

June 16, 2025

A regular monthly meeting of the Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District was held on Monday, June 16, 2025 at 5:00p.m. at the Water District office, 1016 St. Mary Street, Thibodaux, LA

Present were:	Hugh Caffery, Chairman	Gene Harrell
	Ernie Blanchard, Vice-Chairman	Joe Boudreaux
	Greg Nolan, Secretary/Treasurer	Chris Domangue
	Dale Dennis	Barry Soudelier

Absent were: Francis Richard

Also present were: Kevan Keiser, GIS; Kevin Beyer, Intracoastal; Hattie Templet; Jake Stahl; Robert Theriot
Josh Bordelon; Heather Armstrong; Dustin Rabalais

Chairman Hugh Caffery began the meeting at 5:00 pm

Chairman Caffery stated that public comments can be made at any time in the regular meeting prior to action on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.

Moved by Vice-Chairman Ernie Blanchard, seconded by Commissioner Dale Dennis to approve the minutes of April 21, 2025. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Commissioner Barry Soudelier, seconded by Vice-Chairman Ernie Blanchard to approve the accounts payable report. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Secretary/Treasurer Greg Nolan, seconded by Commissioner Dale Dennis to approve the finance report. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Dustin Rabalais reported that we are operating on 3 pumps.

Mr. Rabalais reported that the Bayou operations are normal. Napoleonville structure still remains closed to maintain water elevations for water plants.

Mr. Rabalais reported the updates to the Pump Capacity Improvements Project (PCIP). Construction is limited due to the high river.

Mr. Kevan Keiser with GIS Engineering, gave an update on the Phase 3 Dredging Permitting/Design.

Mr. Rabalais discussed a motion to award "Task Order #1" Bayou Lafourche GIS and Data Collection, to Intracoastal Consulting for \$ 57,436.00.

Moved by Secretary/Treasurer Greg Nolan, seconded by Vice-Chairman Ernie Blanchard to approve the awarding of "Task Order #1" Bayou Lafourche GIS and Data Collection, to Intracoastal Consulting for \$ 57,436.00. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Rabalais discussed a motion to amend the prime agreement with Intracoastal Consulting for the engineering and design of the "Donaldsonville Drainage Improvement Project" by \$85,000.00.

Moved by Commissioner Dale Dennis, seconded by Commissioner Gene Harrell to approve to amend the prime agreement with Intracoastal Consulting for the engineering and design of the "Donaldsonville Drainage Improvement Project" by \$85,000.00. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Rabalais discussed a motion to authorize the Executive Director to sign and execute a Commitment of Funds Letter to the Office of Community Development for the project titled, "Donaldsonville Drainage Improvements".

Moved by Commissioner Dale Dennis, seconded by Commissioner Gene Harrell to approve the authorization of the Executive Director to sign and execute a Commitment of Funds Letter to the Office of Community Development for the project titled, "Donaldsonville Drainage Improvements". Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Kevan Keiser gave a presentation on the Theriot and Four-Point Canal Water Control Structures.

Mr. Rabalais gave an update on the Friends of Bayou Lafourche.

Mr. Rabalais gave his Executive Directors Report.

Chairman Caffery asked for any public comments.

Moved by Vice-Chairman Ernie Blanchard, seconded by Commissioner Gene Harrell to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Hugh Caffery, Chairman

Greg Nolan, Secretary/Treasurer