Speight

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Negreet Preschool (Negreet)..... Joy Wester & Amanda McFarlain
Negreet Preschool (Negreet)..... Kelly Dye & Melissa Thibodeaux

Pleasant Hill Preschool (Pleasant Hill)..... Jill Britt & Suzannah Rose
 Zwolle Preschool (Zwolle).....Carolyn McCormic & Shawana Newton
 Zwolle Preschool (ZWOLLE).....Willie "Mae" Carter & Shelly Kuntzman
 Zwolle Preschool (ZWOLLE).....Amy Crow & Tessy Remedies
 Zwolle Preschool (ZWOLLE).....Sue Garth & Lindsey Anderson

**HEALTH
 ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

- Rosie Sullivan**, Food Services Supervisor
Emily Walker, Dental Health Consultant
Chris Nolen, Director, Special Education, Sabine Parish Health Unit Representative
Carolyn Phillips, O.P.H. Eye Specialist/Consultant
Carolyn Edwards, Sabine Parish School Board, School Nurse
Karen Pickett, Sabine Parish School Board, School Nurse
Elaine Branch, Sabine Parish School Board,
Sarah Savell, Sabine Parish School Board, Special Education Elementary Transition Coordinator
Madeline Leslie, Project Celebration
Meredith Mitchell, Mental Health Disabilities Coordinator
Jean Falcon, ERSEA

Representatives from:
 Dr. Sukerek's Office
 Dr. Greg Found's Office

Community Representatives
 Danny Ray Coleman....Many
 Amy Garcie..... Zwolle
 Margaret Nixon....Florien

School Board Representative
 Roderick Davis

What is Head Start?

Head Start is a developmentally appropriate preschool program for children three through five years of age. It is a federally funded program operated by the Sabine Parish School Board. The program serves children from low-income families and children with disabilities.

Children in our program are provided screenings which include a physical, dental, vision, hearing, speech, and developmental. These screenings help identify potential areas of concern so that a child can receive follow-up treatment to meet their needs. Children are also provided a nutritious breakfast and lunch at Head Start center.

Each local Head Start center is equipped with a variety of equipment and supplies to allow the child the opportunity to explore and grow in a developmentally appropriate way. Each class has well-trained staff which includes a teacher and an assistant. The classroom is divided into many different learning centers which include: housekeeping, manipulatives, blocks, science, library, or a quiet area just to name a few.

Head Start is not just for the child. It is here for the family, too. Head Start offers training for parents, parent meetings, and social services to meet the individual family needs as well as many other services. Family involvement is encouraged as volunteers in and out of the classroom. Parents are invited to attend activities and field trips with the child.

To be considered age eligible, a child must be three years old by September 30 for the year in which the application is made. Parents need to bring proof of income which may be a W-2 form, 1040 tax form, a pay check stub, or proof of AFDC. A copy of the child's birth certificate, shot record, social security card, and child's medical card is also needed. If a child has a disability, documentation from a professional stating the disability must be supplied. If you have any questions, please contact the local Preschool Center in **Many**, phone number: **(318) 256-6143**.

Sabine Parish School Board Head Start Centers:

Center	Location	Telephone
Florien	Florien School Campus	(318) 586-7308
Many	Many Head Start Center (<i>Old Many Junior High</i>)	(318) 256-6143
TLC	Louisiana Technical College	(318) 590-1779
Zwolle	Zwolle Elementary School Campus	(318) 645-6294

Resource- AIDS/HIV Services

Philadelphia Center
(Northwest Louisiana AIDS Resource Center)
2020 Centenary Blvd.
Shreveport, LA. 71104-2437

Phone: (318) 222-6633
(866) 513-2863 Toll-Free

Fax: (318) 222-6678

Services:

- Provide support services for people who have Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) or have contracted the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), the virus that causes AIDS.
- Prevent the spread of HIV by educating the public with regard to how HIV is contracted and how its transmission may be avoided.
- Improve the quality of life for all people affected by HIV/AIDS regardless of race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, disability, national origin, political beliefs, financial status or any other non-meritorious basis.
- Direct Services:
 - Co-payment and Deductible Assistance Program
 - Dental Care
 - Emergency Assistance-Critical Need, Housing/Utilities
 - Food Bank
 - Health Insurance Continuation Program
 - Home Delivered Meals
 - Mental Health Counseling-Individual and Group
 - Substance abuse Counseling
 - Transportation

Eligibility: Philadelphia Center provides services for all people impacted in any way by this disease.

Website: www.philadelphiacenter.org

Central Louisiana AIDS Support Services (CLASS)

904 13th Street
Alexandria, LA 71301
Tel: (318) 442-1010
Fax: (318) 443-5216

Contact: Ann Lowrey, Executive Director

Parishes Served: Avoyelles, Catahoula, Concordia, Grant, LaSalle, Rapides,
Vernon & Winn Parish

Intervention Strategies: Street outreach, Condom availability, HIV Prevention
Counseling and Testing

NOTE: Sabine Parish residents can be served at the HIV-AIDS Clinic, a full service clinic offering confidential medical care and case management for AIDS/HIV patients. Call number above for more information.

CD-4 Clinic
2351 Vanderburg Drive
Alexandria, LA 71303

Resource: Agricultural Services

USDA/Natural Resources Conservation Service
US Corps of Engineers
290 Pico Street
Many, LA 71449

318-256-3491
Fax: 256-0689

Type of Agency: Government

Type of Services: Agriculture Services

Services: Conservation, government cost-share programs
Concerning agriculture such as tree planting,
poultry waste facilities, etc.

Eligibility: All can apply

How to Apply: Depends on programs. Call for details

Territory Served: Sabine Parish

Contact Person: E. John Rogers

Hours: 7:30 – 4:15

NOTE: We **do not** handle farm loans or disaster payments

Resource: Child Care

Northwestern State University
Child and Family Network
1800 Warrington Place
Shreveport, LA 71101

Phone: 318 677-3150
1-800-796-9080
Fax: 318 677-3169

Website: www.nsu-cfn.org

Training, Resource & Referral

Services: Provide training for child care providers and early childhood personnel. Assist parents in locating childcare in their area. Provide information on quality child care, the Child Development Associate credential, how to open a child care center or start a family child care home, etc.

Eligibility: Call for information

Territory served: Central and North Louisiana (Shreveport/Bossier, Monroe, Alexandria regions)

Contact person: Nancy P. Alexander, Executive Director

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday

Resource: Civic/Service Organizations

Pilot Club of Many, Inc.
690 Nabors
Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: 256-2927

Civic/Service Club

Services: Fund raisers for local community projects.

Contact Person: Jan Varnado
Home telephone: 256-2590
Hitchin' Post work telephone: 256-5326

Resource: Civic/Service Organizations

Sabine Parish Chamber of Commerce
1601 Texas Hwy.
Many, LA 71449

Phone: (318) 256-3523

FAX: (318) 256-4137

Type of Agency: Non Profit Organization of volunteer business & professional men and women

Services: Business development referrals
Communication & calendar of events
Membership directory
Tourism Promotion

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact Person: Don Bell

Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Website: www.sabineparish.com

Resource: Civic/Service Organizations

Sabine Parish Council LVFC (Louisiana Volunteers for Family & Community)
2318 W. Second Street
Pleasant Hill, LA. 71065

Phone: (318) 796-3697

Type of Agency: We work with the LSU Ag Center Extension Office

Type of services: Family and community education, volunteers

Services: Support 4-H clubs in the Sabine Parish
Projects to improve environment
Sponsor education classes
Holiday Idea-Craft workshops
Annual VFC High School 4-H Senior Scholarship
Judges for various 4-H contests
Assist in the Area Garden Forum
Pleasant Hill School Bazaar
Work with many projects in Sabine Parish, such as:

- Sabine Parish Fair
- Literacy
- Taylor House donation drive and fund raising

Eligibility: Membership is open to all.

To apply: Call for registration form; dues are \$10.00 a year

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Karen Hardee, President

Hours: Regular meeting time:
1:30 pm. 2nd Monday of each month at:
Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church
1838 W. First Street
Pleasant Hill, La. 70165

Resource: Courts/Judiciary

11th Judicial District Court for the State of Louisiana

Municipal Address:

Sabine Parish Courthouse
400 S. Capitol St.
Room 204
Many, LA 71449-4010

Mailing Address:

P. O. Box 9
Many, LA 71449-0009

Hon. Stephen B. Beasley (term 2009-2014, serving since 1996), sole presiding Judge over all Sabine Parish civil, criminal, child support, and juvenile court cases and adoptions.

Judicial Staff:

- **K. Jacob Ruppert, J.D.**, Counsel and Judicial Hearing Officer
- **Martha Walters Campbell**, Judicial Secretary and Office Manager
- **Carol Kirby-Ryan**, Judicial Secretary
- **Martha “Marty” Smith**, Certified Court Reporter

CONTACT: (318) 256-9789, Martha Walters Campbell

NOTE: By law, the judge may not speak to anyone about any past or pending court case or any potential legal matter that may come before the court. Any meeting with the Judge is by appointment only and after full disclosure of the subject matter to be discussed.

Resource: Courts/Judiciary

Sabine Parish Clerk of Court

Municipal Address:

Sabine Parish Courthouse
400 S. Capitol St.
Room 102
Many, LA 71449

Mailing Address:

P. O. Box 419
Many, LA 71449-0419

Tel: (318) 256-6223

Fax: (318) 256-9037

Hours: 8:00a.m. – 4:30 p.m., M-F. Closed on State holidays.

Website: www.sabineparishclerk.com

Hon. Tammy Foster, Clerk of Court (term 2008-2012)

The Clerk of Court is the custodian of all Sabine Parish land records, marriage licenses; civil, criminal and juvenile case records; adoption and probate records. The original records are kept permanently by the Clerk. The Clerk of Court's office is self sufficient and operates from the statutory fees it collects, not from taxes.

