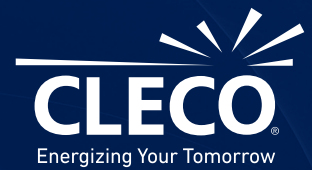


# ENERGY MATTERS



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## Cleco helps customers prepare for hurricane season

Cleco donated 1,500 weather radios to help customers stay safe and weather-aware during the Atlantic hurricane season, which runs June 1 through the end of November.

Weather radios were distributed throughout the month of June in Mandeville, Jeanerette and Slidell.

"A weather radio is a helpful tool for receiving real-time severe weather watches and warnings, and could be lifesaving," said Andre Guillory, chief customer officer at Cleco.



The giveaway was part of Cleco's new customer initiative, **Cleco Connects**, that connects the company's customer service team with customers.



## Cleco volunteers help with storm recovery efforts in Avoyelles Parish

Cleco employees volunteered at the Plaquemine Community Center packing supply boxes for residents recovering from Tropical Storm Arthur.

The storm brought nearly 30 inches of rain in a 12-hour period in some parts of Avoyelles Parish, causing many homes in the region to flood.

Volunteers filled boxes with cleaning supplies and loaded cases of water – transporting them between supply stations throughout the area.



## Cleco supports LSUA Health Education Campus

Cleco supported the Louisiana State University at Alexandria's planned 70,000-square-foot Health Education Campus with a \$1.4 million donation.

Additional funds for the project come through collaborations with local community partners, as well as state funding. At the groundbreaking, Bill Fontenot, president and

CEO of Cleco, spoke about Cleco's responsibility to support communities beyond providing reliable electricity – it's also about being a good steward to the communities we serve.

The health care facility will help address the increasing demand for skilled healthcare professionals in the area.



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