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NEW IBERIA, LOUISIANA

IBERIA PARISH COUNCIL

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ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE:

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Parish President M. Larry Richard

CAO Milton "Bo" Belanger, III

Executive Secretary Cynthia Provost

Finance Officer Michelle Suire

Purchasing Officer Michael Broussard

Executive Assistant Josepha "Jo" Morgan

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COUNCIL MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Councilman Brock Pellerin informed the Council that Councilman Caymen Crappell and himself attended the Iberia Leadership Class on Tuesday, September 24, 2024. They had the opportunity to tour the Career Campus and Iberia Medical Center - North Campus and stated that both facilities are doing an excellent job.

PARISH PRESIDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. President Richard informed the Council that the Public Works Department completed several tasks during the period of September 18-24, 2024, including culvert cleaning, debris pickup, field and roadside drainage, grating, patching and repairs of roads, side booming of front ditches.
2. President Richard stated the funds will be bonded and secured to begin the Iberia Parish Road Project. He also stated that two separate Road Project Meetings will be held on October 1, 2024 and October 10, 2024 for Council Members to attend to better discuss roads.
3. President Richard gave project updates on Labit Road Bridge, Vida Shaw Bridge and Loreauville Canal (Teche Lake Canal).
4. President Richard proudly announced that "Welcome" signs have been installed at all entrances and exits of Iberia Parish. He also stated that he is currently working on having New Iberia listed on I-10 traffic signs.
5. President Richard announced that Cajun Broadband will be hosting a Pre-Festival Soirée on Friday, September 27, 2024 from 3:00 p.m. till 6:00 p.m. to provide information on upcoming fiber projects in Iberia Parish.
6. President Richard informed the Council that the Iberia Parish Mosquito District will be conducting aerial spraying prior to the Sugar Cane Festival beginning September 24-26, 2024.
7. President Richard also reminded everyone to visit the website for Iberia Parish Government which can be viewed at <https://iberiaparishgovernment.com>.

A motion was made by Mr. Lloyd Brown, seconded by Mr. Caymen Crappell, that the Council recess its Regular Session and convene in a Public Hearing to hear comments from the public at this time.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Policy allows Three (3) Minutes/person)

1. Comments from the General Public on Agenda Items:
  - a. A Public Hearing for the Iberia Parish Council to act as Board of Review was held to obtain public comments and/or objections regarding property valuations as established by the Iberia Parish Tax Assessor for the year 2024.



Mr. Leon Minvielle, Esq. for the Iberia Parish Assessor's Office informed the Council that no appeals were timely filed with the Iberia Parish Assessor's Office, therefore, a hearing was not necessary.

Legal Counsel Ian Alpha also stated that no appeals were timely filed with the Iberia Parish Assessor's Office and that no hearing was necessary.

- b. Dysautonomia Louisiana, Inc. Founder Carmen Gonzales addressed the Council regarding the Month of October being proclaimed as Dysautonomia Awareness Month.
- c. Chez Hope Domestic Violence Advocate Kelly Cantu addressed the Council regarding the Month of October being proclaimed as Domestic Violence Awareness Month.
- d. Iberia Parish Assessor Candidate David Groner stated that he believed that Iberia Parish Assessor's Office was not in compliance with the requirement to send notice of increase of property values to property owners.
- e. Founder of the Teen Pregnancy Center John Manes addressed the Council regarding October being proclaimed as Respect Life Month.
- f. Mr. Walter Elmer, Jr. informed the Council that he did not receive a letter from the Iberia Parish Assessor's Office to inform him that his property value increased.

- 2. Persons being considered for appointment to Parish Boards, Commissions, and/or Districts address the Council, including: (1) Mr. Eugene Sonnier, II, applicant for the Iberia Parish Hospital Service District No. 1 Board, (2) Mr. Warren White for Robert B. Green Memorial Building Advisory Board, (3) Mr. Dusty Hulin for the Iberia Parish Airport Authority Board, (4) Mr. Daniel Hebert for the Acadiana Fairground Commission, (5) Mr. Blair Hebert as Ex-Officio for the Acadiana Fairground Commission, and (6) Mr. Anthony Dronet for Acadiana Fairground Commission.

A motion was made by Mr. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that the Council does hereby recess its Public Hearing and reconvene into Regular Session at this time.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

#### COMMUNITY EVENTS AND PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. Mr. Raymond "Shoe-do" Lewis addressed the Council to announce his candidacy for election for the office of Iberia Parish Tax Assessor.
- 2. President of Acadiana Ambulance Explorer Post 108 Eli Anderson provided information for their Enrollment Meeting to be held



on Wednesday, October 9, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Iberia Parish Fire Protection District Training Facility.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

1. Finance Officer Michelle Suire presented the Consolidated Budget Statement for the proposed 2025 Budgets to the Iberia Parish Council.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:

(To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

Chairman Warren P. Gachassin, Jr. requested if there were any items to be removed from Consent Agenda at this time.

Councilman Lady Fontenette Brown requested that Summary No. 169 be removed to invoke a unanimous second vote by the Iberia Parish Council.

Councilman Chad Maturin requested that Summary No. 163 be removed to invoke a unanimous second vote by the Iberia Parish Council.

Councilman Brian P. Napier requested that Summary No. 164 be removed to invoke a unanimous second vote by the Iberia Parish Council.

Hearing no further requests for removal of items, a motion was made by Mr. Michael R. Landry, seconded Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, that the following item be adopted:

MINUTES

Regular Meeting of September 18, 2024.

A motion was made by Mr. Michael R. Landry, seconded by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-165

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2024 AS "DYSAUTONOMIA AWARENESS MONTH" IN IBERIA PARISH.

