



CITY OF KENNER

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STATEMENT FROM CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER DEBORAH FOSHEE

Kenner, LA. – Kenner Fire Chief John Hellmers has been placed on Administrative Leave pending investigation. Sixteen-year Kenner Fire Department veteran Ryan Bergeron has been appointed as the Interim Fire Chief during Chief Hellmers' absence.

Until the completion of the investigation, we do not expect to provide any further comments about this personnel matter.

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