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## **Introduction**

This guide has been developed to provide guidance on how to start a business in Louisiana, and, more specifically, in the Southeast Region including the parishes of Orleans, Jefferson, St. Bernard, Plaquemines, St. Tammany, St. Charles, St. John the Baptist and St. James. The guide provides numerous business, government and technical resources that you should find come in handy when going through the process involved in getting started. It includes such resources such as zoning, permitting, financing, taxation and many others that will be at your fingertips.

Each section contains the resources needed in the Southeast region of Louisiana, as well as state and federal sources. We've also included a little bit of 'lagniappe' (in Louisiana this means a bit extra) such as links to web sites that can provide additional information.

Please use the Table of Contents to lead you in the direction you need to go. If you should have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the LED Regional Representative in your area.

We look forward to doing business with you.

## *Economic Development Contacts*

### **Orleans Parish**

#### **Greater New Orleans, Inc.**

365 Canal Street, Suite 2300  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
(504) 527-6900 Phone (504) 523-6970 Fax  
Web site: [www.gnoinc.org](http://www.gnoinc.org)

#### **Downtown Development District Economic Development Department**

201 St. Charles Avenue, Suite 3912  
New Orleans, LA 70170  
(504) 561-8927 Phone (504) 581-1765 Fax  
Web site: [www.neworleansdowntown.com](http://www.neworleansdowntown.com)  
Email: [economicdevelopment@neworleansdowntown.com](mailto:economicdevelopment@neworleansdowntown.com)

#### **City of New Orleans**

##### **Mayor's Office of Economic Development**

1515 Poydras Street, 12th Floor  
New Orleans, LA 70112  
(504) 658-0900 Phone (504) 565-8130 Fax  
Web site: [www.cityofno.com](http://www.cityofno.com)

#### **Port of New Orleans**

##### **Planning & Development**

P. O. Box 60046  
New Orleans, LA 70160  
(504) 528-3304 Phone (504) 524-4156 Fax  
(504) 528-3264 Phone (504) 528-3357 (FTZ Mgr.)  
Web site: [www.portno.com](http://www.portno.com)

The New Orleans area has one general purpose FTZ consisting of 38 sites and 5 subzones.

#### **New Orleans Chamber of Commerce**

1515 Poydras Street, Suite 1010  
New Orleans, LA 70112  
(504) 522-7226 Phone (504) 522-1355 Fax  
Web site: [www.wtc-no.org](http://www.wtc-no.org)

#### **New Orleans World Trade Center**

2 Canal Street, Suite 2900  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
(504) 529-1601 Phone (504) 529-1691 Fax  
Web site: [www.wtc-no.org](http://www.wtc-no.org)  
Email: [WTC-info@wtc-no.org](mailto:WTC-info@wtc-no.org)

#### **New Orleans Regional and Business Park**

13801 Old Gentilly Road  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70129  
(504) 242-1300 Phone (504) 254-3666 Fax  
Web site: [www.nobid.org](http://www.nobid.org)  
Email: [director@nobid.org](mailto:director@nobid.org)

**Entergy New Orleans  
Economic Development Department**  
P.O. Box 61000  
L-MAG-42  
New Orleans, LA 70161-1000  
(504) 670-3633 Phone (504) 670-3605 Fax  
Web site: [www.entergy.new-orleans.com](http://www.entergy.new-orleans.com)

**Regional Loan Corporation**  
650 Poydras Street, Suite 1220  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
(504) 524-6172 Phone (504) 524-0002 Fax  
E-mail: [rlcbidco@bellsouth.net](mailto:rlcbidco@bellsouth.net)

**Old Algiers Main Street**  
427 Opelousas Avenue  
New Orleans, LA 70114  
(504) 362-8813 Phone

## **Jefferson Parish**

**Jefferson Parish Economic Development Commission  
Economic Development and Planning**  
3445 N. Causeway Blvd., Suite 300  
Metairie, LA 70002  
(504) 833-1881 Phone (504) 833-7676 Fax  
Web site: [www.jedco.org](http://www.jedco.org)

**Jefferson Parish Economic Development and Port Commission**  
3445 North Causeway Boulevard, Suite 300  
Metairie, LA 70002  
(504) 833-1881 ext. 344 Phone (504) 833-7676 Fax  
Web site: [www.jedco.org](http://www.jedco.org)

**City of Kenner  
Kenner Community Development**  
2100 Third Street, Suite 8  
Kenner, LA 70062  
(504) 468-7588 Phone (504) 468-9354 Fax  
Web site: [www.kenner.la.us](http://www.kenner.la.us)