WHEREAS, Dysautonomia is a group of medical conditions that result in a malfunction of the autonomic nervous system, which is responsible for "automatic" bodily functions such as, but not limited to: respiration, heart rate, blood pressure, digestion, bone marrow production, and temperature control; and

WHEREAS, Dysautonomia affects people of any age, gender, race or background, negatively impacting over 70 million people around the world, including many individuals living right here in our wonderful State of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, there are 15 different forms of dysautonomia which include Neuropathy, Vasovagal Syncope, Pure Autonomic Failure, and Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome (commonly known as POTS), just to list a few. People who have been diagnosed with some form of dysautonomia often have secondary conditions such as: Lupus, Multiple Sclerosis (MS), Parkinson's disease, Sjogren's syndrome or Diabetes.

WHEREAS, Dysautonomia can be very disabling and is a life changing diagnosis; this chronic illness can result in the inability to work or attend school, may cause social isolation,

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depression and/or anxiety. It's not just physically affecting people, it's an emotionally and financially draining ailment as well and extremely stressful on the families of those impacted; and

WHEREAS, Dysautonomia Louisiana Inc. is a 501c3 non-profit organization that advocates on behalf of patients living with dysautonomia and those individuals suffering from its symptoms and still struggling for diagnosis. Our goal is to bring much needed awareness to the community and information to the medical professionals across Louisiana. Increased awareness about dysautonomia will help patients obtain an earlier diagnosis and treatment plan, save lives, and foster support for individuals and families already coping with dysautonomia in our community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Iberia Parish Council, hereby proclaims the month of October as, DYSAUTONOMIA AWARENESS month throughout Louisiana. We are encouraging communities to celebrate Dysautonomia Awareness Month each October in the State of Louisiana.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-166

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2024 AS "RESPECT LIFE MONTH" IN IBERIA PARISH.

WHEREAS, it is an especially fitting time to reflect on the God-given dignity and value of human life and we can honor His gift by cherishing our own lives as well as respecting and valuing the lives of others; and

WHEREAS, we reflect on the value of life in all those with various issues and circumstances and everyone is entitled to all rights and freedoms, without distinction of any kind; and

WHEREAS, it is important to consider more deeply why every human life is valuable and reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death; and

WHEREAS, now is the time for us to renew our efforts at building a culture of life that welcomes all which includes a process of conversion beginning within the heart that paves the way for greater inclusivity and diversity; and

WHEREAS, we strive to make our parish communities a place to welcome and assist mothers in need, helping us become instruments of God's love and kindness, granting protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties, defending the life of her unborn child, and providing a loving and safe community for their future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby proclaim the month of October 2024 as

**RESPECT LIFE MONTH**

in Iberia Parish and encourages all citizens to set aside a time to honor life and preserve families by cherishing, defending, and



protecting all human life--- both born and unborn--with compassion and respect.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-167

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2024 AS "DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH" IN IBERIA PARISH.

WHEREAS, domestic violence is a serious crime that affects people of all races, ages, genders, and income levels; and

WHEREAS, the crime of domestic violence violates an individual's privacy, dignity, security, and humanity due to the systematic use of physical emotional, sexual, psychological, and economic control and abuse; and

WHEREAS, domestic violence is widespread and affects over 4 million Americans each year; and

WHEREAS, women in Louisiana are killed at the second highest rate in the nation, and our rate of women killed is twice the national average; and

WHEREAS, children of maternal victims of domestic violence are fifty percent more likely to be victims of domestic violence and experience lifelong repercussions from the trauma of domestic violence exposure; and

WHEREAS, only a coordinated community effort will put a stop to the heinous crime of domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, Domestic Violence Awareness Month provides an excellent opportunity for citizens to increase awareness about preventing domestic violence and to show support for the numerous organizations and individuals who provide lifesaving advocacy, services and assistance to victims.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby proclaim the month of October 2024 as "Domestic Violence Awareness Month" in Iberia Parish.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-168

A RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2024 AS "NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION MONTH" IN IBERIA PARISH.

WHEREAS, suicide is the 10th leading cause of death in the United States and the second leading cause of death among individuals between the ages of 10 to 34; and

WHEREAS, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), one person dies by suicide every 11.7 minutes,

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resulting in nearly 45,000 deaths each year in the United States; and

WHEREAS, suicide is the only leading cause of death in the United States that has increased every year for the past decade; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that there are over 1,300,000 suicide attempts each year in the United States; and

WHEREAS, an average of 123 individuals die by suicide each day in the United States; and

WHEREAS, suicide is the second leading cause of death for individuals aged 25-34 and the third leading cause of death for individuals aged 15-24; and

WHEREAS, the stigma associated with mental health conditions and suicide discourages individuals at risk from seeking help and further impacts survivors of suicide loss and individuals with lived experience; and

WHEREAS, September is recognized as "National Suicide Prevention Month" across the United States, overlapping with World Suicide Prevention Day on September 10th, an international observance supported by the World Health Organization;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Government is committed to:

1. Recognizing suicide as a serious national, state, and local public health concern;
2. Supporting the declaration that suicide prevention should be prioritized for the health and well-being of our community;
3. Endorsing the designation of September as "National Suicide Prevention Month";
4. Encouraging the development and implementation of strategies to increase access to quality mental health, substance abuse, and suicide prevention services in Iberia Parish; and
5. Partnering with local organizations to participate in suicide prevention initiatives and providing support to individuals and families affected by suicide.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby proclaim the month of September 2024 as "National Suicide Prevention Month" in Iberia Parish.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-170

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PARISH PRESIDENT TO EXECUTE AN ACT OF SALE WITH THE CONGREGATION OF ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH FOR SURPLUS PROPERTY OF IBERIA PARISH GOVERNMENT LOCATED AT IBERIA, WASHINGTON, AND ST. PETER STREETS, BLOCK 230 OF THE CITY OF NEW IBERIA LESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH LA R.S. 33:4711 ET. SEQ.