Deputy Clerks:

- **Belinda King** (Criminal)
- **Pricilla Wolf King** (Civil and Marriage Licenses)
- **Lucy Manshack** (Mortgage/Conveyance)
- **Kim Martin** (Criminal)
- **Janice Roberts** (Mortgage/Conveyance and Passports)
- **Shelly Salter** (Civil)
- **Kay Singletary** (Mortgage/Conveyance and Passports)
- **Beth Stringer** (Juvenile/Child Support)

Visit website for filing fees and other information.

RESOURCE: Crime Prevention

Crime Stoppers of Sabine, Inc.

P.O. Box 9

Many, LA. 71449-0009

Phone: (318) 256-9789

Hotline: (318) 256-4511 (for call-in tips on crime *only*)

Services: Crime Prevention Organization dedicated to the reduction of crime in Sabine Parish through the participation and involvement of the community, and contributing to a safer community through the gathering of information relating to criminal activity and rewarding callers while protecting their identity.

Contact: **K. Jacob Ruppert, J.D.**, Board member and corporation secretary
(318) 256-9789

Bill Adams, President and CEO

Website: www.crimestopusa.com

Resource: Disabled

Louisiana Commission for the Deaf/Alexandria Office

Care of:

Visual Communication Services

3656 Government Street Suite B
Alexandria, La. 71306

Phone: (318) 473-0308 Voice
(318) 473-0398 TDD/Fax
(866) 473-0308 Toll-Free
(866) 629-1815 Toll-Free

Email: vicomm@centurytel.net

Services:

- To promote, coordinate and facilitate accessibility of all public and private services to Deaf people, Deaf/Blind people.
- Serve as advocate for the needs and rights of deaf people.
- Collect information concerning deafness and provide for the dissemination of this information;
- Develop and implement a statewide program to insure continuity of services to deaf people;
- Inform deaf citizens, parents, and families of the availability of programs and services for deaf adults and children at all levels of state and local government;
- Promote the training of interpreters and assist in the establishment of interpreter training programs;
- Certify interpreters and maintain a registry of certified interpreters;
- Provide all services of the Commission to deaf people with visual impairments;
- Provide interpreter services to Deaf people in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the Commission;
- Establish, administer, and provide a statewide program to provide access to all public telecommunications services by Deaf people, Deaf/Blind people, hard of hearing and speech impaired. Louisiana citizens with hearing or speech disabilities that require the use of a text telephone, tele-braille, or amplification equipment are eligible for the Telecommunication Access Program.

Eligibility:

Any Louisiana citizen who is Deaf, Deaf/Blind, hard of hearing or has a speech impairment, is encouraged to apply for accessibility services.

Application:

By telephone, TDD, email or drop-in to make an appointment to complete an application and have a caseworker determine eligibility.

Resource: Education

Louisiana Technical College - Natchitoches Campus
P. O. Box 657
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71458-0657

Phone: (318) 357-3162
Fax: (318) 352-2248

STATE OF LOUISIANA

Type of Services: Vocational Training
Cosmetology
Education
Financial Aid
Family Literacy

Services: Early Childhood Education
Associate Degree in Early Childhood
Vocational Education
GED Evaluation
Financial Aid

Eligibility: Serve students attending the Natchitoches Campus (LTC)

To apply: Adult students; Test each Tuesday 8:00 A.M. \$20
(\$5 re-test charge)
Children accepted according to available space and age.

Territory served: Surrounding Natchitoches area
Students attending Natchitoches campus

Contact person: Shannon Cannon - Director of Early Childhood Center

Hours: 7:30 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

Resource: Education

Louisiana Technical College - Sabine Valley Campus
1255 Fisher Road
P. O. Box 790
Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: 318-256-4101
Fax: 318-256-4134

Technical College

Type of Services: Education/Job Training

Services: Associate Degrees in Office Systems Technology, Accounting Technology, and Computer Specialist Application
Diploma for Automotive Technology, Welding, and Nursing Assistant

Eligibility: Persons 16 years of age and older.

To apply: Contact the college via mail, telephone, web site, or visit or campus.

Territory served: Sabine Parish, DeSoto Parish, Vernon Parish, and Natchitoches Parish

Contact Person: Julie Morrow, Campus Dean

Hours: 7:00 A.M. - 3:30 P.M., Monday - Friday

Website: www.ltc.edu

In order to enroll, you must take the Entrance Exam given Monday thru Friday mornings at 7:50 a.m., except closures and holidays. Test fee is \$20 for entire test or \$5 per component thereof.

Resource: Education

Eugene P. Watson Memorial Library ("Watson Library")
Northwestern State University
913 University Parkway
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71497

Phone: 318-357-4477

Fax: 318-357-4470

Type of Agency: Library

Type of Services: Information Services

Services: Reference, library instruction, photocopy, microfilm/fiche, archives, and special collections.

Eligibility: Faculty, staff, and students of Northwestern State University have full service access. Those not affiliated with the university have limited access.

How to apply: N/A most are walk in.

Territory served: Service area of Northwestern State University

Contact person: Annette Merrell, Secretary 318-357-4403; merrela@nsula.edu

Hours: 8:00-5:00 P.M. for library office. Library hours depend on when classes are in session.

Website: www.nsula.edu/watson_library

Resource: Education

NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY
NATCHITOCHE CAMPUS
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71497

Phone: 800-426-3754 (In State)
1-800-256-2822 (Continuing Education)

Services: University courses

To apply: Admissions office located in Roy Hall on the N.S.U. campus.

Eligibility: High School Diploma/ACT Score

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday
Class times will vary

Resource: Education

NORTHWESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY
Leesville/Fort Polk Campus
3329 University Parkway
Leesville, La. 71446

Phone: (337) 392-3100
Fax: (337) 392-3183

University

Type of Services: Education

Services: Students may obtain Associate Degrees, Bachelor's Degrees or Master's Degrees. Degree programs are available in the Colleges of Business, Science & Technology, Education, Liberal Arts, Nursing and General Studies.

Contact person: Dr. Larry E. Monk, Executive Director

Eligibility: High School Graduate or GED and ACT scores

To apply: Submit Application for Admissions, \$20.00 application fee and proof of immunization.

Hours: Classes are held Monday - Saturday, 8:00 A.M. - 8:50 P.M.
Office Hours are Monday - Friday, 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Resource: Education

REGION VI EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER
Northwestern State University
6593 Highway 1 Bypass
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71457

Phone: (318) 357- 2491
Fax: (318) 357-2461

State Department of Education

Type of Services: Education

Services: EFFECTIVE SCHOOLS – Rebecca Lavespere

Reading First
K-3 READING & MATH – Trisha Weaver

ACCOUNTABILITY – Kathy Horan

SPECIAL EDUCATION – Phyllis Lehr

TITLE I
Parents in Education/Support – Trisha Weaver

EARLY CHILDHOOD/SPECIAL EDUCATION – Joyce Sjolander

Eligibility: As needed

To apply: Call (318) 357- 2419; HOURS: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday

Territory served: Avoyelles, Grant, LaSalle, Natchitoches, Rapides, Sabine, and
Vernon & Winn

Contact person: Pat Thurmon, Director

Resource: Adult Education

SABINE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD (Adult Education)
155 Fisher Road
Many, Louisiana 71449
Phone 256-0704
Fax: 256-4134

Cara Legget: Adult Education Supervisor:
Melissa Hankins: Clerk/Aide

G.E.D. & Literacy Adult Education

Type of services: GED evening classes and day time program.
Project Learners-Adults who need to prepare for ACT, PRAXIS,
and GRE.

Day time program:

7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Louisiana Technical College-Sabine Valley
Campus in Many, LA. (12 month program)

Evening Classes:

4:30-7:30 Monday and Wednesday at Zwolle High School
4:30-7:30 Monday and Thursday at Florien High School

**Students may receive training at LTC-SVC and may enroll in the
GED Program at the same time.**

Additional program:

In-school GED alternative programs are offered at all high schools
in the parish to students who are considered over age and at risk of
dropping out of school.

Test Administration

To qualify for the **General Educational Development (GED) test**, an individual shall be 16 years or above. Individuals between 17-18 years of age or 16 years of age with an approved age waiver may qualify for the GED test by taking the Official half-length GED Practice test and scoring a minimum of 410 on each part with an average score of 450. Qualifying scores on the Official half-length GED Practice test shall be certified by state-approved adult education site of instruction at Louisiana Technical College—Sabine Valley Campus.

Persons 19 years and older may walk in, with no instructions to test. However, this is not recommended by staff. In order to walk-in, one must be placed on testing roster by the Adult Education staff and pay all GED test fees in advance. No fees for classes and study, except for GED exam registration fee.

Sabine Parish School Board - GED Classes (continued)

Testing Fees:

There shall be a standard, Statewide-testing fee of \$50 for initial testing. There shall be a standard, Statewide-testing fee of \$30 for retesting. **To place your name on testing roster, you must pay all fees in advance to the Adult Education staff at the Louisiana Technical College—Sabine Valley Campus.**

Individuals may test a total of three (3) times during the calendar year with at least 30 days between testing dates.

ADULT EDUCATION TEST DATES 2008-2009

September 20, 2008
October 18, 2008
November 15, 2008
December 13, 2008
January 24, 2009
February 21, 2009
March 21, 2009
April 25, 2009
May 16, 2009
June 20, 2009

2008-2009 Adult Education Sites

Class #1 Louisiana Technical College - Sabine Valley Campus
Full-time Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (12 month program)

Ms. Cara Legget, Supervisor
1255 Fisher Road
Many, Louisiana 71449
Phone (318) 256-0704

Note:

Evening Classes are offered in Zwolle (Zwolle High School) and Florien (Florien High School) twice weekly for the 2008 and 2009 school year. Walk-in registration available at these sites.

For more information about the GED test, visit <http://www.gedpractice.com>

Resource: Education

SABINE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD PRESCHOOL-Universal Pre-school & Head Start

165 Sabine High Street

P. O. Box 1079

Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-9228-central office

Phone: (318) 256-6143-Head Start

Fax: (318) 256-0385

Services: Developmentally appropriate preschool program for children three through five years of age, parent group meetings, health services (medical and dental), and social service assistance.

