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FIREFIGHTERS AT SCENE OF POWER POLE ACCIDENT AT LOYOLA DRIVE AND WEST ESPLANADE

Kenner, LA. – The Kenner Fire Department is on the scene of an 18-wheeler accident that has taken down power lines at Loyola Drive and West Esplanade Avenue. Firefighters are battling two fires as a result of the high voltage line being disconnected from the power poles - at Champions Sport Bar and at Orleans Furniture Store.

Mayor Ben Zahn is asking that all vehicle and pedestrian traffic avoid the area for safety reasons. Entergy has been notified and just arrived. Entergy officials report about 1,700 power outages along the Loyola Drive corridor from Interstate 10 to the lakefront.

Additional information will be shared as soon as it is available.

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