Hurricane Ida: Funding Urgent Needs and Long-Term Recovery

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Hurricane Ida Update

- Hurricane Ida made landfall as an upper-level Category 4 hurricane, only 5 mph short of Category 5.
- Ida is tied with the 1856 Last Hurricane and 2020’s Hurricane Laura as the strongest storms to make landfall in Louisiana.
- Over 1 million customers lost power, including the entire city of New Orleans.
- As of the morning of Sept. 2, there are 918,501 outages in Louisiana.
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Flooding in LaPlace and Lafitte, Louisiana.
Photo credit: LDWF
Hundreds of people were rescued from flooded areas in LaPlace and Lafitte. Photo credit: LDWF
Damage in Louisiana.
Photo credit: LA National Guard
Ice is in high demand with the power out and temperatures in the 90s with heat indices of up to 108 degrees.
Damage in New Orleans. Photo credit: NOLAReady
There is extensive damage to power lines throughout the affected area.
Due to loss of electricity, intersection lights are out. Photo credit: NOLAReady
Damage to a home in Louisiana.
Louisiana’s governor has asked evacuees not to return yet as power lines, trees and debris continue to pose hazards. Photo credit: NOLAReady
More than half the fuel stations in New Orleans and Baton Rouge were out of gasoline Wednesday morning. Lines are half a mile long.
Questions?

Damage to a home in Louisiana.
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Key Takeaways for Funders

- Take the long view.
- Recognize there are places private philanthropy can help that government agencies might not.
- All funders are disaster philanthropists.
- Share best practices and learn lessons from past disasters.
- Trust the experts.

Entergy Corp. bucket trucks staged in Louisiana before Ida.
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