Eligibility: 4 years old by September 30th for Universal Pre-school; 3 years old by September 30th for Head Start

Fee: None

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact Person: Jean Falcon

Resource: Education

SABINE PARISH SCHOOL BOARD PUPIL APPRAISAL SERVICES

P. O. Box 1079

Peterson Street

Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-9228

Fax: (318) 590-2880

Education

Type of Services: Evaluation for Developmental/Educational Disabilities

Pupil appraisal Services:

Pupil appraisal services are an integral part of the total instructional program of a school system. The purpose of pupil appraisal services is to assist students who have learning problems, adjustment problems, or other special needs by providing services to students, parents, teachers, and other school personnel including:

1. Assistance to teachers in the development and implementation of behavioral and/or instructional interventions
2. Evaluation of students to determine need for special services, such as special education.
3. Consultation with parents, teachers, and other personnel on topics such as instructional or behavioral modifications, exceptional students, and student development.
4. Training of school personnel on selected topics.
5. Interpretation of evaluation findings to school personnel and parents.
6. Direct support services to students with learning or behavior problems.
7. Related services to exceptional students.

PUPIL APPRAISAL SERVICES - Continued

Pupil appraisal personnel are not limited to providing services solely to students referred for an individual evaluation. Many students experiencing learning problems can be helped through pupil appraisal support services in the regular classroom, enabling the student to benefit from the regular instructional program and eliminating the need for special education. Major goals of pupil appraisal personnel are to be child advocates and to assist students to remain in and profit from the regular educational program whenever possible. When a student, as a result of an individual evaluation, qualifies for special education, pupil appraisal personnel will provide recommendations for the types of services needed to assist the teachers and parents of the student in providing an appropriate special education program.

Eligibility: Residents of Sabine Parish, ages up to 21 years

To apply: Contact Child Search Coordinator, Sarah Savell
Phone: (318) 256-9228, ext. # 242

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact Person: Sarah Savell

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., except school holidays.

Resource: Educational Services

LSU Ag Center- Extension Service
1125 W. Mississippi Avenue
Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-3406

Fax: (318) 256-6339

E-mail address: sabine@agcenter.lsu.edu

Type of Agency: Education - Local, State, and Federal

Type of services: Education - Home Economic and Agriculture for Adult and Youth

Services: Diet - Health - Nutrition
Environmental - Water Testing
Family and Parenting
Child Care Provider Training
4-H Youth Activities

Eligibility: All Sabine Parish residents - Free

To apply: Call or come by the office

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. M-F (closed for lunch)

Contact: Gwen Fontenot

Resource: Employment

Sabine Career Solutions Center
1125 W. Mississippi Ave. Suite A
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-2609
FAX: (318) 256-3283
E-mail: devcorpc@bellsouth.net
Website: www.laworks.net

Type of Services: Employment Assistance

Services for Job Seekers:

- Information about local, state and national labor markets and job listings
- Louisiana Virtual One Stop (LAVOS)
- Resource Room with computers, printers, Internet, photocopiers, telephones, and fax machines
- Job referrals and placements
- Job search workshops in resume writing, interviewing skills, dressing for success, etc.
- WIA funded training: Adult, dislocated worker and you ages 16-21
- Incumbent worker training
- Trade adjustment assistance services
- Trade
- Work skills, interest and values assessment
- Keyboard skills training
- Career exploration and counseling
- Job/career search literature
- Veterans services
- Customized job search instruction for former inmates
- Youth services designed to assist youth to achieve education and/or skill training that would lead to successful employment and retention

Services for employers:

- Recruitment and pre-screening of qualified applicants
- Easy access to post job listings on America's Labor Exchange and LAVOS
- Job and industry growth trends and forecasts
- Wage data and other valuable labor market information
- Compliance information on federal legislation (e.g., ADA)
- State licensing Guide
- Skills testing (Work-Keys)
- Interviewing space

Other services:

- Workforce Investment Act funded training
- Pell grants
- Scholarship opportunities
- On the job training

Continued

Resource: Employment

(Sabine Career Solutions Center)

Territory Served: Sabine, Natchitoches, DeSoto, Red River, Caddo, Bossier, Bienville, Claiborne, Lincoln, and Webster Parishes

Contact Person: Terri Remedies

Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Mon. Tue., Thurs., Fri.
8:00 a.m. – 12 Noon. Wed.

Resource: Employment/Job Training

ARC of Sabine
545 West San Antonio Avenue
P.O. Box 1150
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-2025
Fax: (318) 256-0143

e-mail: sarc@cebridge.net

Website: www.thearc.org

Residential Facility/Adult Day Program

Type of services: Residential
Financial
Education
Work Training
Family Support

Services: 6 ICF/MR Community Homes
Work Training Program
Supervised Independent Living Program
Supported Employment

Eligibility: Adult Day Program - Age 18 and up
Community Home - 18 and up

To apply: Visit or call

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Wayne Martinez, Executive Director
Susie Franklin - Social Services

Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

- Car Wash
M-F 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Resource: Employment/Job Service

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
OFFICE OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
1102 West First Street
DeRidder, La. 70634

Phone: (337) 462-5838
Fax: (337) 462-6115

Email: beauregu@bellsouth.net

Website: www.laworks.net

Public Service - Employment

Services: Assist individuals in their employment needs (seeking employment, resume assistance, etc.), with services such as telephone, fax, photocopying, Internet availability, and job search, all at no cost.

Sorry, no filing of claims.

Eligibility: Open to all individuals

To apply: Register with nearest office to customer location (DeRidder)

Territory served: Sabine, Allen, Vernon, and Beauregard Parishes

Contact person: Elaine Bruster, Local Area Coordinator

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Thursday- 1:30 pm. - 3:30 pm.

Resource: Employment/Job Service

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Office of Workforce Development
Natchitoches Job Center
303 Bienville Street
P.O. Box 2307
Natchitoches, La. 71457-2307

Phone: (318) 357-3145

Fax: (318) 357-3151

Unemployment, Job Service

Services: Job Skills Workshops
File Unemployment Insurance Claims
(In-person or on-line via Internet)
Employment by computer - Local and Statewide
Resumes and Internet access
Career Center information

Eligibility: Individual case-by-case basis

To apply: Apply for unemployment: 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Job service: 8 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Territory served: Natchitoches and Sabine Parishes

Contact person: Barbara Leach, Supervisor

Hours: Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(Last client requiring services must arrive by 4:00 pm.)

Note: The Natchitoches Job Center is expecting a 2009 move to 714
4th Street, Natchitoches, LA 71457-4469. Please call before
arriving to ensure exact location.

Resource: Financial/Medical

FLORIEN LIONS CLUB
1854 Ebenezer Rd.
Florien, LA 71429

Phone: (318) 256-3055 (Sabine MFD Homes)

Contact Person: Randy Sandel, President

Community Service Organization

Services: Provide eye glasses for free to those who meet income eligibility

To apply: Contact President at above address

Territory served: Florien area

Resource: Financial / Medical

MANY LIONS CLUB
C/O First United Methodist Church
1000 Main Street
P.O. Box 1210
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 315-2531- John Migliore (Past President)

Community Service

Type of Services: Financial Assistance
Medical Service

Services: We provide eye examinations to detect early stages of eye disease to children as well as children's eye glasses. (To apply, obtain application from school)

Provide admittance to Lion's Camp at Leesville
(Call for information)

Eligibility: Based on need

Territory served: Many

Contact person: John Migliore, Past President
Walter Lee, President

RESOURCE: Financial / Medical

Sabine Shrine Club
1740 San Antonio Ave.
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-5101

Service: Shriner's are very proud of their role in assisting with referrals to Shriners Hospitals. The Shreveport Shriners Hospital is one of 19 orthopedic Shriner's Hospitals for Crippled Children and three Shrine Burn Institutes throughout North America. An interdisciplinary approach is used in patient care programs to ensure comprehensive care for each patient.

Meetings: Meetings are held every Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Contact: R.V. Byles

Resource: Financial Assistance/Family Support

PROJECT CELEBRATION, INC.
P. C. Horn Center for Children and Families
580 West Main St.
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-6242 Main
Fax: (318) 256-2064
Email: wecare1@bellsouth.net

Family Empowerment Programs

Type of Services: Community Education
Counseling: Individual & Group
Advocacy

Services: FINS (Families In Need of Services) as codified in the Louisiana Children's Code:
Family Resource Center offers parenting education, individual & group counseling, and legal advocacy for families referred through OCS (Office of Community Services)

Also offered:

- Sexual Assault Advocacy
- Taylor House, a shelter for survivors of domestic abuse
- Center for Addictive Diseases (Tuesdays only)
- Men's group (Thursdays only)

Eligibility: As needed or referred by OCS or the courts

To apply: By phone or in person

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Margaret Basco, Director
Madeline Leslie, Director of Family Resource Center

Hours: Office Hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
or by Appointment

Resource: Financial Assistance/Family Support

SABINE MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE
c/o
First United Methodist Church
P. O. Box 1210
Many, Louisiana 71449-0522

Phone: (318) 256-5655, or
(318) 256-3632

Fax: (318) 256-0522

Non-Profit

Type of Services: Help with food for people in need. Other services available.

Eligibility: Sabine Parish residents; others considered

To apply: Call for information

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Rev. Frances Hooton

Hours: 9:00 - 4:00

Resource: Financial Assistance/Family Support

SABINE PARISH OFFICE OF FAMILY SUPPORT
990 Valerie Ann Blvd
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4121
1(888) LA- HELP- U

Fax: 318-256-4142

Public Assistance

Type of Services: FITAP/Food Stamp Benefits/Kinship
Child Care Program
Transportation through FIND Work Program

Eligibility: Determined according to Federal Policy

To apply: Come to office and complete OFS-4 - must stay for one-on-one interview.