**Entergy Louisiana  
Economic Development Department**  
4809 Jefferson Highway  
Jefferson, LA 70121  
(504) 840-2562 Phone (504) 840-2512 Fax  
Web site: [www.entergy-louisiana.com](http://www.entergy-louisiana.com)  
Email: [laed@entergy.com](mailto:laed@entergy.com)

**Jefferson Parish Community Development**  
1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Suite 605  
Jefferson, LA 70123  
(504) 736-6259 Phone (504) 736-6425 Fax  
Web site: [www.jeffparish.net](http://www.jeffparish.net)

**Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport**

900 Airline Highway  
Kenner, LA 70062  
(504) 464-0831 Phone (504) 465-1264 Fax  
Web site: [www.flymsy.com](http://www.flymsy.com)  
Email: [mail@flymsy.com](mailto:mail@flymsy.com)

**St. Bernard Parish****St. Bernard Parish Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 1383  
Chalmette, LA 70044  
(504) 271-3047  
Web site: [www.stbernardchamber.org](http://www.stbernardchamber.org)

**St. Bernard Parish Economic Development Commission**

8201 W. Judge Perez Drive  
Chalmette, LA 70043  
(504) 278-4326 Phone (504) 278-4324 Fax  
Web site: [www.st-bernard.la.us](http://www.st-bernard.la.us)  
Email: [edc@st-bernard.la.us](mailto:edc@st-bernard.la.us)

**St. Bernard Port, Harbor & Terminal District**

P. O. Box 1331, 200 Marlin Drive  
Chalmette, LA 70044-1331  
(504) 277-8418 Phone (504) 277-8471 Fax  
Web site: [www.stbernardport.state.la.us](http://www.stbernardport.state.la.us)

**St. Charles Parish****St. Charles Parish Government  
Dept. of Economic Development & Tourism**

P. O. Box 302  
Hahnville, LA 70057  
(985) 783-5140 Phone (985) 783-6447 Fax  
Web site: [www.stcharlesgov.net](http://www.stcharlesgov.net)  
Email: [econdev@stcharlesgov.net](mailto:econdev@stcharlesgov.net)

**St. John the Baptist Parish****St. John Parish Government  
Economic Development Dept.**

1801 W. Airline Highway, Room 102  
LaPlace, LA 70068  
(985) 652-9569 Phone (985) 652-4131 Fax  
Web site: [www.sjbparish.com](http://www.sjbparish.com)

**The River Region Chamber of Commerce**

425 W. Airline Highway, Suite D  
LaPlace, LA 70068  
(985) 359-9777 Phone (985) 359-9778 Fax  
Web site: [www.riverregionchamber.com](http://www.riverregionchamber.com)

**Port of South Louisiana**

P.O. Box 909, 171 Belle Terre Blvd.  
LaPlace, LA 70069-0909  
(985) 652-9278 Phone (985) 652-9518 Fax  
Web site: [www.portsl.com](http://www.portsl.com)  
Email: [info@portsl.com](mailto:info@portsl.com)

**St. James Parish****St. James Parish Government  
Economic Development Dept.**

P. O. Box 106  
Convent, LA 70723  
(225) 869-1717 Phone (225) 869-1711 Fax  
Web site: [www.st.jamesla.com](http://www.st.jamesla.com)  
Email: [sjed@stargazer.net](mailto:sjed@stargazer.net)

**St. Tammany Parish****St. Tammany Parish Economic Development Foundation**

1000 Caruso Blvd., Suite 199  
Slidell, LA 70461  
(888) 868-3830 or (985) 643-3830 Phone  
(985) 649-3780 Fax  
Web site: [www.stedf.org](http://www.stedf.org)  
E-mail: [info@stedf.org](mailto:info@stedf.org)

**CLECO Power LLC****Economic and Business Development**

2030 Donahue Ferry Road, P.O. Box 5000  
Pineville, LA 71361-5000  
(866) 488-9545 Phone (318) 484-7106 Fax  
E-mail: [economicdevelopment@cleco.com](mailto:economicdevelopment@cleco.com)

**Slidell Area Chamber of Commerce**

118 West Hall Avenue  
Slidell, LA 70460  
(985) 643-5678 or (800) 471-3758 Phone  
(985) 649-2460 Fax  
Web site: [www.slidellchamber.com](http://www.slidellchamber.com)  
Email [info@slidellchamber.com](mailto:info@slidellchamber.com)

