

2024 HURRICANE EVACUATION GUIDE



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Hurricane Evacuation Tips

When hurricanes are approaching, don't take chances. Know before you go and stay informed.

- Know where you'll go, whether it's a family member's house, hotel or shelter.
- Know your primary evacuation route and have a secondary route planned as a backup. [See evacuation map on reverse side.]
- To avoid congestion on Hwy 49, consider taking an alternate evacuation route.
- Make arrangements for your pets. [Pets are NOT allowed in most shelters.]
- Seek information from local officials regarding road closures and additional emergency information.
- Fill up your gas tank and have cash on hand.
- Download the MDOT Traffic App to get real time, location-based notifications about road conditions, weather and more.
- Take your time and be patient!

Hurricane Evacuation Routes

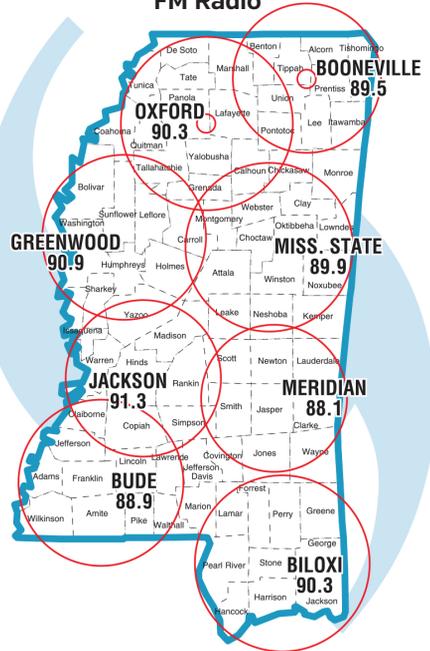
See the reverse side for a map of official hurricane evacuation routes highlighted in blue and green. Use it to plan your path to safety.

Scan the code below to download the MDOT Traffic App and see real-time road conditions.



Radio Coverage Areas

Mississippi Public Broadcasting FM Radio



Tune in for emergency information and updated road conditions.

Contact Information

MDOT

1-866-521-MDOT [1-866-521-6368]
www.GoMDOT.com

MS Highway Patrol

601-987-1212 [*HP from any cell]
www.dps.ms.gov

MEMA

1-800-222-MEMA [1-800-222-6362]
www.msema.org

Lodging [Mississippi Tourism]

1-866-SEE-MISS
[1-866-733-6477]
www.visitmississippi.org

Campsites

[MS Wildlife, Fisheries & Parks]
1-800-GO-PARKS
[Park Reservations 1-800-467-2757]
www.mdwfp.com

Animal Shelters

[MS Board of Animal Health]
1-888-646-8731
www.mbah.state.ms.us

MS Animal Disaster Hotline

1-888-722-3106

MS Department of Health

1-866-458-4948
www.HealthyMS.com

MS Insurance Department

601-359-3569
www.mid.ms.gov

MS Division of Medicaid

1-800-421-2408
www.medicaid.ms.gov

United Way

601-948-4725
www.myunitedway.com

Louisiana DOTD

877-4LA-DOTD [1-877-452-3683]
www.emergency.louisiana.gov

Louisiana State Police

1-800-469-4828
www.lsp.org

Alabama DOT

334-353-6554
www.dot.state.al.us

Alabama Highway Patrol

334-242-4393
www.ALEA.gov/DPS/highway-patrol

Arkansas HTD

501-569-2374
www.arkansashighways.com

Arkansas State Police

501-618-8000
www.asp.arkansas.gov

Tennessee DOT

877-244-0065
smartway.tn.gov

Tennessee Highway Patrol

615-741-3181
*847 [within Tennessee]
www.tn.gov/safety

Georgia DOT

877-694-2511
511ga.org

Georgia State Patrol

800-436-7442
dps.georgia.gov

Florida DOT

850-414-4100
www.fdot.gov

Florida Highway Patrol

1-800-459-6861
www.FL511.com

American Red Cross

1-866-GET-INFO [1-866-438-4636]
www.redcross.org/mississippi
Note: phone number is only active during crisis situations