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Jackie Kelly, F.S. Parish Manager 2

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Mon., Wed., Fri.

1-888 -524-3578 for automated help with your FITAP, Food Stamp, or Kinship accounts

1-888-997-1117 for EPT card replacement. Call Many office for damaged EPT cards.

Resource: Financial Assistance

Social Security Administration
2100 Sartor Street
Leesville, LA 71446

Phone: (337) 238-3526
Fax: (318) 239-4608

Federal Government

Type of Services: (Financial) SSA/SSI

Services: Social Security Programs:

- Retirement
- Survivors
- Disability

Medicare

Supplemental Security Income (SSI):

- Blind
- Disabled
- Aged (over 65)

SSA cards and replacement

Eligibility: Insured Status (Social Security and Medicare); Need (SSI)

To apply: 1-800-772-1213 or 337-238-3526

Territory served: Vernon and Sabine Parishes

Contact Person: Ryan Brinkman, Manager

Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Websites

- www.ssa.gov (For information, forms, and filing)
- www.medicare.gov (For Medicare information, forms, and filing)

Resource: Financial Assistance/Family Support

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

107 S. Williams Avenue
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71457

Phone: (318) 357-1818
FAX: 318-357-1738
TTY: 1 (800) 325-0778

Federal - Social Security
Supplemental Security (SSI)
Medicare benefits

Type of Services: Administering Social Security retirement
Survivors and disability benefits
SSI benefits for low-income elderly and disabled

Services: Processing applications and supplying information on above
programs.

Eligibility: 1. Social Security - have worked under Social Security and
a. be retired,--over age 62, etc.
b. disabled, or
c. surviving dependent of an insured worker

2. SSI - Have limited income and resources and be:
a. over 65, or
b. disabled

File application.

To apply: Call 1-800-772-1213 for appointment or visit office

Territory served: Parishes of Natchitoches, Winn, and Red River

Contact person: Linda McGlothlin, Manager (318) 357-1818

Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Monday - Friday except Federal holidays

Website: www.ssa.gov (For more information, forms, and filing online).

Resource: Parish Government (Parish)

Sabine Parish Police Jury
400 S. Capitol, Room 101
Many, LA 71449

Phone: (318) 256-5637
Fax: (318) 256-9652

Parish (County) Government

Type of Services: (County) Parish Government

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact Person: Ron L. Busby, Secretary-Treasurer

Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Resource: Government (Parish)

Sabine Parish 911 Office:

Municipal Address:

Sabine Parish Courthouse
400 S. Capitol Street (Second Floor)
Many, La. 71449

Mailing Address:

Sabine Parish 911
P.O. Box 550
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 856-0009

Hours: 8:00 am- 4:30 pm. Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.
1:00pm - 4:30 pm. Wed.
(Closed daily from 12 noon to 1:00 pm)

Services: Permits to connect residential or commercial electrical service with Valley Electric, Cleco, or Entergy utility companies within Sabine Parish and maintains the parish map and street signs.

Fees: \$10.00 permit (check, money order, cash)
\$13.00 if paid by credit/debit cards in person or over telephone
(Discover, MC, Visa)
\$20.00 Sabine Parish map book

Contact: (318) 856-0009 Mavis Funderburk

RESOURCE: Government - Officials Elected by Sabine Parish Residents

President of the United States	
Barack H. Obama, Democrat, Exp. Date: Jan. 2013	Executive Office of the President The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, DC 20500 (202) 456-1414 (President) (202) 456-7549 (VP Joseph Biden)
U. S. Senators (Louisiana)	
David Vitter, Republican, Exp. Date: 2011	920 Pierrepoint Road, Suite 113 Shreveport, LA 71106 Phone: (318) 861-0437 Fax: (318) 861-4865
Mary L. Landrieu, Democrat, Exp. Date: 2015	U. S. Courthouse 300 Fanin Street, Rm. 2240 Shreveport, LA 71101 Voice: (318) 676-3085 Fax:(318) 676-3100
Governor	
Bobby Jindal, Republican, Exp. Date: Jan. 2012	Office of the Governor P. O. Box 94004 Baton Rouge, LA 70804 (225) 342-0919 (Tel) (225) 342-8365 (Fax)
U.S. Representative, 4th Congressional District	
<i>Unknown at time of printing.</i> Exp.Date:01/03/12	Visit: http://www.legis.state.la.us/district/zipcode.asp or call Clerk of Court's office (318) 256-6223
Associate Justice, 2nd Supreme Court District of Louisiana	
Jeffrey P. Victory, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/14	244 Wedgewood Drive Shreveport, LA 71105 (318) 227-3710
Judge, Court of Appeal, 3rd Circuit, 1st District, Division A	
Elizabeth A. Pickett, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P. O. Box 70 Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-4180
Judge, Court of Appeal, 3rd Circuit, 1st District, Division B	
Jimmie C. Peters, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/16	P.O. Box 1380 Jena, LA 71342 (318) 992-2663

Judge, Court of Appeal, 3rd Circuit, 1st District, Division C	
Shannon Gremillion	P. O. Box 16577 Lake Charles, LA 70616-6577 (318) 757-4640 or (337) 433-9403
Public Service Commission, District 5	
Foster Campbell, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	1800 Jimmie Davis Hwy Bossier City, LA 71112 (318) 746-2078
State Senator, 31st Senatorial District	
Gerald Long, Republican, Exp.Date:01/09/12	P.O. Box 1181 Natchitoches, LA 71458 (318) 628-5799
State Representative, 24th Representative District	
"Frankie" Howard, Republican, Exp.Date:01/09/12	P. O. Box 10 Hornbeck, LA 71439 (318) 565-4433
District Judge, 11th Judicial District	
Stephen Beasley, Exp.Date:12/31/14	P.O. Box 9 Many, LA 71449-0009 (318) 256-9789
District Attorney, 11th Judicial District	
Don M. Burkett, Republican, Exp.Date:01/11/15	P. O. Box 1557 Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-6246
Sheriff	
Guffey Lynn Pattison, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/12	P.O. Box 1440 Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-9241
Clerk of Court	
Tammy Foster, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/12	P.O. Box 419 Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-6223
Assessor	
Carroll D. Ellzey, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	4247 Plainview Road Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-7670
Coroner	
Warren L. Founds, Republican, Exp.Date:03/25/12	395 S. Capitol St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-2000

Police Juror, District 1	
Dennis Downs, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	391 Toro Church Road Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-4507
Police Juror, District 2	
Kenneth Funderburk, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	90 Funderburk Road Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-3340
Police Juror, District 3	
Rodney Hopkins, Republican, Exp.Date:01/08/12	P.O. Box 1 Many, LA 71449-0001 (318) 256-5735
Police Juror, District 4	
William Ruffin, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	P. O. Box 534 Many, LA 71449-0534 (318) 256-3135
Police Juror, District 5	
J. M. "Bucky" Slay, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	P.O. Box 37 Fisher, LA 71426-0037 (318) 256-5374
Police Juror, District 6	
Gerald Procell, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	13 Cynthia Lane Noble, LA 71462 (318) 645-6865
Police Juror, District 7	
Jerry W. McDonald, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	218 Gladys Lane Converse, LA 71419 (318) 567-3182
Police Juror, District 8	
Albert Ezernack, Democrat, Exp.Date:01/08/12	4222 Hwy. 120 Zwolle, LA 71486 (318) 645-4307
Police Juror, District 9	
Nolan Patrick, Republican, Exp.Date:01/08/12	P.O. Box 326 Pleasant Hill, LA 71065 (318) 796-2982
Member of School Board, District 1	
Imon W. Jones, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	138 Wilson Lane Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-7853

Member of School Board, District 2	
James A. "Buddy" Veuleman, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/10	2340 Hwy. 476 Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-5842
Member of School Board, District 3	
J. Randall "Randy" Veuleman, Other, Exp.Date:12/31/10	150 Zachary Taylor Road Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-6633
Member of School Board, District 4	
Roderick Davis, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	210 Daniel St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-9023
Member of School Board, District 5	
Denyse A. Williams, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/10	3697 Texas Hwy Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-6597
Member of School Board, District 6	
Harold L. Stewart, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	5960 Hwy. 482 Noble, LA 71462 (318) 645-9329
Member of School Board, District 7	
Donnie F. Sistrunk, Sr., Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	21660 Hwy. 174 Converse, LA 71419 (318) 567-2524
Member of School Board, District 8	
James W. "Jim" House, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/10	1364 Kane St. Zwolle, LA 71486 (318) 645-2033
Member of School Board, District 9	
Jack H. Sanders, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	411 WPA Road Pleasant Hill, LA 71065 (318) 796-2828
Justice of the Peace, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 1	
Jean Sharp, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/14	12487 Hwy. 118 Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-3898
Justice of the Peace, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 2	
"Mike" Tarver, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	75 Tarver Drive Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-2182

Justice of the Peace, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 3	
Earl Brandon, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	9473 Brandon Road Many, LA 71449 (318) 645-9568
Justice of the Peace, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 4	
Robert "Bob" Brumley, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	3617 Ryals Road Converse, LA 71419 (318) 567-2210
Justice of the Peace, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 5	
LaJuana Williams Mosley, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	P.O. Box 308 Pleasant Hill, LA 71065 (318) 315-1072
Constable, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 1	
Richard Sharp, Other, Exp.Date:12/31/14	12487 Hwy 118 Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-3898
Constable, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 2	
Jerry Johnson, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	111 Calvin Lane Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-6691
Constable, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 3	
Donald Garcie, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	101 Rock Hill Lane Noble, LA 71462 (318) 645-9212
Constable, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 4	
Harvey L. Nichols, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	P.O. Box 191 Noble, LA 71462-0191 (318) 567-9400
Constable, Justice of the Peace & Constable District 5	
Lovell Knowles, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/14	P.O. Box 15 Belmont, LA 71406 (318) 256-3232
Mayor, Town of Many	
Ken Freeman, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/09	1055 W. Alabama St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-5146
Mayor, Town of Zwolle	
Roger Lopez, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	1388 Aster St. Zwolle, LA 71486 (318) 645-6445

