

**HURRICANE IDA TAX PAYER EXTENSION  
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH SALES & USE TAX DEPARTMENT**

Due to the devastation caused by Hurricane Ida and the ongoing state of emergency, St. John the Baptist Parish School Board is granting automatic extensions to certain taxpayers in impacted areas. Taxpayers eligible for automatic sales tax extensions include businesses who have had to close and are no longer able to operate or conduct business in the state and whose home or principal places of business where critical tax records are kept is one of the following parishes: Ascension, Lafourche, St. Helena, Terrebonne, Assumption, Livingston, St. James, Washington, East Baton Rouge, Orleans, St. John the Baptist, West Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Plaquemines, St. Martin, West Feliciana, Iberia, Pointe Coupee, St. Mary, Iberville, St. Bernard, St. Tammany, Jefferson, St. Charles, and Tangipahoa. For businesses that remained operating for all or part of the recovery time in the state of Louisiana but you are having difficulty complying with the deadlines, you may be eligible for an extension and/or interest and penalty relief. A request for an extension or abatement of interest and penalties must be submitted in writing by email to [info@lalocaltax.com](mailto:info@lalocaltax.com) or by USPS to Sales Tax Office, PO Box 2066, LaPlace, LA 70069.

Extensions or abatements will be granted at the discretion of the Collector based upon the individual circumstances of the taxpayer. Waiver and/or extensions do not apply for any tax that was due before August 26, 2021.