WHEREAS, there has been an offer by the Congregation of St. Peter Catholic Church to purchase surplus property of Iberia Parish Government located at Iberia, Washington, and St. Peter Streets, Block 230 of the City of New Iberia; and

WHEREAS, that said Purchase Agreement is in accordance with La. R. S. 33:4711 et. seq.; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the Parish President to execute all necessary documents to finalize the sale of said surplus property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby authorize the Parish President to execute a cash sale and any other necessary documents with the Congregation of St. Peter Catholic Church for transfer of said surplus property of Iberia Parish Government.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, said surplus property is located at Iberia, Washington, and St. Peter Streets of the City of New Iberia.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said proposed Purchase Agreement is in accordance with La. R.S. 33:4711 et. seq.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

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A request was made by Mr. Chad Maturin to remove Resolution Summary No. 163 from Consent Agenda to provide a unanimous vote by the Iberia Parish Council.

A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded unanimously by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, and Messrs. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin, that the following be adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. 2024-163

A RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY OF MS. CYNTHIA "CINDY" ANN BELANGER, SISTER OF CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER MILTON "BO" BELANGER, WHO PASSED AWAY ON AUGUST 30, 2024.

WHEREAS, it is with profound sorrow that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby acknowledge the recent passing of Ms. Cynthia "Cindy" Ann Belanger, sister of Chief Administrative Officer Milton "Bo" Belanger, who passed away on August 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Belanger was a daughter, sister, sister-in-law, mother, and grandmother to her family; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Belanger will be deeply missed by her family, her friends, and the community.

WHEREAS, Ms. Belanger was a Registered Nurse and for over 30 years, she was a devoted nurse at Iberia Parish Hospital, also known as Iberia Medical Center.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby express its sincere condolences to the family of Ms. Cynthia "Cindy" Ann Belanger, sister of Chief Administrative Officer Milton "Bo" Belanger, who passed away on August 30, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be forwarded to the family of Ms. Cynthia "Cindy" Ann Belanger.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A request was made by Mr. Brian P. Napier to remove Resolution Summary No. 164 from Consent Agenda to provide a unanimous vote by the Iberia Parish Council.

A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded unanimously by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, and Messrs. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-164

A RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY OF JUDGE OSWALD A. DECUIR, WHO SERVED AS FORMER THIRD CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FOR TWENTY YEARS AND FORMER LOUISIANA STATE SENATOR FOR SEVENTEEN YEARS, WHO PASSED AWAY ON SEPTEMBER 3, 2024.

WHEREAS, it is with profound sorrow that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby acknowledge the recent passing of Judge Oswald A. Decuir, who served as former Third Circuit Court of Appeals, and former Louisiana State Senator for seventeen years, who passed away on September 3, 2024; and

WHEREAS, Judge Oswald A. Decuir was a son, brother, husband, father, father-in-law, grandfather, and great-grandfather to his family; and

WHEREAS, Judge Oswald A. Decuir will be deeply missed by his family, his friends, and the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby express its sincere condolences to the family of Judge Oswald A. Decuir, who served as former Third Circuit Court of Appeals for twenty years and former Louisiana State Senator for seventeen years, who passed away on September 3, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be forwarded to the family of Judge Oswald A. Decuir.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

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A request was made by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown to remove Resolution Summary No. 169 from Consent Agenda to provide a unanimous vote by the Iberia Parish Council.

A motion was made by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, seconded unanimously by Ms. Natalie Broussard, and Messrs. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin, that the following be adopted:

### RESOLUTION NO. 2024-169

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION GREEN LIGHT FOR VETERANS FROM OCTOBER THROUGH VETERANS DAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2024 THROUGH IBERIA PARISH AND TO JOIN NACO IN LIGHTING MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS GREEN.

WHEREAS, the residents of Iberia Parish have great respect, admiration, and the utmost gratitude for all of the men and women who have selflessly served our country and this community in the Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS, the contributions and sacrifices of the men and women who served in the Armed Forces have been vital in maintaining the freedoms and way of life enjoyed by our citizens; and

WHEREAS, Iberia Parish Government seeks to honor these individuals who have paid the high price for freedom by placing themselves in harm's way for the good of all; and

WHEREAS, Veterans continue to serve our community in the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, religious groups, civil service, and by functioning as County Veteran Service Officers in 29 states to help fellow former service members access more than \$52 billion in federal health, disability and compensation benefits each year; and

WHEREAS, Approximately 200,000 service members transition to civilian communities annually; and

WHEREAS, an estimated 20 percent increase of service members will transition to civilian life in the near future; and

WHEREAS, studies indicate that 44-72 percent of service members experience high levels of stress during transition from military to civilian life; and

WHEREAS, Active Military Service Members transitioning from military service are at a high risk for suicide during their first year after military service; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Counties encourages all counties, parishes and boroughs to recognize Operation Green Light for Veterans; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Government appreciates the sacrifices of our United State Military Personnel and believes specific recognition should be granted; and



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby designate Iberia Parish as a Green Light for Veterans Parish and does hereby declare that from October through Veterans Day, November 11, 2024 be a time to salute and honor the service and sacrifice of our men and women in uniform transitioning from Active Service.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in observance of Operation Green Light, Iberia Parish Government encourages its citizens, in patriotic tradition, to recognize the importance of honoring all those who made immeasurable sacrifices to preserve freedom by displaying a green light in a window of their place of business or residence.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby support Operation Green Light for Veterans and encourage the lighting of municipal buildings green from October through Veterans Day, November 11, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be forwarded to the municipalities within Iberia Parish encouraging and requesting their support and participation.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

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A motion was made by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, seconded by Mr. Lloyd Brown, that Resolution Summary No. 171, which is a Resolution for necessary repairs in the amount of \$54,621.75 to the American Legion Post 549, Veterans Hall 2, The Harry Eugene located in Jeanerette, Louisiana, as follows: (1) \$16,350.40 for ceilings, grids, fans, tiles, and lights in the hall and kitchen; (2) \$15,579.25 for paneling and molding around the public area; (3) \$20,192.10 for cleaning and painting frames, doors, cabinets, trimming, and all required painting; and (4) \$2,500.00 for floor stripping and waxing, be adopted at this time.