Mayor, Village of Converse	
Troy H. Terrell, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 233 Converse, LA 71419 (318) 567-3283
Mayor, Village of Fisher	
Susan Slay, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 37 Fisher, LA 71426 (318) 256-5374
Mayor, Village of Florien	
Eddie Jones, Jr., Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/12	220 Pine Tree Lane Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-7972
Mayor, Village of Noble	
Gary Mark Rivers, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P.O. Box 177 Noble, LA 71462 (318) 645-4189
Mayor, Village of Pleasant Hill	
Betty Sue Thomas, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 331 Pleasant Hill, LA 71065-0331 (318) 796-2081
Chief of Police, Town of Many	
Ron Lambert, Republican, Exp.Date:06/30/09	445 Miller St Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-5617
Chief of Police, Town of Zwolle	
Marvin Frazier, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P. O. Box 1146 Zwolle, LA 71486-1146 (318) 645-6141
Chief of Police, Village of Converse	
John Brock, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P. O. Box 37 Converse, LA 71449-0037 (318) 567-3471
Chief of Police, Village of Fisher	
Lamar Thomas, Jr., Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 53 Fisher, LA 71426-0053 (318) 256-2001
Chief of Police, Village of Florien	
Herman Love, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/12	P.O. Box 444 Florien, LA 71429-0444 (318) 586-7286

Chief of Police, Village of Noble	
Pat Ebarb, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P.O. Box 186 Noble, LA 71462 (318) 645-6900
Chief of Police, Village of Pleasant Hill	
Ray Williams, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 254 Pleasant Hill, LA 71065-0254 (318) 796-3430
Alderman at Large, Town of Many	
Barbara Richardson Peterson, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/09	1050 Vandegaer St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-2123
Alderman, District A, Town of Many	
James D. Kennedy, Sr., Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/09	1335 Kenilworth St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-6570
Alderman, District B, Town of Many	
Jeanetta Dean, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/09	325 Caladonia St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-0335
Alderman, District C, Town of Many	
John A. Hoagland, Democrat, Exp.Date:06/30/09	260 S. Capitol St. Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-9616
Alderman, District D, Town of Many	
I. D. "Wayne" Bostian, Other, Exp.Date:06/30/09	N. Capital 1015 Many, LA 71449 (318) 256-2053
Alderman, Village of Converse	
Rita Gale Anderson, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	713 Shaw St. Converse, LA 71429 (318)567-2440
Cade Brumley, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 85 Converse, LA 71419-0085 (318) 567-9833
"Ken" Norman, Other, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 65 Converse, LA 71419-0065 (318) 567-3755

Alderman, Village of Fisher	
Amy Johnson, Republican, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 2 Fisher, LA 71426-0002 (318) 256-5583
Johnnie Maxie, Other, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 34 Fisher, LA 71426-0034 (318) 590-0293
Terry Pantalion, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 172 Fisher, LA 71426-0172 (318) 256-2736
Alderman, Village of Florien	
Georgia Jett, Republican, Exp.Date:06/30/12	P.O. Box 303 Florien, LA 71429-0303 (318) 586-7185
Bradley Marr, No Party, Exp.Date:06/30/12	P.O. Box 952 Many, LA 71449-0952 (318) 586-7212
Suzanne Williams, Republican, Exp.Date:06/30/12	215 W. Front St., Florien, LA 71429 (318) 586-4963
Alderman, Village of Noble	
Terry H. Ebarb, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P.O. Box 156 Noble, LA 71462-0156 (318) 645-4600
Amy E. Remedies, No Party, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P.O. Box 131 Noble, LA 71462-0131 (318) 645-9594
Janice C. Rike, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P.O. Box 206 Noble, LA 71462-0206 (318) 645-9316
Alderman, Village of Pleasant Hill	
Glenn Arnold, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 213 Pleasant Hill, LA 71065-0213 (318) 796-3758
Walter Lee, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	8631 Stoddard St., Pleasant Hill, LA 71065 (318) 796-2202
Dorothy T. Spencer, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/12	P.O. Box 300 Pleasant Hill, LA 71065-0300 (318) 796-3618

Councilman, Town of Zwolle	
Carolyn Cutright, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P. O. Box 430 Zwolle, LA 71486-0430 (318) 645-7674
Martha Rivers Henderson, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	18585 Hwy. 191 Zwolle, LA 71486 (318) 645-9573
Donald H. "Hootie" Remedies, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P. O. Box 1239 Zwolle, LA 71486-1239 (318) 645-6093
"Rich" Remedies, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	P.O. Box 876 Zwolle, LA 71486-0876 (318) 645-2742
Allen Rivers, Democrat, Exp.Date:12/31/10	2830 Hwy. 120 Zwolle, LA 71486 (318) 645-4300

Resource: Health

Leesville Rural Health Service
Outpatient Medical Center
900 N. 5th Street Suite #14
Leesville, La. 71446

Phone: (337) 238-1274
FAX: 337-239-2225

Louisiana's Health Centers

Type of Services: Family Practice, General Medicine, Medicaid Eligibility Enrollment, HIV Testing, Prescription Assistance Program, Nutrition Counseling, WIC, KIDMED-Immunizations, Lab Services, Drug Screens, Pediatrics, and Gynecological Medical Services

Eligibility: Most Private Insurance, Workmen Compensation, Medicaid, Medicare, and Sliding Fee based on Income Eligibility

To apply: Call to make appointment or Walk In

Territory served: Vernon, Sabine, Beauregard,

Contact person: John E. Winston, Chief Executive Officer

Hours:

Monday	8am-6pm
Tuesday	8am-6pm
Wednesday	8am-5pm
Thursday	8am-8pm
Friday	8am-1 pm

Resource: Health

Natchitoches Rural Health Service
Outpatient Medical Center
1640 Breazealle Springs Street
Natchitoches, La 71457

Phone: (318) 352-9299
FAX: (318) 357-8236

Louisiana's Health Centers

Type of Services: Family Practice, General Medicine, Medicaid Eligibility Enrollment, HIV Testing, Prescription Assistance Program, Nutrition Counseling, WIC, KIDMED-Immunizations, Lab Services, Drug Screens, Pediatrics, and Gynecological Medical Services

Eligibility: Most Private Insurance, Workmen Compensation, Medicaid, Medicare, and Sliding Fee based on Income Eligibility

To apply: Call to make appointment or Walk In

Territory served: Rapides, Beauregard, Natchitoches, Red River, Richmond, Madison, and Winn

Contact person: John E. Winston, Chief Executive Officer

Hours:

Monday	8am-6pm
Tuesday	8am-6pm
Wednesday	8am-5pm
Thursday	8am-8pm
Friday	8am-1 pm

Resource: Health

Natchitoches Center for Addictive Disorders
212 Medical Drive
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71457

Phone: (318) 357-3283 or 357-3284
Fax: (318) 357-3287

Type of Agency: Addictive Disorders Center

Type of Services: Treating addictions - Health

Services: Treat: alcoholics/addicts
Gambling addictions
and offer smoking cessation groups

Eligibility: Ambulatory: treat adolescents and adults

To Apply: Call agency and make appointment for assessment

Territory Served: Natchitoches, Sabine, Red River, and DeSoto Parishes

Contact Person: Farnetta Green-Sowell (aka "Fay")

Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. Mon., Wed., Thurs.
8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Tuesday
8:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m. Friday

In Sabine Parish, NCAD offers off-site counseling services available on Tuesdays only at 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at:

Project Celebration

P. C. Horn Center for Children and Families
580 West Main Street
Many, LA 71449
(504) 256-4262

See page 37, *supra*.

Resource: Health

Pine Belt Multi-Purpose Agency
P. O. Box 1213
Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-6942
Fax: (318) 256-1241

Non-Profit Community Action Agency

Type of Services: Community Food & Nutrition Program
Emergency Assistance
CSBG Emergency

Services: STEP Program Transportation
Commodities
Medicaid Enrollment Program
Pharmaceutical Program
Emergency Food and Shelter

Eligibility: Based on income

To apply: Call or come by our office for an appointment

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact Person: Ms. Quidlyn Iles

Hours: 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Resource: Health

SABINE COUNCIL ON AGING INC.
750 West Georgia Avenue/ P.O. Box 1508
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4140
Fax: (318) 256-4164

Type of Services: Congregate Meals
Medical Alert System
Personal Care Aides
Transportation
Legal Assistance
Recreation
Information and Assistance
Emergency Energy Assistance
Food Bank
Telephone Contact for Homebound
Meals on Wheels
Homemaker services

Activities: Quilting, exercise (twice a day), game day, bingo, Bible study,
monthly parties, outdoor (running/walking/track -24/7)

Eligibility: Must be over 60 years of age (for services only and sometimes low-
income) or disabled
Transportation for younger residents of Sabine Parish based upon
available space
Food Bank available to all residents of Sabine Parish

To apply: Call or visit

Contact Person: Lois Pegues
Betsy Goss

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Monday - Friday

Continued

Resource: Health

Sabine Parish Meal Sites: (see above for services and activities)

Many

Sabine Council on Aging, Inc.
750 W. Georgia Ave.
P.O. Box 1508
Many, La. 71449

Toledo Town

29275 Highway 191
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-0059
Hours: M-F, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Sarah House, Manager

Converse

206 Franklin Dr.
Converse, La. 71419
Phone: 318 256-9631
Hours: M-F, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Rebecca Moore, Manager

Zwolle

101 Linda Circle
Zwolle, La. 71486
Phone: 645-7357
Hours: M-F, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Cheryl Taylor, Manager

Pleasant Hill

83 Rains Street
Pleasant Hill, La. 71065
Phone: (318) 769-2244
Hours: M-F, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Norma Graves, Manager

Resource: Health

Sabine Parish Health Unit
1230 West Louisiana Avenue
Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4105
Fax: (318) 256-4144

Health Agency

Services: Immunizations
 Flu Shots
 Tuberculosis
 Treatment of cases, contacts
 Nutritional Services
 Family Planning
 WIC Services
 Sexually Transmitted Disease Treatment
 Environmental Services - including:
 o Inspection of eating establishments;
 o Checking public water systems;
 o Sewage inspection

Counseling and education is done in all above services listed.

