



City of Slidell

Press Release

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A Message to Contractors and Vendors Operating in the City of Slidell

Mayor Ben O. Morris and Police Chief Freddie Drennan have issued this warning to contractors and vendors now operating in the City of Slidell: the city will not, under any circumstances, allow anyone to take advantage of the misfortune of our citizens in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. The City of Slidell has a zero tolerance for price gouging. Anyone caught doing so will be immediately arrested and will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

All vendors and contractors are required to obtain necessary permits from the City of Slidell. Contractors should contact the Permits Department at (985) 645-3651. Emergency supply vendors should contact the City of Slidell's Purchasing Department at (985) 646 4252. Peddling is strictly prohibited under City Ordinance.

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