**St. Tammany West Chamber of Commerce**

201 Holiday Blvd., Suite 108  
Covington, LA 70433  
(985) 892-3216 Phone (985) 893-4244 Fax

Web site: [www.st.tammany-chamber.org](http://www.st.tammany-chamber.org)  
Plaquemines Parish  
Plaquemines Port Harbor and Terminal District  
124 Edna LaFrance Road  
Braithwaite, LA 70040  
(504) 682-0081, ext. 2610 Phone (504) 682-0649 Fax

## **Plaquemines Parish**

### **Plaquemines Parish Economic Development District**

P.O. Box 937, 104 New Orleans Street  
Belle Chasse, LA 70037  
(504) 394-0018 Phone (504) 394-0052 Fax

### **Plaquemines Association of Business and Industry**

P.O. Box 908  
Belle Chasse, LA 70037  
(504) 393-2999 Phone (504) 393-2725 Fax  
Web site: [www.pabigroup.com](http://www.pabigroup.com)

### **Kansas City Southern Railroad Industrial Development & Real Estate**

427 West 12th Street  
Kansas City, MO 64105  
(816) 983-1224 Phone or (816) 983-1303 (General)  
Web site: [www.kcsi.com](http://www.kcsi.com)

### **Union Pacific Railroad Industrial Development**

24125 Aldine Westfield Road  
Spring, TX 77373  
(281) 350-7496 or (800) 346-1973 (#1) Phone  
(281) 350-7151 Fax  
Web site: [www.uprr.com](http://www.uprr.com)

### **CSX Transportation Industrial Development**

500 Beacon Pkwy. West  
Birmingham, AL 35208  
(205) 943-4771 Phone (205) 943-4735 Fax  
Customer Service (877) CSX-RAIL (1-877-279-7245)

### **Norfolk Southern Railroad Industrial Development**

600 West Peachtree Street, NW, Suite 1700  
Atlanta, GA 30308  
(404) 529-1591 Phone or (404) 529-1000 (General)  
Web site: [www.nscorp.com](http://www.nscorp.com)

**Burlington Northern and Santa Fe  
Economic Development**

P.O. Box 961051  
2650 Lou Menk Drive, 2nd Floor, Marketing Bldg.  
Fort Worth, TX 76131-2830  
(817) 867-6826 Phone (817) 352-7533 Fax  
Web site: [www.bnsf.com](http://www.bnsf.com)

**New Orleans Public Belt Railroad  
Business Development**

4822 Tchoupitoulas Street  
New Orleans, LA 70115  
(504) 896-7415 Phone or (800) 524-3421 (General)  
(504) 896-7452 Fax  
Web site: [www.nopb.com](http://www.nopb.com)  
E-mail: [info@nopb.com](mailto:info@nopb.com)

**Canadian National Railroad  
Business Development**

P.O. Box 2600  
Jackson, MS 39207  
(601) 592-1913 Phone or (888) 668-4626 (General)  
(601) 592-1914 Fax  
Web site: [www.cn.ca](http://www.cn.ca)

**Atmos Energy Louisiana  
New Orleans Office**

2000 Arnoult Road  
Metairie, LA 70001  
(504) 780-7028 Phone

## **Local Government Offices**

This section includes the parish property tax and sales/use tax departments, as well as a main office in the parish seat that can be contacted for planning, zoning, licensing & permitting. There are also some local government-related associations listed that can provide resources and links to municipal governments, which may have similar requirements as the parish authority.

### **Louisiana Tax Assessors' Association**

3060 Valley Creek Road  
Baton Rouge, LA 70898  
(800) 925-4446 Phone (225) 928-4677 Fax  
Web site: <http://www.laassessors.com>  
Email: [information@laassessors.com](mailto:information@laassessors.com)  
Provides a list of all property tax assessor offices in each of the 64 parishes.

### **Louisiana Association of Tax Administrators**

Web site: <http://www.laota.com>

### **Louisiana Municipal Association**

P. O. Box 4327  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821  
(225) 344-5001 Phone of (800) 234-8274  
(225) 344-3057 (Fax)  
Web site: <http://www.lamunis.org>

### **Police Jury Association of Louisiana**

707 North Seventh Street  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802-5327  
Phone (225) 343-2835  
2nd Floor Fax (225) 336-1344  
3rd Floor Fax (225) 343-0050  
Web site: <http://www.lpgov.org>  
In many of the rural parishes without incorporated areas, the police jury oversees planning, zoning, permitting, and licensing.