Limited Social Worker Counseling

Eligibility: Determined on individual basis

How to apply: By appointment, via phone, or in person

Territory served: Sabine Parish and surrounding parishes

Contact person: Dawn Leone, R.N. , Nursing Supervisor
 Ruth Sparks, Office Manager

Hours: 8:00 - 4:30 M-F (By appointment)

Resource: HEALTH – MEDICAL/DENTAL OFFICES

DENTISTS

Dr. Hollis R. Bray,
720 Shreveport Hwy.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-5430

Dr. Lula Williams
1640 Breazeale Spring St.
Natchitoches, La. 71457
Phone: (318) 357-2054

Dr. Fred Rew
1140 Polk St #A
Mansfield, La. 71052
Phone: (318) 872-3972

Dr. Michael Warren
695 San Antonio Ave.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-3641

FAMILY MEDICINE

Charles Pearson, M.D.
245 Highland Dr.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-1136

HOSPITALS/MEDICAL CENTERS

Byrd Regional Hospital
1020 Fertitta Blvd.
Leesville, La. 71446
337-239-9041
Phone: 1-800-801-5090

Natchitoches Parish Hospital
501 Keyser Avenue
Natchitoches La.
Phone: (318) 214-4200

Family Medical Center
395 S. Capitol Street
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-2000

Rapides Regional Medical Center
211 Fourth Street
Alexandria, La.
Phone: (318) 473-3000

Leesville Rural Health
Leesville, La. 71446
Phone: (337) 256-5691

Sabine Medical Center
240 Highland Drive
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-5691

**Louisiana State University
Health Sciences Center
School of Medicine**
General Information
Phone: (318) 675-5000

Schumpert Health System
Phone: (318) 227-4500

Willis-Knighton Medical Center
Phone: (318) 632-4600

Resource: HEALTH - MEDICAL/DENTAL OFFICES Continued

PSYCHOLOGY OFFICES

The Psychology Clinic, 401 South Pine, DeRidder, La. 70634
Phone: (337) 462-2110

Charter Counseling Center, 128 South Stewart, DeRidder, La. 70634
Phone: (337) 462-5433

**SABINE MEDICAL CENTER
PHYSICIAN LIST**

<p>Charles Pearson, M.D. Family Practice/ER 245 Highland Drive Many, La. 71449 Phone: (318) 256-1136</p>	<p>W. Jack Corley, M.D. Family Medicine 220 Highland Drive Many Phone: (318) 256-5700</p>	<p>Husam H. Sukerek, M.D. Pediatric Medicine 220 Highland Drive Many Phone: (318) 256-5722</p>
<p>Warren Founds, M.D. Family Medicine 395 Capital Street Many Phone: (318) 256-2000</p>	<p>Greg Founds, M.D. Family Medicine 395 Capital Street Many Phone (318) 256-2000</p>	<p>Kay Nelson, M.D. Family Medicine 12060 Texas Highway Many Phone: (318) 256-6465</p>

**ALL PHYSICIANS LISTED WHO DO NOT HAVE A MANY OR ZWOLLE ADDRESS
SEE PATIENTS IN MANY AT SMC**

**The following physicians hold clinics at
Sabine Medical Center (SMC)**

<p>Steven M. Kautz, M.D. Orthopedic Surgery 647 Bienville Circle Natchitoches, La. Phone: (318) 352-7768</p>	<p>Manish Dhawan, M.D. Oncology 1455 Bert Kouns Shreveport LA 71135- 1455 Phone: (318) 798-4616</p>	<p>Reymond Meadaa, M.D. Cardiology 1106-A Port Arthur Terrace Leesville LA 71446 Phone: (337) 392-1871</p>
<p>Anil Chhabra, M.D. Cardiology 2727 Hearne Ave., #301 Shreveport LA 71103 Phone: 800 256-1100</p>	<p>Call for SMC office Hours (318) 256-5691</p>	<p>Mohammad Sarfraz, M.D. GYN 1022 Port Arthur Terrace Leesville LA 71446 Phone: (337) 238-5081</p>
<p>Teofilo C. Gozaine, M.D. ENT 506 S. 6th Street Leesville, La. 71446 Phone: (318) 239-2234</p>	<p>Jose Mathew, M.D. 1101-A Port Arthur Terr. Leesville LA 71446 Phone: (337) 238-4793</p>	<p>Wm D. Zeichner, M.D. 651 Bienville Circle Natchitoches LA 71457 Phone: (318) 357-1200</p>

Resource: Health – Mental Health

MANY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC
265 Highland Drive
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4119
Fax: (318) 256-4171

Outpatient mental health clinic

Type of Services: Individual and family counseling, both children and adults

Services: One to one supportive counseling for individuals and their families suffering from symptoms of depression, psychosis, ADD and ADHD

Medication management: medications are provided by the MHC for those clients who do not have Medicaid and have been verified as “No fee.” Prescriptions are written by the psychiatrist for all other meds and for controlled drugs.

Adult Psychiatrist; available two days/per week. (Clients must be seen by Social worker or Psychiatric Nurse first.)

Child/Adolescent Psychiatrist: Available 1-2 times/month. (Clients must be seen by Social worker or Psychiatric Nurse first.)

Eligibility: State Mental Health accepts Medicaid, Medicare, Insurance and indigent consumers.

To apply: Perspective client or guardian to call the office any time Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Territory served: Sabine Parish residents only. (Exceptions are made depending upon circumstances.)

Contact persons: Mary Ochiltree, RN
Deanna Fowler, MSW, Clinic Manager

Hours: Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

RESOURCE: Health - Mental Health

Addictive Disorders

Alcoholics Anonymous

(800) 924-0431

(800) 471-4017

(318) 443-3938

Narcotics Anonymous

(877) 454-8308

Al-Anon & Alateen

(800) 425-2666

Gamblers Anonymous

(800) 203-8785

(213) 386-8789

Center for Addictive Disorders

(800) 210-6085

Battered Woman Program: Turning Point Shelter

(888) 411-1333

Elderly Abuse Hotline

(800) 259-4990

www.elderabusecenter.org

Hope Line Network-Suicide Hotline

(800) 784-2433

(800) SUICIDE

Suicide Prevention

(800) 749 2673 (800) 749-COPE

(800) 273-8255 (800) 273-TALK

www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org

Crisis Counseling (*over the phone*)

(800) 437-0303

(800) 272-8467

Louisiana Disaster Support Line (*Crisis Counseling*)

(800) 524-3578

Louisiana Office of Mental Health:

(800) 590-2849 (*Child/Adolescent Behavioral Health Service*)

(318) 484-6200 (*Central Louisiana State Hospital*)

Military Counseling Services:

(877) 414-5258 **Navy**

(800) 847-1597 **Marines**

(888) 777-7731 **Family Program**

(800) 435-9941 **Personnel Readiness Ctr.**

Resource: Housing

APARTMENTS:

1. **Apollo Plaza Apartments**
583 Middle Creek Rd.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: 318-256-5006
2. **Cook Apartments**
1582 S. Nolan Trace
Florien, La. 71429
Phone: 318-586-3585
3. **Many Apartments**
1200 Fisher Road
Many, La. 71449
Phone: 318-256-5050
4. **Many Senior Apartments**
450 Sycamore St.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: 318-256-9670
5. **Middle Creek Apartments**
383 Middle Creek Rd.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: 318-256-5341
6. **Timbers Apartments**
150 Airport Rd.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: 318-256-2319
7. **William Ruffin Apartments**
1260 Fisher Rd.
Many, La. 71449
Phone: 318-256-8830
8. **Millbrooke Apartments**
750 Millbrooke Circle
Florien, La. 71429
Phone: 318-586-7885
9. **Lakeway Apartments**
522 Oak Street
Zwolle, La. 71486
Phone: 318-645-4195

Resource: Housing

SABINE PARISH HOUSING AUTHORITY

P.O. Box 1565

210 North Highland Drive

Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-3359

Fax: (318) 256-0835

Website: www.sabineparishha.org

Political Subdivision

Type of Services: Housing

Services: Low Income
Vouchers

Eligibility: All incomes

To apply: Application at above location

Territory served: Sabine Parish (Vouchers)

Contact person: Doug Gauntt, Executive Director

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. M - F
Each month after the 10th of the month, the office is closed between the hours of 12:00 - 4:00 p.m.; however, telephone calls will be accepted during that time.

Visit website for more information and for online applications.

Resource: Housing/Shelter for survivors of domestic violence

Taylor House
c/o Project Celebration, Inc.
580 W. Main
Many, LA 71449

Phone: (318) 256-3408
Fax: (318) 256-9284

E-Mail: thereishope@cebridge.net

Shelter for survivors of domestic violence

Type of Services:

1. Forty-five (45) days stay for survivors of domestic violence
2. Food provided free of charge to all shelter residents
3. Clothing for residents who are in need
4. Residential/non-residential children's support group/play therapy
5. Residential/non-residential women's support group and parenting
6. Advocacy legal/personal/medical, referrals to social service agencies and housing
7. Financial assistance with utility deposits to shelter residents to get re-established
8. Transportation to shelter residents

Eligibility: Survivors of domestic violence

To apply: Call or come to shelter

Territory served: Sabine, DeSoto, Vernon, and other surrounding parishes;
no survivors of domestic violence will be turned away

Contact person: Virginia Bradford, Director

Hours: Crisis shelter and hot-line; 24hrs a day – 7 days a week

- In Sabine Parish, Counselors available *Tuesday's only 10:00 am.- 7:30 pm*

Project Celebration, Inc.
580 W. Main Street
Many, La. 71449
Phone: (318) 256-4136

Resource: Juvenile Justice

State of Louisiana
Office of Youth Development
Division of Youth Services
Region 10

116 Highway 1 South (Suite 200)
P. O. Box 2310
Natchitoches, LA 71457

Phone: (318) 357-3152
Fax: (318) 357-3243

STATE AGENCY

Types of Services: Supervision of juveniles adjudicated delinquent and families in need of services

Description of Services: -Intake and referral services for juveniles arrested by local Law enforcement officers.
-Supervision of youth placed in the custody of the State for participation in non-secure group home and residential treatment programs or State secure care facilities.
-Work with schools and other community serving entities to prevent delinquency.

