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SPD sends officers, equipment of South Louisiana

Interim Chief of Police Alan Crump has dispatched two Shreveport Police officers to Baton Rouge to assist first responders there in their efforts to serve and protect flood victims.

Two officers left Shreveport this afternoon towing one of the police department's shallow water boats headed to Baton Rouge to join public safety officials in their mission to provide aid and support to those Louisianians ravaged by the historic flooding across the southern portions of our state. The deployed officers are anticipating their tour will last at least three days.

Shreveport Mayor Ollie Tyler lauded the mission, saying, "I am proud of our officers and their selfless commitment to serve not only the citizens of Shreveport but our neighbors in South Louisiana who have been so devastated by this catastrophic flood event. The City of Shreveport is in prayer for those whose lives have been impacted by the rising waters as well as all of the first responders working night and day to keep them safe."

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