FEMA

1-800-621-FEMA [1-800-621-3362]
www.fema.gov
and www.disasterassistance.gov

FEMA Shelter Information

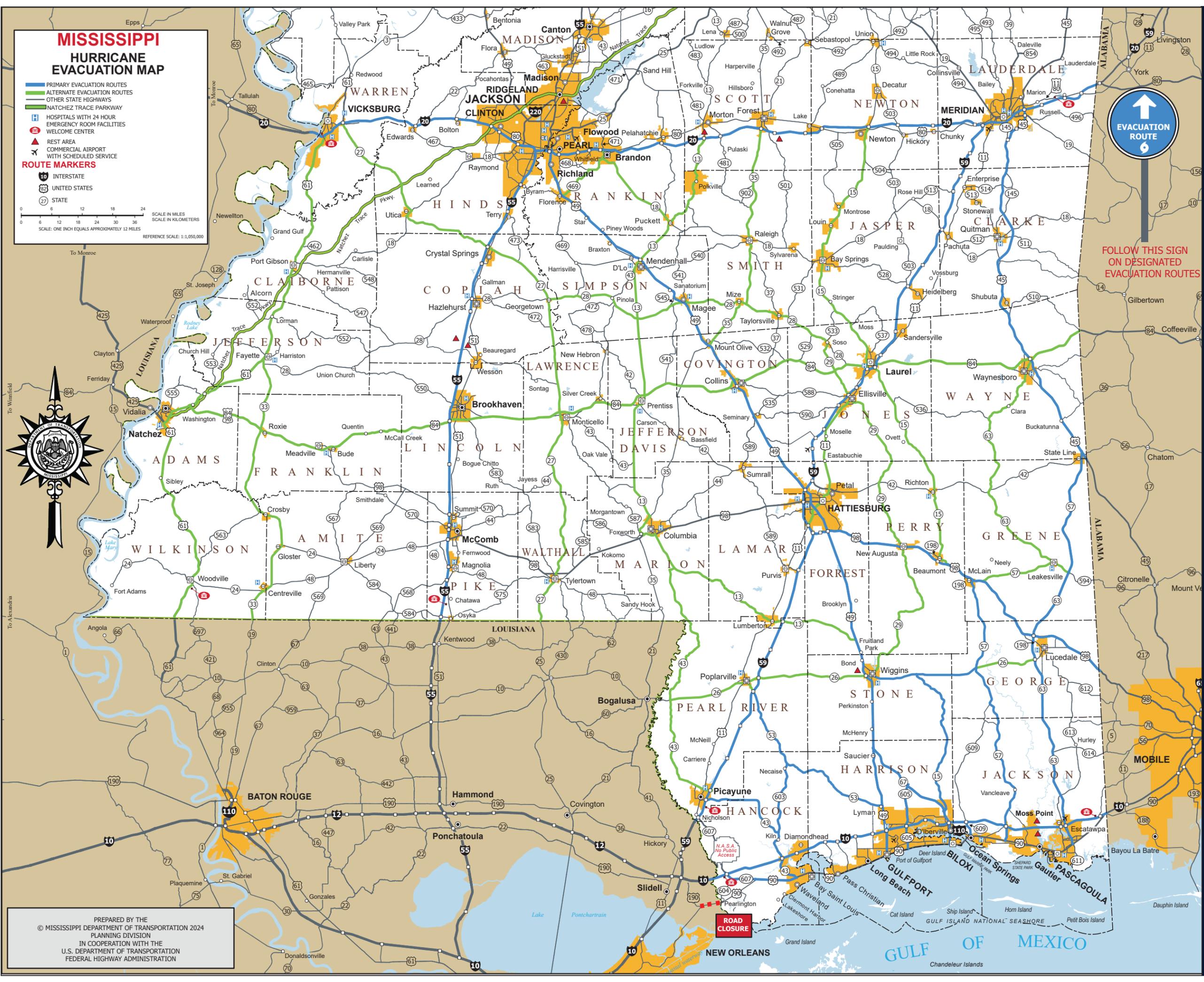
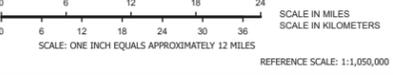
Text "shelter" and your ZIP code to 43362 for a list of shelters within 200 miles of your location.

MISSISSIPPI HURRICANE EVACUATION MAP

- PRIMARY EVACUATION ROUTES
- ALTERNATE EVACUATION ROUTES
- OTHER STATE HIGHWAYS
- NATCHEZ TRACE PARKWAY
- H HOSPITALS WITH 24 HOUR EMERGENCY ROOM FACILITIES
- W WELCOME CENTER
- ▲ REST AREA
- ✈ COMMERCIAL AIRPORT WITH SCHEDULED SERVICE

ROUTE MARKERS

- 10 INTERSTATE
- 27 UNITED STATES
- 27 STATE



FOLLOW THIS SIGN ON DESIGNATED EVACUATION ROUTES



MDOT has free resources to assist you in the event of an evacuation. Access what you need to know about road conditions, weather and more – even locate welcome centers and rest areas.



Sign up for email or text alerts about traffic and road conditions and customize alerts for your evacuation route.



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