Eligibility: Primarily youth 10 - 18 years of age adjudicated by the Juvenile Court.

Territory served: DeSoto, Natchitoches, Red River, Sabine, and Winn Parish

Contact Person: Contact Staff for various programs:
Terry Harpmann—Manager and Administrative Office
Kristi Martin, PPS/J-Field Services Unit
Melissa Cross, PPO3/J-Placement Unit

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Monday through Friday

Resource: Legal Services

Legal Services of North Louisiana (aka Kisatchie Legal Services Corp.)
134 St. Denis Street
P. O. Drawer 1189
Natchitoches, La. 71458-1189

Phone: (318) 352-7220 (Toll free 1-800-960-9109)
Fax: (318) 352-7015

Website: www.cp-tel.net/klsc

Legal services (attorneys); Government funded Non-Profit Law Firm

Kinds of cases KLSC handles:

- Automobile and home repairs
- Loan company and credit problems
- Housing - public and private
- Nursing home care
- Food stamps, welfare, SSI, Social Security, unemployment benefits, Veterans Affairs
- Medicaid, medical and hospital treatment
- Utilities
- Bankruptcies
- Divorces, child support, adoptions
- Consumer problems
- Real Property.

No criminal cases.

Eligibility: must meet income eligibility

To apply: Call between 9:00 a.m. and 12 Noon, M-F. for application

Territory served: Natchitoches, Grant, Red River, DeSoto, Sabine, Winn, Catahoula, Concordia, and LaSalle Parishes.

Contact person: Lewis Gladney, Managing Attorney

Hours: 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., M-F.

Visit website for more information and on-line application for legal assistance.

RESOURCE: Nursing Homes

Many Healthcare North

120 Natchitoches Hwy.

Many LA 71449

Phone: (318) 256-9233

188 bed facility

Contact: Judy Manasco, Administrator

Sabine Retirement & Rehabilitation Center, Inc.

965 Fisher Rd.

Many LA 71449

Phone: (318) 590-0200

116 bed facility

Contact: Regina Kezerle, MSW

Toledo Nursing Center

1009 Obrie St.

Zwolle LA 71486

318.645.2800

80 bed facility

Contact: Sue Pilkington, R.N., Administrator

Resource: Public Library

SABINE PARISH LIBRARY
705 Main Street
Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4150
Fax: (318) 256-4154

Public Library

Type of Services: Information
Education
Cultural

Services: Recreational Reading
Internet Access
Reference Information (how-to, homework assistance, etc.)
Story time Programs (Preschool, Head Start Centers, Daycares)
Special Programs and tours by appointment
24 hour wireless access

Eligibility: Live in parish, work/school in parish, own property in parish.

To apply: Apply for library card at library.

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Rebecca Morris

Hours: 8:00 - 6:00 Monday and Tuesday
8:00 - 5:00 Wednesday - Friday
8:00 - 12:00 Saturday

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Resource: Public Library

Branch Libraries: (see preceding page for services)

Toledo Branch

12350 Texas Highway

Many, La. 41779

Hours: M-Th, 12-5 p.m.

Betty Fields, Branch Manager

Converse Branch

(Converse High School)

400 Wildcat Road

Converse, LA. 71419

Hours: Mon. and Thurs. 12-5 p.m

Jerrie Walker, Branch Manager

Zwolle Branch

2218 Port Arthur Street

Zwolle, La. 71486

Hours: M-W, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Th, F, 12-5 p.m.

Erma Jean Martinez, Branch Manager

Florien Branch

514 W. Port Arthur Avenue

Florien, La. 71429

Hours: Mon. and Thurs. 12-5 p.m.

Joni McNeely, Branch Manager

Pleasant Hill Branch

8434 Bridges Street

Pleasant Hill, La. 71065

Hours: Mon. and Thurs. 12-5 p.m

Renee Layton, Branch Manager

Resource: Social Services

American Red Cross
Northwest Louisiana Chapter
4221 Linwood Avenue
Shreveport, LA 71108

Phone: (318) 865-9545
Fax: (318) 868-4111
Email: redcross@louisianaredcross.org

Social Service Agency

Type of Services: Disaster relief
Health and Safety Education
Youth Services

Services: Disaster Relief
CPR and First Aid Training
Baby-sitting training
Sports safety training
HIV/Aids education
Health fairs
Lifeguarding and WSI training
Youth and Volunteer programs
Service to military families
Safety tips
Disaster planning

Eligibility: Anyone is eligible

To apply: Call: (318) 865-9545

Territory served: 10 parishes in northwest Louisiana:
Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Claiborne, DeSoto,
Lincoln, Natchitoches, Red River, Sabine, and Webster
Parishes and Barksdale AFB

Contact Person: Mr. E. Reid Brau, Executive Director

Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (in office) Monday - Friday
24-hour worker for after hours calls

Website: www.louisianaredcross.org

Resource: Social Services

SABINE PARISH OFFICE OF COMMUNITY SERVICES (OCS)

P. O. Box 1507

Many, Louisiana 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4104 (24 hours)

Fax: (318) 256-4158

Social Services

Services: In-Home Family Services
Foster Care
Child Protection

Eligibility: Validated cases of Child Neglect/Abuse

Territory served: Sabine Parish

Contact person: Nancy Wright, Parish Supervisor

Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Monday - Friday

Resource: Social Services

Vernon Parish Office of Community Services (OCS)
302 Vernon Street
P. O. Box 640
New Llano, Louisiana 71461

Phone: (337) 238-7030 Day
After Hours - 238-3098 (Hotline)

Fax: (337) 238-6494

Social Services

Type of services: CYFS

Services: Child Protection Investigations
Family Services
Foster Care

Territory served: Vernon Parish

Contact person: Larry M. Rooker, District Supervisor

Hours: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm- Monday - Friday

Resource: Social Services

YWCA of Northwest Louisiana Family Violence Program / Outreach
710 Travis Street
Shreveport, La. 71101

Phone: 1-800-338-6536
(318) 222-2117 (Shreveport Office)

Social Services

Type of Services: Counseling
Domestic Violence
Legal Advocacy
Shelter

Services: Case Management
Support Groups
Community Referrals
Educational Seminars (Community)
Protective Order Assistance
Shelter Referral

Eligibility: Must be a victim of family violence (women and children)

To apply: Contact YWCA Office

Territory served: Caddo, Bossier, Natchitoches, Webster, Red River, DeSoto,
and Sabine Parishes

Contact person: Kim Forcinel, Outreach Counselor
Angela Murray

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 pm. Monday - Friday

Resource: State Agency

SABINE RIVER AUTHORITY
15091 Texas Highway
Many, LA 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4112
Fax: (318) 256-4179

Email: srala@toledo-bend.com

Website: www.toledo-bend.com

State Agency

Type of Services: Upkeep power generator of Toledo Bend Reservoir/own and operate park sites, etc.

Services: Operate and maintain Toledo Bend reservoir,
Operate and maintain park sites on Toledo Bend,
Issue permits to individuals including:

- water withdrawals (residential and commercial),
- piers,
- decks,
- sewer, etc.,

Promote recreation and tourism on Toledo Bend and area,
Operate and maintain SRD canal in Calcasieu Parish.

Eligibility: As SRA is a state agency, we come under the guidelines and rules of the Department of Civil Service and all applicants would have to qualify for jobs through them with the exception of our wage employees such as Park Attendants.

How to apply: Complete an SF10, State Civil Service Application

Territory served: DeSoto, Sabine, Vernon, Beauregard, Calcasieu, and Cameron Parishes

Contact Person: Phyllis G. George

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday

Resource: Veterans Affairs

Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs
Sabine Parish Courthouse
400 Capitol St.
Many, LA. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-4131
(800) 827-1000 (for information concerning V.A benefits)

Fax: (318) 256-4169

Email: dvasabi@bellsouth.net

Assists veterans and their families with obtaining benefits in order to maintain a healthy lifestyle including:

- Service connected VA compensation
- Non-service connected VA pension
- Widows pension
- Dependents Indemnity and Compensation
- Education
- VA home loan guarantee certificates
- Healthcare
- Life Insurance
- Burial Benefits
- Copies of records
- Veterans employment preference for state and federal jobs
- War veterans homes
- Counseling
- Training
- Special needs
- Available to speak at any meeting, events or gatherings

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Mon., Wed., Fri.
(DeSoto Parish Courthouse in Mansfield, LA—Tuesdays & Thursdays)

Contact: Pamela Russell, Veterans Assistant Counselor

RESOURCE: Veterans Affairs/VFW

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)
Ray Miller Memorial Post 4858 (Many VFW)
1738 San Antonio Ave.
Many, La. 71449

Mailing Address:
Many VFW
Ray Miller Post 4858
P. O. Box 501
Many, LA 71449-0501

Phone: (318) 586-3521

Service: A non-profit organization and Auxiliary. Eligibility for membership is a Veteran who served in a Foreign War. Auxiliary is wives, mothers, sisters, etc. of a Veteran. Meetings are held the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 pm.

Contact: Margaret Nixon, Auxiliary President

Website: www.vfw.org

RESOURCE: Veterans Affairs/VFW

**Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)
Zwolle-Ebarb Memorial Post 5187**

VFW 15104 Highway 171
Zwolle, La 71486-2526
Phone: (318) 645-9716

Service: A non-profit fraternal organization and auxiliary. Eligibility for membership is a Veteran who served in a Foreign War. Auxiliary membership is comprised of wives, mothers, sisters, daughters, granddaughters, etc. of a Veteran.