A motion was made by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, seconded by Mr. Lloyd Brown, that Resolution Summary No. 171, be amended to remove items 1 and 3 and allocate \$9,000 from 2024 Public Buildings Maintenance Fund and \$9,079 from 2024 General Fund - Previous Years.

This motion to AMEND having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to AMEND was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

A motion was made by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, seconded by Mr. Lloyd Brown, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-171

A RESOLUTION AMENDING 2024 PUBLIC BUILDING MAINTENANCE FUND BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$9,000 AND 2024 GENERAL FUND BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$9,079 FOR NECESSARY REPAIRS TO THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 549, VETERANS HALL 2, THE HARRY EUGENE LOCATED IN JEANERETTE, LOUISIANA, AS FOLLOWS: (1)\$15,579 FOR PANELING AND MOLDING AROUND THE PUBLIC AREA; AND (2) \$2,500.00 FOR FLOOR STRIPPING AND WAXING.

WHEREAS, there has been a request to amend the 2024 Public Building Maintenance Fund Budget in the amount of \$9,000 and the 2024 General Fund Budget - Previous Years in the amount of \$9,079 for necessary repairs to the American Legion Post 549, Veterans Hall 2, The Harry Eugene located in Jeanerette, Louisiana, as follows: (1)\$15,579.25 for paneling and molding around the public area; and (2) \$2,500.00 for floor stripping and waxing; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the 2024 Public Building Maintenance Fund Budget in the amount of \$9,000 and the 2024 General Fund Budget - Previous Years in the amount of \$9,079 to recognize said funding; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby amend 2024 Public Building Maintenance Fund Budget in the amount of \$9,000 and the 2024 General Fund Budget - Previous



Years in the amount of \$9,079 for necessary repairs to the American Legion Post 549, Veterans Hall 2, The Harry Eugene located in Jeanerette, Louisiana, as follows: (1)\$15,579.25 for paneling and molding around the public area; and (2) \$2,500.00 for floor stripping and waxing, all to be funded, as follows:

| <u>ACCOUNT NO.</u>    | <u>ACCOUNT TITLE</u>             | <u>BUDGET</u> | <u>ADJUSTMENT</u> |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| 499000 0000 0000 0000 | Fund Balance -<br>Previous Years | \$1,145,657   | \$9,079           |
| 960117 1919 0027 0000 | OP/TP Public Bldg<br>Mtce Fund   | - 0 -         | \$9,079           |
| 910001 1919 0027 0000 | OP/TR - General Fund             | - 0 -         | \$9,079           |
| 499000 0000 0000 0000 | Fund Balance -<br>Previous Years | \$452,276     | \$9,000           |
| 543100 5100 0027 0000 | Repair/Mtce Bldgs                | - 0 -         | \$18,079          |

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said adjustments having no effect on Fund Balance.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

# 26219

A motion was made by Mr. Brock Pellerin, seconded by Mr. Brian P. Napier, that the following be adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. 2024-172

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE PROPERTY VALUATIONS FOR REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY FOR 2024 AS ESTABLISHED BY THE IBERIA PARISH ASSESSOR.

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Assessor has established the total assessed valuation of Real Property for 2024 at \$411,707,251; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Assessor has established the total assessed valuation of Personal Property for 2024 at \$253,223,327; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Assessor has presented the list of assessments for review for a period from August 28 through September 13, 2024, wherein all changes necessary and proper were made and no further changes will be made for the 2024 tax year; and

WHEREAS, during a Public Hearing held on Wednesday, September 25, 2024, while acting as a Board of Review for the assessed property valuations for Iberia Parish, no entities have filed an appeal to the Board of Review, regarding the certified assessed values for 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby accept the property valuations for real and personal property for 2024 as established by the Iberia Parish Assessor as follows:

1. Total Assessed Valuation of Real Property for 2024 at \$411,707,251; and
2. Total Assessed Valuation of Personal Property for 2024 at \$253,223,327.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be forwarded to the Louisiana Tax Commission and the Iberia Parish Tax Assessor.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Mr. Brock Pellerin, seconded by Mr. Scott Ransonet, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-173

A RESOLUTION ORDERING AND CALLING A PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD ON DECEMBER 4, 2024 FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR THE PROPOSED CONSOLIDATED BUDGET STATEMENT FOR 2025.

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter requires the Council to call a Public Hearing upon receipt of the Parish President's Consolidated Budget Statement for the proposed 2025 budgets.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby order and call a Public Hearing to be held on Wednesday, December 4, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., to obtain public comments regarding the Consolidated Budget Statement and the proposed 2025 budgets.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

26221

The following persons have submitted their applications of interest for appointment to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Anthony Dronet, whose term expires on September 24, 2024: (a) Mr. Anthony Dronet, and (b) Daniel Hebert.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-174

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE ACADIANA FAIRGROUNDS COMMISSION FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM FOR MR. ANTHONY DRONET, WHOSE TERM EXPIRES SEPTEMBER 24, 2024.

The Chairman requested ballot voting for the appointment of one member to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission. The ballot voting was recorded as follows:

DRONET: Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin. (9 VOTES)

HEBERT: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., and Brian P. Napier. (4 VOTES)

The Chairman declared that Mr. Anthony Dronet has been appointed as a member of the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by expiration of term for Mr. Anthony Dronet, whose term expired on September 24, 2024. The term for this appointment shall commence on September 25, 2024 and shall terminate on September 24, 2029.