### **Louisiana Sheriff's Association**

1175 Nicholson Drive  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
(225) 343-8402 Phone (225) 336-0343 Fax  
Web site: <http://www.lsa.org>  
Sometimes the sheriff's office oversees building permitting and occupational licensing for the parish.

## **Orleans Parish**

### **City of New Orleans Board of Assessors**

New Orleans City Hall, 1300 Perdido Street, Room 4E01  
New Orleans, LA 70112  
(504) 565-7050 Phone (504) 565-7182 Fax  
Web site: [www.new-orleans.la.us](http://www.new-orleans.la.us)

There are seven municipal property tax assessors in Orleans parish. This main number will provide the specific district information.

**New Orleans City Planning Commission  
Office of Safety and Permits (Permitting and zoning)**

City Hall Annex  
1300 Perdido Street  
New Orleans, LA 70112  
(504) 565-7000 (General) or (504) 565-6130 Phone  
Web site: [www.new-orleans.la.us/cnoweb/cpc](http://www.new-orleans.la.us/cnoweb/cpc)

**City of New Orleans One Stop (Occupancy certificate & license)**

1340 Poydras Street, Suite 950  
New Orleans, LA 70112  
(504) 636-0337 Phone (504) 636-0262 Fax  
Web site: [www.new-orleans.la.us](http://www.new-orleans.la.us)

**Jefferson Parish**

**Jefferson Parish Assessor's Westbank Office**

200 Derbigny Street  
Gretna, LA 70053  
(504) 362-4100 Phone (504) 366-4087 Fax  
Web site: [www.jpassessor.com](http://www.jpassessor.com)

**Jefferson Parish Government**

1221 Elmwood Park Boulevard  
Harahan, Louisiana 70123  
(504) 736-6370 Phone (504) 736-6378 Fax  
(Property Tax Assessor, Suite 901)  
(504) 736-6320 Phone (504) 736-6343 Fax  
(Planning/Zoning, Suite 601)  
Web site: [www.jeffparish.net](http://www.jeffparish.net)  
(504) 736-6963 (Eastbank) (504) 364-3500 (Westbank)  
(Building Permitting)  
(504) 736-6950 Phone  
(New Business Start-up, Suite 205)  
[www.jeffparish.net/pages/index.cfm?DocID=1816](http://www.jeffparish.net/pages/index.cfm?DocID=1816)

**City of Gretna**

P.O. Box 404, 2nd and Huey P. Long Avenue  
Gretna, LA, 70054-0404  
(504) 363-1500 (General) (504) 363-1509 Fax  
Web site: [www.gretnala.com](http://www.gretnala.com)  
E-mail: [tx-licen@gretnala.com](mailto:tx-licen@gretnala.com) (Taxes and Licenses)  
E-mail: [cao@gretnala.com](mailto:cao@gretnala.com) (Zoning)  
Permitting, licensing, taxes and zoning/planning for Gretna.

## **St. Bernard Parish**

**St. Bernard Parish Government  
Department of Community Development**  
8201 West Judge Perez Drive  
Chalmette, LA 70043  
(504) 278-4305 Phone (504) 278-4298 Fax  
Web site: [www.st-bernard.la.us](http://www.st-bernard.la.us)  
Building permits and zoning/planning.

**St. Bernard Property Tax Assessor**  
Chalmette Courthouse, Room 105  
Chalmette, LA 70043  
(504) 279-6379 Phone (504) 279-8791 Fax  
Web site: [www.st-bernard.la.us](http://www.st-bernard.la.us)  
Email: [Stbassor@bellsouth.net](mailto:Stbassor@bellsouth.net)

**St. Bernard Parish Sheriff's Office  
Courthouse Annex**  
Chalmette, LA 70043.  
(504) 271-2504 Phone (504) 278-7606 Fax  
Web site: [www.st-bernard.la.us](http://www.st-bernard.la.us)  
Sales tax and occupational licensing.