Meetings: First Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.
Auxiliary meetings are held the first Sunday of each month at 2:00 pm.

Contact: Mr. Arry Lee Swindoll, President
Ms. Pat Gitschel, Auxiliary President

Website: www.vfw.org

Resource: Vocational Rehabilitation

LOUISIANA REHABILITATION SERVICES
Shreveport Region VII
1525 Fairfield, Suite 708
Shreveport, LA. 71101-4303

Phone: (318) 676-7155
1-800-737-2966
Fax: (318) 676-7176
Email: lrsshr@dss.state.la.us

Vocational Rehabilitation is a program of DSS that provides services to persons with disabilities to get a job/keep a job.

Type of services: Provide vocational services that will result in employment outcomes for disabled individuals.

Services: To achieve employment goals, Vocational Rehabilitation can provide a wide range of services to include, but not limited to:

- Vocational evaluation of interests, skills, abilities;
- Vocational Guidance
- Career Counseling
- Physical or mental restoration
- Job placement assistance
- Vocational training
- Supervision and follow-up.

Eligibility: An individual must:

1. Have a mental, physical, learning, or emotional disability
2. Have problems getting or keeping a job because of a disability, and
3. Need VR services

To apply: Call or write:
Louisiana Rehabilitation Services
105 Jefferson Street
Natchitoches, Louisiana 71457
Telephone: 1-800-520-0580

Territory served: Sabine, Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Claiborne, DeSoto, Lincoln, Natchitoches, Red River, Webster

Contact Person: Shea Boyt

Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Website: www.dss.state.la.us (Click "Vocation Rehabilitation" under "Our Services" Menu)

RESOURCE: Miscellaneous

Louisiana Toledo Bend Lake Association
P.O. Box 1031
Many, La. 71449

Email: justlikehome@valornet.com

Services: The Louisiana Toledo Bend Lake Association is simply a group of citizens deeply interested in the Toledo Bend Lake community. At present our membership total 150 persons with varying backgrounds and occupations. We are not a political organization, nor do we have an affiliation with any state or federal agency. We are a nonprofit organization.

In recent time the Toledo Bend Lake Association has been fervently involved in the following projects:

- Florida Bass Restocking Programs
- Roadside Cleanup efforts
- Bass Tournament Promotions
- Parish Wide Recycling Program

Contact: Jerry Lehman

Website: www.toledo-bend.com/tbla

State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development
3605 Natchitoches Hwy
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 561-5160
Email: customerservice@dotd.la.gov

Services: For issues concerning state bridges and highways in Sabine Parish

Contact: (318) 561-5160 Robbie Mays

RESOURCE: Miscellaneous

National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NARFE)

c/o
Fisherman's Gallery Restaurant
14934 Texas Hwy.
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 256-3649

Service: Focus of organization is to lobby to keep Retired Federal Employee benefits. Meetings are held the 1st Thursday of every month at 10:00 am.

Contact: Walter Mains

Rotary Club

1740 San Antonio Ave.
Many, La. 71449

Phone: (318) 645-2033

Service: Meetings are held every Thursday at 12:00 noon

Sabine Parish Players

Phone: (318) 256-3777

Service: Live theater producers in Sabine Parish. Present live productions featuring local citizens-Productions are presented year round at the Sabine Parish Theater in Many. Acting classes and workshops also available.

Contact: Mary Bozeman

RESOURCE: Miscellaneous

Boy/Girl Scouts

- *Boy Club Scouts*
Phone: (318) 645-6151
Contact: Gary Jackson, Scoutmaster
 - *Girl Scouts Gulf to The Pines Council*
Sabine Parish Service Unit
Phone: (318) 256-5911
Email: lindavoudreaux@bellsouth.net
Contact: Linda Boudreaux
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- **Cypress Bend Ladies Golf Association**

Phone: (318) 645-7264
Contact: Linda Austin

- **Cypress Bend Men's Golf Association**

Phone: (318) 256-9788
Contact: Harold Tilley

South Toledo Bend Civic Association

Lakeside Baptist Church
4024 Lakeside Loop
Florien, La. 71429

Phone: (318) 565-3400
Contact: Bob Marshall
Meetings: First Monday of every other month at 6:00 pm

Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR)

Phone: (318) 590-1427
Email: sabinedar@hotmail.com
Eligibility: Must qualify for membership.
Contact: Katy Lombardino

RESOURCE: Miscellaneous

Gideons International

Phone: (318) 256-9282

Service: Free distribution of bible books to those who willing to accept them

Contact: Bob Allardyce

Masters Gardener's Club

Phone: (318) 256-0147

Service: The Master Gardener's Club is associated with LA State Extension Service, LSU AG-Center, they do volunteer and educational activities.

Contact: Gracie Furlow

IMPORTANT AND EMERGENCY NUMBERS

AIRPORT

PHONE:

City of Many, Hart Airport..... (318) 256-5857

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Sabine Parish Chamber of Commerce..... (318) 256-3523

CHILD CARE CENTERS

Enchanted Years Early Learning Center Inc.-Florien.. (318) 586-7900

Happy Days-Many..... (318) 256-0407

Smart Start Learning Academy- Many..... (318) 256-5885

Rosemary Day Care- Many..... (318) 256-5885

Jackie's Day Care (Class A)..... (318) 590-9111

CHURCHES

BAPTIST

Antioch Baptist Church of Florien..... (318) 586-7825

Bethel Baptist Church..... (318) 256-2084

Bethsadia Baptist Church..... (318) 256-0200

Bright Star Missionary Baptist Church..... (318) 586-7257

Calvary Baptist Church..... (318) 256-2871

First Baptist Church of Pleasant Hill..... (318) 796-3360

First Baptist Church of Zwolle..... (318) 645-4492

First Baptist Church of Florien..... (318) 586-3328

First Baptist Church of Many..... (318) 256-5655

Fort Jesup First Baptist Church..... (318) 256-3618

Lakeside Baptist Church..... (318) 586-4452

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church..... (318) 645-4251

Mt. Zion Baptist Church..... (318) 256-6655

New Home Baptist Church..... (318) 256-9834

New Jerusalem Baptist Church..... (318) 256-3473

Oak Hill Baptist Church..... (318) 256-5514

Pine Grove Baptist Church..... (318) 586-7491

St. Peter Baptist Church..... (318) 256-0179

Trinity Baptist Church..... (318) 256-3770

Union Baptist Church..... (318) 256-5674

Warren Baptist Church..... (318) 256-5597

Zion Hill Baptist Church..... (318) 256-2270

CATHOLIC

St. Ann Catholic Church..... (318) 645-9419

St. Catherine's Catholic Church..... (318) 645-2711

St. Joseph's Catholic Church..... (318) 645-6155

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church..... (318) 256-5689

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Many Church of Christ..... (318) 256-5257

Church of Christ, Zwolle..... (318) 645-6990

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

PHONE :

Cenchera Nazarene Church..... (318) 586-7976
Friendship Nazarene Church..... (318) 256-3842
Many Church of the Nazarene..... (318) 256-2291

HOLINESS

Wayside Temple Church of God in Christ..... (318) 256-9123

INTERDENOMINATIONAL

Word of Truth Family Church..... (318) 256-2733

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses..... (318) 256-2293

LATTER DAY SAINTS

Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints..... (318) 256-2381

METHODIST

Bethel Congregational Methodist Church..... (318) 796-3404
First United Methodist Church of Many..... (318) 256-3632
First United Methodist Church of Zwolle..... (318) 645-6337
Haskins Chapel United Methodist Church..... (318) 645-6785
King's Chapel AME Church..... (318) 256-9644
Prospect United Methodist Church..... (318) 586-3549

PENTECOSTAL

First United Pentecostal Church of Pleasant Hill.. (318) 796-3702
Peason United Pentecostal Church..... (318) 586-4377
United Pentecostal Church of Many..... (318) 256-5907
United Pentecostal Church of Noble..... (318) 645-9786
United Pentecostal Church of Zwolle..... (318) 645-6592

PRESBYTERIAN

Progress Church..... (318) 796-3725

UTILITIES

PHONE :

Central Louisiana Electric Co. (CLECO)..... 1-800-622-6537
Trans La..... 1-800-252-3323
Valley Electric..... 1-800-733-8430
Sabine Parish 911 Office..... (318) 256-0009

GOVERNMENT OFFICES (PARISH)

(See also, Officials Elected by Sabine Parish Residents, pg. 68)

Assessor's Office..... (318) 256-3482
Chamber of Commerce..... (318) 256-3523
Clerk of Court..... (318) 256-6223
Cooperative Extension Service..... (318) 256-3406
District Attorney Office..... (318) 256-6246
Health Unit..... (318) 256-4105

Library..... (318) 256-4150
 Police Jury..... (318) 256-5637
 Parish Manager..... (318) 256-6231
 Registrar of Voters..... (318) 256-3697
 School Board Office-*Many*..... (318) 256-9228
 School Board Office-*Avoyelles Parish*..... (318) 253-5982
 School Board Office-*Natchitoches Parish*..... (318) 352-2358
 School Board Office-*Rapides Parish*..... (318) 487-0880
 Sheriff's Office..... (318) 256-9241

SCHOOLS

Converse High School..... (318) 567-2673
 Ebarb High School..... (318) 645-9402
 Florien Elementary School..... (318) 586-7308
 Florien High School..... (318) 586-3681
 Many Elementary School..... (318) 256-3450
 Many Junior High School..... (318) 256-3573
 Many High School..... (318) 256-2114
 Negreet High School..... (318) 256-2349
 Pleasant Hill High School..... (318) 796-3670
 Zwolle Elementary School..... (318) 645-6294
 Zwolle Intermediate School..... (318) 645-6369
 Zwolle High School..... (318) 645-6104

POSTAL ZIP CODES

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