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is interested in appointing Mr. Anthony Dronet to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by expiration of term for Mr. Anthony Dronet, whose term expired on September 24, 2024; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Anthony Dronet to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by expiration of term for Mr. Anthony Dronet, which term will expire on September 24, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the term for this appointment shall commence on September 25, 2024 and shall terminate on September 24, 2029.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-175

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE ACADIANA FAIRGROUNDS COMMISSION FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM FOR MR. DANIEL HEBERT, WHOSE TERM EXPIRED AUGUST 25, 2024.

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is interested in appointing one member to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by expiration of term for Mr. Daniel Hebert, whose term expired on August 25, 2024; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Daniel Hebert to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by expiration of term for Mr. Daniel Hebert, which term will expires on August 25, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the term for this appointment shall commence on October 7, 2024 and shall terminate on October 6, 2029.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

26223

A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded by Mr. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-176

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MR. BLAIR HEBERT TO THE ACADIANA FAIRGROUNDS COMMISSION, REPRESENTING THE COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE AS AN EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM FOR MR. BLAIR HEBERT, WHOSE TERM EXPIRED ON AUGUST 24, 2024.

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is desirous of appointing one member to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, representing the Iberia Parish County Agent's Office as an Ex-officio member, to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Blair Hebert, whose term expired on August 24, 2024; and

WHEREAS, an application of interest for appointment to this position has been received from Mr. Blair Hebert; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council does hereby waive Section 2-42 (e) of the Iberia Parish Compiled Ordinances requiring the submission of two applicants for said appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Blair Hebert, to the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, representing the Iberia Parish County Agent's Office as an Ex-officio member, for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Blair Hebert.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said term shall commence on October 7, 2024 and shall terminate on October 6, 2029.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded by Mr. James P. Trahan, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-177

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE IBERIA PARISH AIRPORT AUTHORITY FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM, TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM FOR MR. TIMOTHY BOUDREAUX, WHOSE TERM EXPIRES ON OCTOBER 24, 2024. (APPLICATIONS OF INTEREST ON FILE FROM: (A) MR. DUSTY HULIN)

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is interested in appointing one person to the Iberia Parish Airport Authority for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Timothy Boudreaux, whose term expires October 24, 2024; and

WHEREAS, an application of interest has been received from Mr. Dusty Hulin to be appointed to fill this vacancy; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-42 (e) of the Iberia Parish Compiled Ordinances, which establishes a policy requiring two applications to be considered for appointments to Parish Boards/Commissions, is hereby waived for this appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Dusty Hulin to the Iberia Parish Airport Authority for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Timothy Boudreaux, whose term expires October 24, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said term shall commence on October 25, 2024 and shall terminate on October 24, 2029.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

# 26225

A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded by Mr. Michael R. Landry, that the following be adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. 2024-178

A Resolution appointing one member to the Iberia Parish Fire Protection District No. 1 for a four year term, to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Jarrod Suire, whose term expires on August 22, 2024. (Applications of Interest on File from: (a) Mr. Jarrod Suire.)

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is interested in appointing Mr. Jarrod Suire to the Iberia Parish fire Protection District No.1 for a four year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Jarrod Suire, whose term expired August 22, 2024; and

WHEREAS, an application of interest has been received from Mr. Jarrod Suire to be appointed to fill this vacancy; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-42 (e) of the Iberia Parish Compiled Ordinances, which establishes a policy requiring two applications to be considered for appointments to Parish Boards/Commissions, is hereby waived for this appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Jarrod Suire to the Iberia Parish Fire Protection District No. 1 for a four year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Jarrod Suire, whose term expired August 22, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said term shall commence on October 7, 2024 and shall terminate on October 6, 2028.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Mr. Lloyd Brown, seconded by Mr. James P. Trahan, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-179

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE IBERIA PARISH HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR A FOUR YEAR TERM, TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM FOR MR. BROCK ROMERO, WHOSE TERM EXPIRES ON NOVEMBER 12, 2024. (APPLICATIONS OF INTEREST ON FILE: (A) MR. EUGENE J. SONNIER, II).

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is interested in appointing one person to the Iberia Parish Hospital Service District No. 1 Board for a four year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Brock J. Romero, whose term expires November 12, 2024; and

WHEREAS, an application of interest has been received from Mr. Eugene J. Sonnier, II to be appointed to fill this vacancy; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-42 (e) of the Iberia Parish Compiled Ordinances, which establishes a policy requiring two applications to be considered for appointments to Parish Boards/Commissions, is hereby waived for this appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Eugene J. Sonnier, II to the Iberia Parish Hospital Service District No. 1 Board for a four year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Brock J. Romero, whose term expires November 12, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said term shall commence on November 13, 2024 and shall terminate on November 12, 2028.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

# 26227

A motion was made by Mr. Michael R. Landry, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that Resolution Summary No. 180, which is a Resolution appointing one member to the Iberia Parish Veterans Memorial Building Advisory Board for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Ms. Alice Robicheaux, whose term expired October 1, 2024, be adopted at this time.

A motion was made by Mr. Michael R. Landry, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that Resolution Summary No. 180 be deferred to the October 9, 2024 Iberia Parish Council Meeting to allow Ms. Alice Robicheaux an opportunity to address the Council.

This motion to DEFER having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to DEFER was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Mr. James P. Trahan, seconded by Ms. Lady Fontenette Brown, that Resolution Summary No. 181, which is a Resolution appointing one member to the Jeanerette Veterans Memorial Building Advisory Board No. 2 for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Cornell de'Coulet, Jr., whose term expires October 1, 2024, be adopted at this time.

A motion was made by Mr. James P. Trahan, seconded by Ms. Natalie Broussard, that Resolution Summary No. 181 be deferred to the October 9, 2024 Iberia Parish Council Meeting to allow Mr. Mr. Cornell de'Coulet, Jr. an opportunity to address the Council.