## **St. Charles Parish**

**St. Charles Parish Property Tax Assessor**  
P.O. Box 303, 15045 River Road  
Hahnville, LA 70057  
(985) 783-6281 Phone (985) 783-6593 Fax  
Web site: [www.stcharlesgov.net](http://www.stcharlesgov.net)  
Email: [stca@bellsouth.net](mailto:stca@bellsouth.net)

**St. Charles Parish School Board  
Sales & Use Tax Office**  
P. O. Box 46, 13855 River Road  
Luling, LA 70070-0046  
(985) 785-6289 Phone

**St. Charles Parish Government  
Dept. of Planning and Zoning**  
P. O. Box 302  
Hahnville, LA 70057  
(985) 783-5060 Phone (985) 783-6447 Fax  
Web site: [www.stcharlesgov.net](http://www.stcharlesgov.net)  
Email: [planning@stcharlesgov.net](mailto:planning@stcharlesgov.net)  
Permitting, licensing, taxes and zoning/planning for St. Charles Parish and municipalities.

## **St. John the Baptist Parish**

### **St. John Parish Property Tax Assessor's Office**

1801 W. Airline Highway  
LaPlace, LA 70068  
(985) 652-5311 Phone (985) 652-8746 Fax  
Web site: [www.sjbparish.com](http://www.sjbparish.com)  
Email: [stjohnar@bellsouth.net](mailto:stjohnar@bellsouth.net)

### **St. John Parish Government Sales & Use Tax Department**

P. O. Box 432  
Reserve, Louisiana 70084  
(504) 536-1106 Phone (504) 536-3695 Fax  
Web site: [www.stjohn.k12.la.us](http://www.stjohn.k12.la.us)

### **St. John Parish Government Planning & Zoning Dept.**

102 East Airline Highway  
LaPlace, LA 70068  
(985) 651-5565 Phone (985) 653-9808 Fax  
Web site: [www.sjbparish.com](http://www.sjbparish.com)  
Permitting, licensing, taxes and zoning/planning for St. John Parish and municipalities.

## **St. James Parish**

### **St. James Parish Property Tax Assessor's Office**

P.O. Box 55  
Convent, LA 70723  
(225) 562-2251 Phone (225) 562-2249 Fax  
Web site: [www.stjamesla.com](http://www.stjamesla.com)

### **St. James Parish School Board Sales and Use Tax Department**

P. O. Box 368  
Lutcher, LA 70071  
Web site: [www.stjames.k12.la.us](http://www.stjames.k12.la.us)

### **St. James Parish Government**

P. O. Box 55  
Convent, LA 70723  
(225) 562-2260 Phone (Occupational licenses)  
(225) 562-2262 Phone (Planning Commission)  
Web site: [www.st.jamesla.com](http://www.st.jamesla.com)

### **St. James Parish Government**

P.O. Box 106  
Convent, LA 70723  
(225) 562-2264 Phone (Buildng permits)

### **Town of Lutcher**

1123 Regina Street  
Lutcher, LA 70071  
(225) 869-5564 Phone

**Town of Gramercy**

P. O. Box 235  
Gramercy, LA 70052  
(225) 869-4403 Phone

**St. Tammany Parish**

**St. Tammany Property Tax Assessor**

510 East Boston Street  
Covington, LA 70433  
(985) 892-6150 Phone (985) 892-7420 Fax

**St. Tammany Parish**

**Sales and Use Tax Department**

P. O. Box 808, 141 Production Drive (70460)  
Slidell, LA 70459-0808  
(985) 645-2408 Phone (985) 645-2427 Fax

**City of Slidell Planning Department**

P. O. Box 828, 2056 Second Street (70458)  
Slidell, LA 70459  
(985) 646-4320 Phone (985) 646-4356 Fax  
Web site: [www.slidell.la.us](http://www.slidell.la.us)

**City of Slidell**

P. O. Box 828, 2056 Second Street (70458)  
Slidell, LA 70459  
(985) 646-4323 Phone (985) 646-6117 Fax  
(Permits and Licensing)  
(985) 646-4316 (Finance and Taxes)  
Web site: [www.slidell.la.us](http://www.slidell.la.us)

**St. Tammany Parish Tax Collector**

P.O. Box 1229, 520 Old Spanish Trail (70458)  
Slidell, LA 70459  
(985) 646-4130 Phone (985) 645-2430 Fax  
Occupational licensing for parish.

**St. Tammany Parish Government**

P. O. Box 628  
Covington, LA 70434  
(985) 898-2591 or (985) 646-4190 Phone  
(985) 898-2593 Fax  
Web site: [www.stgov.org](http://www.stgov.org)  
Planning, zoning, and permitting for the parish.

