

Shreveport Police Dept.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



**Special Olympics Louisiana
Law Enforcement Torch Run - North West Area
Media Run - May 12, 2017**

8:00a.m.

Agencies on the East side of the Red River will meet at Bossier City Civic Center, Bossier City LA 71111.

They will light the Torch "Flame of Hope" and begin the run **3miles:**

- West on POW-MIA Blvd toward Benton Rd.
- Right/North onto Benton Road.
- Left/West onto E. Texas St./US -80

Agencies on the West side of the Red River will meet at Caddo Parish Correctional Center, 1101 Forum Drive, Shreveport LA 71107.

They will light the Torch "Flame of Hope" and begin the run **3 miles:**

- Southwest on Forum Dr. toward N. Hearne Ave.
- Left/East onto N. Hearne Ave.
- Right/South onto N. Market St.
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The East and West will unite at Texas St. & Market St. running both Torches into downtown Shreveport.

- They will all run West on Texas St.
- Left/South on Marshall St.
- Right/West on Milam St.
- Arrive at the Southside of Caddo Parish District Court 501 Texas St. Shreveport LA 71101
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9:00a.m.

A Ceremony to include a joint Proclamation from the Mayors of Shreveport and Bossier City will be held.

9:30a.m.

Runners will leave Caddo Parish District Court and continue the run **12miles:**

- West on Milam St.
- Right/North onto Mc Neil St.
- Right/East onto Texas St.
- Right/South onto Market St.
- Cross over onto Spring St. (Spring St. turns into Youree Drive) continue South on Youree Dr.
- Arrive at the Relay Station, 10281 Hwy-1 South, Shreveport LA 71115

The run will end here for the day. We will have lunch for the runners and volunteers.