Mayor Caillouet would like to inform citizens of the City of Thibodaux Drainage Project on the north side of Menard Street beginning at St. Joseph Street and extending to an area right past Menard Place, then crossing Menard Street and extending down the east side of Blake Court. This project, which involves replacing storm drainage lines, is scheduled to begin on May 30, 2008, and is set for completion on September 26, 2008. For the Menard Street portion of this project every effort has been made to coordinate the timing of this project with the closing of school in May and the reopening of school in August. With the weather's cooperation, we will do everything possible to accomplish this portion of the project by August 8. This project is engineered by T. Baker Smith, Inc., and will be constructed by Byron E. Talbot Contractor, Inc.

During this time of construction, there will be portions of Menard Street that must be closed. Alternative routes have been authorized to minimize any inconvenience. The City apologizes for any disruption this project may cause residents or businesses in this area, however the end result of completing this project will help to alleviate future drainage issues that have occurred in the past at these locations.

Should there be any problems or questions, please contact the City of Thibodaux Public Works Department at 985-446-7223. Thank you for your patience.