**Plaquemines Parish**

**Plaquemines Parish Tax Assessor's Office (CONF)**

P.O. Box 36

Pointe-Ala-Hache, LA 70082

(985) 333-4331 Phone (985) 333-9043 Fax

**Plaquemines Parish Government**

**Sales and Use Tax Department**

7163 Highway 39, Suite 105

Braithwaite, LA 70040

(985) 682-0081 Ext 2267 Phone (985) 682-4579 Fax

**Plaquemines Parish Government**

**Planning, Zoning & Building Permitting**

102 Avenue G

Belle Chasse, LA 70037

(504) 392-6690, ext. 1255 Phone

(504) 394-7478 Fax

(504) 392-6690, ext. 1211 Property Tax)

(504) 333-4401 (Occupational licensing)

## **Regional Government Offices**

### **Louisiana Department of Revenue**

#### **New Orleans Regional Office**

1555 Poydras Street, Suite 900

New Orleans, LA 70112

(504) 568-5233 Phone (504) 568-5868 Fax

Web site: [www.rev.state.la.us](http://www.rev.state.la.us)

### **Louisiana Department of Transportation & Development, CCCD Section 59**

P.O. Box 6297, 2001 Mardi Gras Blvd., (70114)

New Orleans, LA 70174-6297

(504) 364-8100 Phone

Web site: [www.dotd.state.la.us](http://www.dotd.state.la.us)

### **Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality**

201 Evans Road, Bldg. 4, Suite 420

New Orleans, LA 70123-5230

(504) 736-7701 Phone (504) 736-7702 Fax

Web site: [www.deq.state.la.us](http://www.deq.state.la.us)

### **Louisiana Department of Labor**

Web site [www.laworks.net](http://www.laworks.net)

Web site: [www.laworkforce.net](http://www.laworkforce.net)

Job information service: information on jobs available in area, listed by employers; can be used by anyone.

### **First Planning District Consortium WDC**

8201 West Judge Perez Drive, Room 212

Chalmette, LA 70043

(504) 278-4263 Phone (504) 278-4266 Fax

E-mail: [fpd@st-bernard.la.us](mailto:fpd@st-bernard.la.us)

### **Jefferson Parish Workforce Investment Board**

1221 Elmwood Park Blvd, Yenni Bldg., Suite 304

Jefferson, LA 70123

(504) 736-6468 Phone (504) 736-6464 Fax

### **Orleans Workforce Investment Board, Inc.**

1340 Poydras Street, 9th Floor

New Orleans, LA 70112

(504) 636-0300 Phone

Web site: [www.new-orleans.la.us](http://www.new-orleans.la.us)

### **St. Charles Parish Consortium**

#### **Employment & Training Office**

P.O. Box 1010 (733 Paul Maillard Road)

Hahnville, LA 70057

(985) 783-5030 Phone (985) 785-0923 Fax

## ***Business and Technical Assistance***

### **New Orleans Business & Industrial District Enterprise Center**

13801 Old Gentilly Road  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70129  
(504) 254-2600 Phone (504) 254-3666 Fax  
Web site: [www.nobid.org](http://www.nobid.org)  
Email: [nobid@bellsouth.net](mailto:nobid@bellsouth.net)  
Incubator for service and light manufacturing firms.

### **Metro New Orleans Regional Planning Commission**

Amoco Building, 1340 Poydras St., Suite 2100  
New Orleans LA 70112-5276  
(504) 568-6611 Phone (504) 568-6643 Fax  
Web site: [www.norpc.org](http://www.norpc.org)  
E-mail [rpc@norpc.org](mailto:rpc@norpc.org)  
Serving Orleans, Jefferson, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, and St. Tammany parishes.

### **South Central Planning & Development Commission**

5058 West Main Street  
Houma, LA 70360  
(985) 851-2900 Phone (985) 851-4472 Fax  
Web site: [www.scpdc.org](http://www.scpdc.org)  
Serving St. James, St. John and St. Charles parishes.

### **JEDCO Enterprise Centers**

3445 North Causeway Blvd., #301  
Metairie, LA 70002  
(504) 833-1881, ext. 302 Phone (504) 833-7676 Fax  
Jefferson Parish's business incubator.

### **UNO Small Business Development Center**

1600 Canal Street, Suite 620 (confirmed)  
New Orleans, LA 70112  
(504) 539-9292 Phone (504) 539-9295 Fax  
Web site: [www.uno.edu/%7Ecoba/sbdc](http://www.uno.edu/%7Ecoba/sbdc)

### **JEDCO Enterprise Center West**

5201 West Bank Expressway Suite 100  
Marrero, LA 70072  
(504) 412-8484 Phone (504) 412-8479 Fax  
Web Site: [www.JEDCO.org](http://www.JEDCO.org)

### **UNO International Trade Center Small Business Development Center**

2926 World Trade Center  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
(504) 568-8222 Phone (504) 568-8228 Fax  
Web site: [www.uno.edu/~litc/index.html](http://www.uno.edu/~litc/index.html)  
E-mail: [litc@uno.edu](mailto:litc@uno.edu)  
Business development advice for international trade.