This motion to DEFER having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to DEFER was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

26229

A motion was made by Mr. Brock Pellerin, seconded by Mr. Michael R. Landry, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-182

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE LYDIA VETERANS MEMORIAL BUILDING ADVISORY BOARD FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM FOR MR. GERALD MYERS, WHOSE TERM EXPIRES OCTOBER 1, 2024.  
(APPLICATIONS ON FILE FROM: (A) MR. GERALD MYERS)

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is interested in appointing Mr. Gerald Myers to the Lydia Veterans Memorial Building Advisory Board for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Gerald Myers, whose term expires October 1, 2024; and

WHEREAS, an application of interest has been received from Mr. Gerald Myers to be appointed to fill this vacancy; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-42 (e), which establishes a policy requiring two applications to be considered for appointments to Parish Boards/Commissions, is hereby waived for this appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Gerald Myers as a member of the Lydia Veterans Memorial Building Advisory Board for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Gerald Myers whose term expires October 1, 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said term shall commence on October 2, 2024 and shall terminate on October 1, 2029.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Mr. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, seconded by Mr. Michael R. Landry, that the following be adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. 2024-183

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING ONE MEMBER TO THE ROBERT B. GREEN MEMORIAL BUILDING ADVISORY BOARD FOR A FIVE YEAR TERM, TO FILL A VACANCY CREATED BY THE EXPIRATION OF TERM OF MR. WARREN C. WHITE, WHOSE TERM EXPIRED ON OCTOBER 1, 2024. (APPLICATIONS ON FILE FROM: (A) MR. WARREN C. WHITE)

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council is desirous of appointing one member to the Robert B. Green Memorial Building Advisory Board for five year term, to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Warren C. White, whose term expires on October 1, 2024; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Warren C. White has submitted his name for consideration to serve as in this position; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Council does hereby waive Section 2-42 (e) of the Iberia Parish Compiled Ordinances requiring the submission of two applicants for said appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby appoint Mr. Warren C. White as a member of the Robert B. Green Memorial Building Advisory Board for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. Warren C. White.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said term shall commence on October 2, 2024 and shall terminate on October 1, 2029.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

# 26231

A motion was made by Mr. James P. Trahan, seconded by Mr. Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, that Resolution Summary No. 184, which is a Resolution appointing one member to the Iberia Parish Sewerage District No. 1 for a five year term to fill a vacancy created by the expiration of term for Mr. William LaBauve, whose term expired August 25, 2024, be adopted at this time.

A motion was made by Mr. James P. Trahan, seconded by Ms. Natalie Broussard, that Resolution Summary No. 184 be deferred to the October 9, 2024 Iberia Parish Council Meeting to allow Mr. William LaBauve an opportunity to address the Council.

This motion to DEFER having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to DEFER was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Mr. Scott Ransonet, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that Resolution Summary No. 185, which is a Resolution granting Preliminary and Final Plat Approval to the subdivision of property belonging to Ronnie Prioux, located on Loreauville Road, in District 11, to subdivide 428,155.91 sq. ft. of property into four (4) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-0009, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission, be adopted at this time.

A motion was made by Mr. Brock Pellerin, seconded by Mr. Brian P. Napier, that Resolution Summary No. 185 be TABLED WITHOUT DATE due to conditions of development not met for Preliminary and Final Plat Approval by the Iberia Parish Council.

This motion to TABLE WITHOUT DATE having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to TABLE WITHOUT DATE was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

# 26233

A motion was made by Mr. Brian P. Napier, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that the following be adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. 2024-186

A RESOLUTION GRANTING PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT APPROVAL TO A SUBDIVISION OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO DWIGHT BOUTTE, LOCATED ON 4515 OLD JEANERETTE ROAD, IN DISTRICT 11, TO SUBDIVIDE 10.433 ACRES OF PROPERTY INTO TEN (10) LOTS FOR RESIDENTIAL USE, SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT PC2024-0010, ALL AS REVIEWED AND RECOMMENDED BY THE IBERIA PARISH REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, an application has been filed with the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission for Preliminary and Final Plat approval to a subdivision of property belonging to Dwight Boutte, located on 4515 Old Jeanerette Road in District 11, to subdivide 10.433 acres of property into ten (10) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-0010, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission conducted a Public Hearing on September 16, 2024 and recommended Preliminary and Final Plat approval to the subdivision of property belonging to Dwight Boutte, located on 4515 Old Jeanerette Road in District 11, 10.433 acres of property into ten (10) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-10.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby grant Preliminary and Final Approval to the resubdivision of property belonging to Dwight Boutte, located on 4515 Old Jeanerette Road in District 11, 10.433 acres of property into ten (10) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-10, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said Preliminary and Final Plat approval is conditional upon the following items from the Staff Report PC2024-10:

### STAFF REPORT CONDITIONS:

1. Adequate provisions shall be made such that development activities do not adversely affect the adjacent properties. All building permits and construction activities must be completed such that the adjacent properties are not impacted from alteration of the historical drainage patterns. (Public Works).
2. Submittal of construction documentation for the Right-of-Passage/Proposed Private Street to the Department of Public Works will be required. Construction documentation shall indicate a site drainage plan and details of all tie-ins to public infrastructure. The Final Plat may not be recorded or permits issued until the construction plans have been approved and the Right-of-Passage/Proposed Private Street constructed. (Planning)

### PLAT REVISIONS:

1. Add the following note to the notes section for Department of Health & Hospitals:



"On new sewer installations, sewage effluent discharge is not allowed into ditches along Private Roads an/or Drives (BOH0)

2. Addresses are assigned as follows: (911/Communications District)

Lot 1A -  
 Lot 1B --  
 Lot 1C --  
 Lot 1D -  
 Lot 2 --  
 Lot 3 --  
 Lot 4 --  
 Lot 1C2 --  
 Lot 1A2 --  
 Lot 1D2 --

Need location of structures and a private road needs to be in place for addresses.

