

BAYOU LAFOURCHE FRESH WATER DISTRICT



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- DUSTIN RABALAIS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

NOTICE POSTED: August 18, 2023 at 2:00 p.m.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be held as follows:

DATE: Monday, August 21, 2023  
 TIME: 5:00 P.M.  
 PLACE OF MEETING: Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District  
 1016 St. Mary Street  
 Thibodaux, LA 70301

### AGENDA

#### CALLED TO ORDER

1. Pledge
2. Invocation
3. Roll Call: Commissioners
 

	Present	Absent
Hugh Caffery	_____	_____
Jake Giardina	_____	_____
Gene Harrell	_____	_____
Gregory Nolan	_____	_____
Francis Richard	_____	_____
Lance Authement	_____	_____
Dale Dennis	_____	_____
Chris Domangue	_____	_____
Ray Mayet	_____	_____
Barry Soudelier	_____	_____
Joe Boudreaux	_____	_____
Ernie Blanchard	_____	_____

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 Regular Meeting Minutes of July 17, 2023
6. Approval of Emergency Meeting Minutes of August 8, 2023
7. Communications
  - a. Approval of Accounts Payable Report
8. Reports of Chairman, Officers, and Committee
9. Approval of Finance Report/Office Report
10. Operations Report
  - a. Pump Station
  - b. Bayou
11. Old Business
12. New Business
  - a. Presentation by Assessor Wendy Thibodaux
  - b. Melodia Boat Launch Update - High Tide Consultants
    - i. Discussion and motion to award or reject received bids from August 9, 2023.
  - c. Discussion and motion to authorize the executive director to sign and execute all required documents to enter into a purchase agreement for the property located at 1006 St. Mary Street, Thibodaux, LA, and authorize Charles W. Butts Real Estate Appraisal Service, Inc. for professional appraisal services.
  - d. Update on Mississippi River Reintroduction into Bayou Lafourche (MRRBL)
    - i. Pump Capacity Improvements Project – Stantec
    - ii. Phase 3 Permitting – Providence
  - e. Discussion and motion for the executive director to sign and execute a “Master Services Agreement” not to exceed \$15,000.00 with FTN Associates.
  - f. Discussion and motion to approve the purchase of a high pressure vacuum pump
  - g. Discussion and motion to approve the purchase of a grabber for BLFWD’s excavator at a cost of \$7,500.
  - e. Friends of Bayou Lafourche report - Matt Rivere
13. Executive Director’s Report
14. Public Comments
15. EXECUTIVE SESSION:
  - a. Barry Marionneaux, BLFWD Attorney, to discuss litigation regarding the following:
    - i. None.
16. Adjournment: Time \_\_\_\_\_

Hugh Caffery Chairman  
Bayou Lafourche Fresh Water District  
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