**Loyola University Small Business Development Center**

6363 St. Charles Avenue  
New Orleans, LA 70118  
(504) 864-7942 Phone  
Web site: [www.loyno.edu](http://www.loyno.edu)  
Email: [sbdc@loyno.edu](mailto:sbdc@loyno.edu)

**Southern University Small Business Development Center**

6400 Press Drive  
New Orleans, LA 70126  
(504) 286-5308 Phone (504) 284-5512 Fax  
Web site: [www.suno.edu](http://www.suno.edu)

**Arts Council of New Orleans****The Entergy Arts Business Incubator**

225 Baronne Street, Suite 1712  
New Orleans, LA 70115  
(504) 523-1465 Phone (504) 529-2430 Fax  
Web site: [www.louisiana-arts.com](http://www.louisiana-arts.com)  
Email: [mail@artscouncilofneworleans.org](mailto:mail@artscouncilofneworleans.org)

An arts management resource center that serves the creative and administrative growth of individuals and organizations in the arts community.

**University of New Orleans****Division of Business and Economic Research**

College of Business Administration  
New Orleans, LA 70148  
(504) 280-6240 Phone (504) 280-6094

**University of New Orleans****Real Estate Market Data Center**

545 CERM Building, Research & Technology Park  
2000 Lakeshore Drive  
New Orleans, LA 70148  
(504) 280-6739 Phone (504) 280-3952  
Web site: [www.realestate.uno.edu](http://www.realestate.uno.edu)  
E-mail: [remdc@uno.edu](mailto:remdc@uno.edu)

**Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality****Small Business Assistance Program**

Southeast Region  
201 Evans Road Bldg 4, Suite 420  
New Orleans, LA 70123-5230  
(504) 736-7701 Phone (504) 736-7702 Fax  
Web site: [www.ldeq.state.la.us/assistance/sbap](http://www.ldeq.state.la.us/assistance/sbap)

**New Orleans SCORE Chapter**

365 Canal Street, Suite 2820  
New Orleans, LA 70130  
(504) 589-2356 Phone (504) 589-2339 Fax  
Web site: [www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Northshore SCORE Chapter**

2 West Thomas  
Hammond, LA 70401  
(504) 345-4457 Phone (504) 345-4749 Fax

**Louisiana Cooperative Extension Service**

LSU Agriculture Center, Knapp Hall  
P.O. Box 25100  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70894-5100  
(225) 578-4141 Phone (225) 578-2467 Fax  
Web site: [www.agctr.lsu.edu](http://www.agctr.lsu.edu)

As part of the LSU Agricultural Center, the Louisiana Cooperative Extension Service provides educational programs designed and implemented to take useful and practical information to those who need it most.

**Orleans Parish Cooperative Extension**

6400 St. Claude Avenue, Building 104-C  
New Orleans , LA 70146  
(504)278-7495 Phone (504)278-7496 Fax

**Jefferson Parish Cooperative Extension**

6640 Riverside Drive Suite 200  
Metairie , LA 70003  
(504)838-1170 Phone (504)838-1175 Fax

**St. Bernard Parish Cooperative Extension**

8201 W. Judge Perez Drive  
Chalmette , LA 70043  
(504)278-4234 Phone (504)278-4239 Fax

**St. Charles Parish Cooperative Extension**

15058 River Road  
Hahnville , LA 70057-0427  
(504)783-6231 Phone (504)783-1101 Fax

**St. John Parish Cooperative Extension**

151 East 3rd Street  
Edgard , LA 70049  
(504)497-3261 Phone (504)497-8474 Fax

**Plaquemines Parish Cooperative Extension**

7163 Highway 39, Suite 201  
Braithwaite , LA 70040-2256  
(504)392-6690, ext. 2233 Phone  
(504)682-9941 Fax

**LSU Cooperative Extension Citrus Research Station**

22193 Highway 23  
Port Sulphur, LA 70083  
(504)564-2467 Phone (504)564-9353 Fax  
Citrus and vegetables (mainly year-round tomato production).