3. Add easements to plat for the following lots. (LAWCO)

- a. There are 3 meters near the proposed property line between 1A and 1B. I would suggest an easement for the private plumbing lines for these meters to protect against future problems. It would be up to the property owner to locate these lines.
- b. There are 2 meters between proposed property line between 1C and 1D. I would suggest an easement for the private plumbing lines for these meters to protect against future problems. It would be up to the property owner to locate these lines.
- c. We only have a water main paralleling Old Jeanerette Rd. If water is wanted/needed for the back lots (2 through 1D2), the property developer would need to complete a Line Extension Application. The cost of this waterline would be borne by the requesting party.
- d. IPFD and/or Louisiana State Fire Marshal determine fire protection requirements. If any water system improvements are required for fire protection as a result of this proposed subdivision, the cost of any such improvements will be the responsibility of the owner/developer requesting such.

4. Add the following verbiage to the surveyors signature (Planning)

CERTIFICATION OF SURVEYOR

I hereby certify this plat to be in compliance with La. R.S. 33:5051 et. seq. and the laws and ordinances of Iberia Parish Government.

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OTHER COMMENTS/SUGGESTIONS:

1. Note: All work to be performed within public right of way must be permitted. Driveway permits may be obtained at 715-A Weldon Street. For more information, call 337-369-4438.

# 26235

Attachments:

Plat

Adjoining Property Owners

Aerial Photo

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of Planning, Permitting, and Zoning is hereby authorized to grant Preliminary and Final Approval and record said plat in the Official Records of Iberia Parish upon the satisfactorily completion of all contingencies contained within the Resolution.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.



A motion was made by Mr. Chad Maturin, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that Resolution Summary No. 187, which is a Resolution granting Preliminary and Final Plat Approval to a subdivision of property belonging to Barbara Gadir, located on Romero Road, in District 1, to subdivide 13.971 acres of property into five (5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-0013, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission be adopted at this time.

A motion was made by Mr. Chad Maturin, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that Resolution Summary No. 187 be amended to correct the typographical error from District 1 to District 14.

This motion to AMEND having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to AMEND was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

A motion was made by Mr. Chad Maturin, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that the following be adopted:

#### RESOLUTION NO. 2024-187

A RESOLUTION GRANTING PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT APPROVAL TO A SUBDIVISION OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO BARBARA GADIR, LOCATED ON ROMERO ROAD, IN DISTRICT 14, TO SUBDIVIDE 13.971 ACRES OF PROPERTY INTO FIVE (5) LOTS FOR RESIDENTIAL USE, SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT PC2024-0013, ALL AS REVIEWED AND RECOMMENDED BY THE IBERIA PARISH REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, an application has been filed with the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission for Preliminary and Final Plat approval to a subdivision of property belonging to Barbara Gadir, located on Romero Road in District 14, to subdivide 13.971 acres of property into five (5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-0013, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission conducted a Public Hearing on September 16, 2024 and recommended Preliminary and Final Plat approval to the subdivision of property belonging to Barbara Gadir, located on Romero Road in District 14, 13.971 acres of property into five

(5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-13.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby grant Preliminary and Final Approval to the resubdivision of property belonging to Barbara Gadir, located on Romero Road in District 14, 13.971 acres of property into five (5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-13, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said Preliminary and Final Plat approval is conditional upon the following items from the Staff Report PC2024-13:

STAFF REPORT CONDITIONS:

1. Adequate provisions shall be made such that development activities do not adversely affect the adjacent properties. All building permits and construction activities must be completed such that the adjacent properties are not impacted from alteration of the historical drainage patterns. (Public Works).

2. Submittal of construction documentation for the Right-of-Passage/Proposed Private Street to the Department of Public Works will be required. Construction documentation shall indicate a site drainage plan and details of all tie-ins to public infrastructure. The Final Plat may not be recorded or permits issued until the construction plans have been approved and the Right-of-Passage/Proposed Private Street constructed. (Planning)

3. Addresses are assigned as follows

|                                                                      |                                                                                                                       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Tract 4B-1                                                           | <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;">Are Existing lots with 911 addresses</div> |
| Tract 4B-2                                                           |                                                                                                                       |
| Tract 4B-3                                                           |                                                                                                                       |
| Tract 4B-4                                                           |                                                                                                                       |
| Tract 4B-5 Lot is too large to address. Need location of structures. |                                                                                                                       |

4. Add the following not on the Final Plat  
"The Private Street will not be maintained by Iberia Parish Government."

5. Ensure that the Proposed roadways are assigned approved names submitted through standard procedures. (911/Communications District)

6. Add the following verbiage to the surveyors signature (Planning)

CERTIFICATION OF SURVEYOR  
I hereby certify this plat to be in compliance with La. R.S. 33:5051 et. seq. and the laws and ordinances of Iberia Parish Government.

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OTHER COMMENTS/SUGGESTIONS:

1. Note: All work to be performed within public right of way must be permitted. Driveway permits may be obtained at 715-A Weldon Street. For more information, call 337-369-4438.

