**LAFOURCHE BASIN LEVEE DISTRICT**

**POST OFFICE BOX 670**

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**VACHERIE, LOUISIANA 70090**

**NOTICE POSTED:** Tuesday, July 6, 2021 @ 5:00 P.M.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING/MEETING**

1. A Public Hearing will be held as follows:

**DATE:** Wednesday, July 7, 2021

**TIME:** 6:00 P.M.

**PLACE OF MEETING:** Lafourche Basin Levee District

21380 Highway 20

Vacherie, Louisiana 70090

The Lafourche Basin Levee District will hold its Public hearing/meeting on Wednesday, July 7, 2021. The public is invited to attend via Teleconference and at the LBLD office. In accordance with the Louisiana Governor’s Proclamation Number 117- JBE 2021 Renewal of State Emergency for COVID-19, Extension of Emergency Provisions, LBLD office will continue to require all individuals to wear a face covering over the nose and mouth, unless the person has been fully vaccinated with a Covid-19 vaccine. You can refer to gov.louisiana.gov for guideline exceptions.

**Public Hearing**

**July 7, 2021**

The public can participate in the above hearing by calling:

**712-451-0603**

**Access Code: 655833**

1. A public hearing will be held to consider levying increased millage rates after reassessment and rolling forward millage rates not to exceed the maximum authorized by law.
2. Adjourn
3. A Public Meeting will be held as follows:

**DATE:** Wednesday, July 7, 2021

**TIME:** 6:15 P.M. or immediately following the Public Hearing

**PLACE OF MEETING:** Lafourche Basin Levee District

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21380 Highway 20

Vacherie, Louisiana 70090

**Public Meeting**

**July 7, 2021**

The public can participate in the above meeting by calling:

**712-451-0603**

**Access Code: 655833**

1. Call to Order
2. Opening of prayer and pledge of allegiance
3. Roll Call of Commissioners
4. Adoption of the Agenda

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Unapproved minutes of the Regular Meeting of June 2, 2021

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Unapproved minutes of the May 25, 2021 Special Meeting

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Unapproved minutes of the June 16, 2021 Special Meeting

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Cash status report

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. None

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Adopt the adjusted millage rate(s)

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Set forth the adjusted millage rate(s) and roll forward to millage rate(s) not exceeding the maximum authorized rate(s)

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Authorization from the Board of Commissioners to approve the request from the US Corps of Engineers to conduct surveys, soil borings, hazardous, toxic and radiological waste, and environmental and cultural resources investigations in connection with the Mississippi River and Tributaries, Ama #2 Levee Enlargement, Baseline Station 3110+00 to 3180+00, St. Charles Parish, Louisiana

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Election of Officers

 A. Nomination of the Office of President

 B. Nomination of the Office of Vice-President

Public Comments?

FOR PRESIDENT:

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT:

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS

Section I – Titles and Election

Officers are designated as President, Vice-President and Secretary.

The Board shall elect a President and Vice-President from among its number. The Board shall appoint a Secretary who may be an Executive Staff member. The Board may retain counsel as authorized by LA. R.S. 38:305/ If a vacancy occurs among the officers of the Board, because of the resignation, death, removal or disqualification of a member, the election of an officer to fill the vacant office shall be held at a meeting within sixty (60) days from the vacancy. The Board may reorganize its officers by majority vote, only at a regularly scheduled meeting and with proper notice to all Board members and to the public in accordance with law.

1. Authorization for the Board of Commissioners to approve a cost of living raise and/or a merit raise for the Executive Director, Donald Henry, as recommended by the Chairman of the Personnel Committee

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Authorization for the Board of Commissioners to approve a cost of living raise and/or a merit raise for the Assistant Executive Director, Ivy Chauvin, as recommended by the Chairman of the Personnel Committee

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Authorization for the Board and/or staff to attend the Louisiana Emergency Management Conference in Lake Charles on October 24 – 27, 2021

Public Comments?

Motioned by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded by:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call Vote – Yeas: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Motion – Passed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Update on the Upper Barataria Risk Reduction Project

Public Comments?

1. Engineering (CPRA)
2. Study (CORPS)
3. Watershed
4. Adjourn

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 James P. Jasmin, President

 Lafourche Basin Levee District

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 (225)265-7545

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance, please contact Donald Ray Henry at (225)265-7545, describing the assistance that is necessary.