**St. James Parish Cooperative Extension**

5800 Highway 44, 3rd Floor  
Convent , LA 70723  
(225)562-2320 Phone (225)562-2430 Fax

**St. Tammany Parish Cooperative Extension**

21454 Koop Drive, Suite 1D  
Mandeville, LA 70471  
(985)875-2635 Phone (985)875-2639 Fax

## Education

### **Louisiana Community and Technical College System**

822 Neosho Avenue  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802  
(225) 219-8700 Phone (LCTCS) 8770 (LTC)  
(225) 219-8710 Fax (LCTCS) 8779 (LTC)  
Web site: [www.lctcs.state.la.us](http://www.lctcs.state.la.us)  
Email: [lctcs@lctcs.state.la.us](mailto:lctcs@lctcs.state.la.us)

### **Elaine P. Nunez Community College**

3710 Paris Road  
Chalmette, LA 70043  
(504) 680-2240 Phone (504) 680-2243 Fax  
Web site: [www.nunez.cc.la.us](http://www.nunez.cc.la.us)

### **Delgado Community College**

501 City Park Avenue  
New Orleans, LA 70119  
(504) 483-4114 Phone  
Web site: [www.dcc.edu](http://www.dcc.edu)

### **Louisiana Technical College Sidney N. Collier Campus**

3727 Louisa Street  
New Orleans, LA 70126  
(504) 942-8333 Phone (504) 942-8337 Fax  
Web site: [www.sidneyncolliercampus.com](http://www.sidneyncolliercampus.com)

### **Louisiana Technical College Jefferson Campus**

5200 Blair Drive  
Metairie, LA 70001  
(504) 736-7072 Phone (504) 736-7120 Fax  
Web site: [www.jeffersoncampus.com](http://www.jeffersoncampus.com)

### **Louisiana Technical College West Jefferson Campus**

475 Manhattan Boulevard  
Harvey, LA 70058  
(504) 361-6464 Phone (504) 361-6465 Fax  
Web: [www.westjeffcampus.com](http://www.westjeffcampus.com)

### **Louisiana Technical College Slidell Campus**

P.O. Box 827, 1000 Canulette Road  
Slidell, LA 70459-0827  
(985) 646-6430 General (985) 646-6431 Admissions  
(985) 646-6442 Fax  
Web site: [www.slidellcampus.com](http://www.slidellcampus.com)

### **Louisiana Technical College Westside Campus**

P.O. Box 733, 59125 Bayou Road  
Plaquemine, LA 70765-0733  
(225) 687-6392 or (225) 342-8228 Phone  
(225) 342-8229 Fax  
Web site: [www.westsidecampus.com](http://www.westsidecampus.com)

**University of New Orleans**

Lakefront Campus, 2000 Lakeshore Drive  
New Orleans, LA 70148  
(504) 280-6595 or (800) 256-5866 (Admissions)  
(504) 280-5522 Fax  
Web site: [www.uno.edu](http://www.uno.edu)  
Email: [admissions@uno.edu](mailto:admissions@uno.edu)

**Southern University of New Orleans**

6400 Press Drive  
New Orleans, LA 70126  
(504) 286-5000 Phone (504) 286-5299 Fax (General)  
Web site: [www.suno.edu](http://www.suno.edu)

**Dillard University**

2601 Gentilly Road  
New Orleans, LA 70122-9985  
(504) 286-8822 Phone (General)  
Web site: [www.dillard.edu](http://www.dillard.edu)

**Loyola University**

6363 St. Charles Avenue  
New Orleans, LA 70118  
(504) 865-2011 (General)  
(800) 4-LOYOLA (Admissions)  
Web site: [www.loyno.edu](http://www.loyno.edu)

**Tulane University**

6823 St. Charles Avenue  
New Orleans, LA 70118  
(504) 865-5000 Phone (General)  
Web site: <http://www2.tulane.edu>

**Xavier University**

One Drexel Drive  
New Orleans, LA 70125-1098  
(504) 486-7411 (General)  
Web site: [www.xula.edu](http://www.xula.edu)

**Our Lady of Holy Cross College**

4123 Woodland Drive  
New Orleans, LA 70131-7399  
(504) 394-7744 Phone  
Web site: [www.olhcc.edu](http://www.olhcc.edu)

**New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary**

3939 Gentilly Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA 70125-4858  
(504) 282-4455 or (800) 662-8701 Phone  
Web site: [www.nobts.edu](http://www.nobts.edu)