Attachments:

Plat

Adjoining Property Owners

Aerial Photo

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of Planning, Permitting, and Zoning is hereby authorized to grant Preliminary and Final Approval and record said plat in the Official Records of Iberia Parish upon the satisfactory completion of all contingencies contained within the Resolution.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

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A motion was made by Mr. Brock Pellerin, seconded by Ms. Natalie Broussard, that the following be adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-188

A RESOLUTION GRANTING PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT APPROVAL TO A SUBDIVISION OF PROPERTY BELONGING TO LACI MIGUEZ AND AUBRY WILEY, LOCATED ON 5904 OZENNE ROAD, IN DISTRICT 10, TO SUBDIVIDE 23.886 ACRES OF PROPERTY INTO FIVE (5) LOTS FOR RESIDENTIAL USE, SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT PC2024-0014, ALL AS REVIEWED AND RECOMMENDED BY THE IBERIA PARISH REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, an application has been filed with the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission for Preliminary and Final Plat approval to a subdivision of property belonging to Laci Miguez and Aubry Wiley, located on 5904 Ozenne Road in District 10, to subdivide 23.886 acres of property into five (5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-0014, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission conducted a Public Hearing on September 16, 2024 and recommended Preliminary and Final Plat approval to the subdivision of property belonging to Laci Miguez and Aubry Wiley, located on 5904 Ozenne Road in District 10, to subdivide 23.886 acres of property into five (5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-14.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby grant Preliminary and Final Approval to the resubdivision of property belonging to Laci Miguez and Aubry Wiley, located on 5904 Ozenne Road in District 10, to subdivide 23.886 acres of property into five (5) lots for residential use, subject to compliance with Planning Commission Staff Report PC2024-14, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said Preliminary and Final Plat approval is conditional upon the following items from the Staff Report PC2024-14:

STAFF REPORT CONDITIONS:

1. Approval is recommended subject to the following conditions and all standards of the Iberia Parish Subdivision Regulations.
2. Needs a variance to allow Tract 2-A and Tract 3-B2 a flag lot that extends 500 ft.

PLAT REVISIONS:

1. Addresses are assigned as follows

Tract 1-A 5904 Ozenne Rd (Existing)

Tract 1-B

Tract 2-A

Tract 3-B1

Tract 3-B2

Too large to address. Need location of structure.



2. Show the location and footprint of all existing buildings on Tract 3B-1 and give the status (i.e. existing, to be removed etc.) (Planning)
3. Add the following verbiage to the surveyors signature (Planning)

CERTIFICATION OF SURVEYOR

I hereby certify this plat to be in compliance with La. R.S. 33:5051 et. seq. and the laws and ordinances of Iberia Parish Government.

OTHER COMMENTS/SUGGESTIONS:

1. Note: All work to be performed within public right of way must be permitted. Driveway permits may be obtained at 715-A Weldon Street. For more information, call 337-369-4438.

Attachments:

Plat  
Adjoining Property Owners  
Aerial Photo

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of Planning, Permitting, and Zoning is hereby authorized to grant Preliminary and Final Approval and record said plat in the Official Records of Iberia Parish upon the satisfactory completion of all contingencies contained within the Resolution.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2-13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

26241

A motion was made by Mr. Scott Ransonet, seconded by Mr. Michael R. Landry, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby Suspend the Rules to discuss and consider Resolution Summary No. 189, as this item was not considered by the Joint Committee.

This motion to Suspend the Rules having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion to Suspend the Rules was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

A motion was made by Mr. Scott Ransonet, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that the Council recess its Regular Session and convene in a Public Hearing to hear comments from the public regarding the proposed expansion item as noted above at this time.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

Teche Vermilion Freshwater District Board Member Pat Caffery, Jr. addressed the Iberia Parish Council regarding downed trees in the Teche Lake Canal a/k/a Loreauville Canal necessary to access the control structure.

A motion was made by Mr. Brock Pellerin, seconded by Mr. Scott Ransonet, that the Council recess its Public Hearing and convene in Regular Session at this time.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Lady Fontenette



26243

FRESHWATER DISTRICT, AND SOUTHERN CONSTRUCTORS, LLC FOR REMOVAL OF CONFLICTING AND DOWNED TREES CAUSED BY HURRICANE FRANCINE ACROSS THE TECHE LAKE CANAL A/K/A LOREAUVILLE CANAL WHICH IS NECESSARY TO ACCESS THE CONTROL STRUCTURE.

WHEREAS, Iberia Parish Government, Teche Vermilion Freshwater District, and Southern Constructors, LLC, are cooperating on a project to remove conflicting and downed trees caused by Hurricane Francine across the Teche Lake Canal a/k/a Loreauville Canal which is necessary to access the control structure; and

WHEREAS, the Project will be within the boundaries of Iberia Parish and is necessary to remove conflicting and downed trees caused by Hurricane Francine across the Teche Lake Canal a/k/a Loreauville Canal which is necessary to access the control structure; and

WHEREAS, the Teche Vermilion Freshwater District is requesting that Iberia Parish contribute \$16,812.50 to the Project, all to be funded from the 2024 Drainage Fund Budget; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Iberia Parish President is hereby authorized to execute a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement by and between Iberia Parish Government, Teche Vermilion Freshwater District, and Southern Constructors, LLC for removal of conflicting and downed trees caused by Hurricane Francine across the Teche Lake Canal a/k/a Loreauville Canal which is necessary to access the control structure.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption by the Iberia Parish Council and approval by the Parish President in accordance with Section 2 - 13 of the Iberia Parish Home Rule Charter.

This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the Resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of September, 2024.

ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLICATION:

None.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Next Council Meeting:

October 9, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

Please visit the Iberia Parish Government website:

[www.iberiaparishgovernment.com](http://www.iberiaparishgovernment.com) to complete the Stormwater Management Survey and view adjudicated properties through Civic Source.

A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded by Mr. Brock Pellerin, that the Iberia Parish Council does hereby adjourn.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry ,  
Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P.  
Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, James P. Trahan,  
Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier,  
Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad  
Maturin.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire.

And the motion was declared adopted this 25th day of  
September, 2024.

Chairman Warren P. Gachassin, Jr. then declared the meeting  
adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING TO BE EXACT AND TRUE:

  
Clerk of the Council