

BAYOU LAFOURCHE FRESH WATER DISTRICT



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NOTICE POSTED April 16th at 9:30 a.m.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING “Project Committee”

A public meeting will be held as follows:

DATE: Friday, April 17, 2026
TIME: 10:00 A.M.
PLACE OF MEETING: Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District
1016 St. Mary Street
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LIVE STREAM: Zoom
Meeting ID: 917 4379 0473
Passcode: @BLFWD

AGENDA

CALLED TO ORDER

1. Pledge
2. Invocation
3. Roll Call:

	Present	Absent
Ernie Blanchard (Committee Chair)	_____	_____
Gregory Nolan (Member)	_____	_____
Hugh Caffery (Ad-Hoc Non-Voting)	_____	_____

4. **A public comment period is allowed at any point in the meeting prior to action on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.**

5. Approval of Minutes from March 9, 2026.
6. Old Business
 - a. Update on AG Opinion request 25-0159
7. New Business
 - a. Mississippi River Reintroduction into Bayou Lafourche (MRRBL)
 - i. Review and discussion on construction timeline
 - a. Top Deck Pour – Complete
 - b. Finalize bridge access – Complete
 - c. Scaffolding Sub on site – 4/14
 - d. Elec Sub on site (Duct Bank) – 4/15
 - e. Aux building foundation - 4/23
 - f. Pumps down – 5/5
 - g. Discharge pipe up to levee - 5/30
 - h. Install Intake – June 5
 - i. Roof complete – July
 - ii. Review and discussion of plan set changes and any value engineering items that may remain:
 - a. Steel beam pitting
 - b. Generator layout area
 - iii. Motion and discussion to recommend approval of Change Order #15
1st _____ 2nd _____
 - iv. Sand Trap
 1. Marchand Bridge
 2. Water line
 - b. Phase 3 Dredging
 1. Review and discussion on project timeline
 - a. Status of permit submission
 - b. Status of H&H modeling
 - c. Legal / land rights
 - d. Status of pre-liminary geo-tech report – completed
 - e. Status of 30% design
 - c. Napoleonville Boat Launch
 1. Update from High Tide construction
 - d. Donaldsonville Drainage Project
 1. 60% design completed and submitted for review – on track for end of year
 - e. GIS Portal
 1. Launched
8. Public Comments
9. Adjournment: _____

Hugh Caffery Chairman
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