Raymond Laborde Correctional Center 1630 Prison Rd, Cottonport, Louisiana 71327

Jail Characteristics:

- ▶ Opened in 1989 and sits on 1,187 acres
- ▶ Originally designed to hold 610 inmates, but after renovations it is capped at 1,564 inmates
- ▶ 326 Employees
- ▶ It has been accredited by the American Correctional Association's Commission eight times since 1989, with 2013 being the last year of the correctional center being accredited
- ▶ Attempted escapes and deaths transpire at Raymond Laborde Correctional Center

Weekly Programs:

- ► Educational Programming, such as, Literacy courses, Adult Basic Education, General Equivalency Diploma (GED) and Special School District
- ➤ Vocational Programs, for example, barbering, culinary arts, and welding
- ▶ Mental Health Services
- → Services will be provided for the appropriate needs of the imprisoned person
- ▶ Reentry
- ▶ Faith-based programming
- ► Community Service

Management:

- Warden Marcus Myers (picture to the bottom right)
- ▶ Sheriff David Dauzat

Demographic makeup of the Incarcerated:

- ▶ Presently 394 individuals in custody
- ▶ 273 of the 394 are men
- ▶ 121 of the 394 are women
- ▶ 47% of the people who are in custody are black

Media Coverage:

- ▶ Mysterious death
- ▶ Attempted escaped prisoners
- ▶ Founding of evidence bag at funeral home



Annual Budget:

- ▶ \$24.5 million dollars (Raymond budget)
- ▶ Sheriff David Dauzat Salary: \$197,621 (including benefits)

