

**LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL  
NOVEMBER 14, 2006  
TWO-THIRD AGENDA**

**A. PROPOSED ORDINANCES:**

1. PROPOSED ORDINANCE amending and re-enacting **Sub-Chapter “D” of Chapter 19** of the Code of Ordinances of the Lafourche Parish Council as it pertains to amending **Section 19:354 Water Facilities** of the Lafourche Parish Subdivision Regulations in Lafourche Parish, State of Louisiana. (B. CALLAIS)
2. PROPOSED ORDINANCE to provide for a Supplemental Appropriation for the establishment of the **HUD-EDI Special Projects Grant for Waterfront Development** along Bayou Lafourche in Ascension, Assumption, and Lafourche Parishes in the Lafourche Parish 2006 Operation and Maintenance Budget and the Capital Project Budget as provided for by Article VI of the Lafourche Parish Home Rule Charter. (B. CALLAIS FOR ADMINISTRATION)

**B. RESOLUTIONS:**

3. RESOLUTION requesting the **Lafourche Parish Freshwater District** to pursue any and all **legal requirements needed to allow the maximum amount of water to flow** down Bayou Lafourche. (P. GOUAUX)
4. RESOLUTION requesting an **opinion from the Lafourche Parish District Attorney** to determine whether or not the Parish can **install street lights along Raphael Project Road**. (B. CALLAIS)
5. RESOLUTION certifying to the **Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development** that they have and will continue to comply with all **FHWA/DOTD requirements regarding Performance of Interim Inspections, calculating the Load Carrying Capacity and Load Posting Deficient Bridges** under their jurisdiction for 2006. (B. CALLAIS)

# ITEM 1

The following ordinance was introduced by \_\_\_\_\_ in regular session convened on \_\_\_\_\_.

## PROPOSED ORDINANCE

The following ordinance, having been previously introduced and published, was offered for final adoption by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RE-ENACTING SUB-CHAPTER  
“D” OF CHAPTER 19 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL AS IT PERTAINS TO  
AMENDING SECTION 19:354 WATER FACILITIES OF THE  
LAFOURCHE PARISH SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS IN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH, STATE OF LOUISIANA**

**WHEREAS**, The Lafourche Parish Planning Commission recommended to the Lafourche Parish Council the amending of Section 19:354 Water Facilities of the Subdivision Regulations to be as follows:

- B.1. In those instances where the existing water main is less than six (6”) inches or receives water from a line less than six (6”) inches, said line shall be upgraded to a minimum of an eight (8”) inch line or meets state standards, whichever, is greater.
  
- B.2. Along existing public right of way(s) with existing water facilities that meet our regulations in all other aspects, a fire hydrant(s) shall be located a maximum of five (500’) feet from any proposed lot line.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Lafourche Parish Council,

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convened in Regular Session on \_\_\_\_\_, that;

**SECTION 1.** If any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect other provisions, items or application of this ordinance which can be given affect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared severable.

**SECTION 2.** All Ordinances by the Lafourche Parish Council conflicting with or inconsistent with the provisions of these regulations are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 3.** This Ordinance shall be published in the Official Journal of the Lafourche Parish Council in the manner provided by law.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance, having been submitted in writing, having been read and adopted by sections at a public meeting of said council, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole, the vote thereon being as follows:

**YEAS:**

**NAYS:**

**ABSENT:**

**NOT VOTING:**

**SECTION 7.** This Ordinance shall become effective on the tenth day after final publication.

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**BRENT CALLAIS, CHAIRMAN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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**SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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**Delivered to the Parish President on**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2006, at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_.m.

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**VETOED:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Lafourche Parish President**

**Returned to the Council Clerk on**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2006, at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_.m.

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I, SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No.\_\_\_\_\_, enacted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on \_\_\_\_\_, at which meeting a quorum was present, and was finally adopted on \_\_\_\_\_.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS \_\_\_\_\_,  
DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

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**SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

*DATE PUBLISHED:* \_\_\_\_\_

*DATE EFFECTIVE:* \_\_\_\_\_

# ITEM 2

The following ordinance was introduced by \_\_\_\_\_ in regular session convened on \_\_\_\_\_.

## PROPOSED ORDINANCE

The following ordinance, having been previously introduced and published, was offered for final adoption by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE HUD-EDI SPECIAL PROJECTS GRANT FOR WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT ALONG BAYOU LAFOURCHE IN ASCENSION, ASSUMPTION AND LAFOURCHE PARISHES IN THE LAFOURCHE PARISH 2006 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE BUDGET AND THE CAPITAL PROJECT BUDGET AS PROVIDED FOR BY ARTICLE VI OF THE LAFOURCHE PARISH HOME RULE CHARTER

WHEREAS, the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development through HUD-EDI Special Projects has provided funding for Lafourche Parish waterfront development along Bayou Lafourche as specified in the Congressional Record of November 18, 2005 in the amount of \$495,000;

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Lafourche Parish Council, convened in Regular Session on \_\_\_\_\_, that:

SECTION 1. A supplemental appropriation to increase the 2006 Operations and Maintenance Budget is hereby approved as follows:

Part I–2006 Operations and Maintenance Budget

FUND 001 GENERAL FUND

1. An increase in INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE in the amount of \$495,000
2. An increase in TRANSFERS OUT–CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND in the amount of \$495,000

SECTION 2. A supplemental appropriation to increase the 2006 Capital Budget is hereby approved as follows:

FUND 299 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

1. An increase in TRANSFERS IN in the amount of \$495,000
2. An increase in PROFESSIONAL SERVICES in the amount of \$99,000
3. An increase in CAPITAL OUTLAY–OTHER IMPROVEMENTS in the amount of \$396,000

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SECTION 3. If any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect other provisions, items of this ordinance which can be given affect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared severable.

SECTION 4. All Ordinance or parts of Ordinances by the Lafourche Parish Council conflicting with or inconsistent with the provisions of these regulations are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall be published in the Official Journal of the Lafourche Parish Council in the manner provided by law.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance, having been submitted in writing, having been read and adopted by sections at a public meeting of said council, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole, the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

NOT VOTING:

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall become effective on the tenth day after final publication.

BRENT CALLAIS, CHAIRMAN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

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**Delivered to the Parish President on**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2006, at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_. m.

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**VETOED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Lafourche Parish President**

**Returned to the Council Clerk on**

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\_\_\_\_\_, 2006, at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_.m.

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I, SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on \_\_\_\_\_, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS \_\_\_\_\_,  
DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

DATE PUBLISHED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE EFFECTIVE: \_\_\_\_\_

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LAFOURCHE PARISH  
 CONSOLIDATED OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET SUMMARY STATEMENT  
 FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2006

	Prior Year Actual 2004	2005 Original Budget	2005 Revised Budget	2005 Audited Totals	2006 Original Budget	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 6	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 8	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 9	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 10	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 11	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 12	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 14	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 16	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 17	2006 Increase/ Decrease Approp 19	2006 Revised Budget
<b>Fund: 299 CAPITAL PROJECT FUND</b>																
<b><u>FUND BALANCE</u></b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b><u>REVENUES</u></b>																
OTHER REVENUE		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(304,000)	0	0	0	0	0	(304,000)
INVESTMENT EARNINGS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REVENUES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(304,000)	0	0	0	0	0	(304,000)
<b><u>EXPENSES</u></b>																
CAPITAL OUTLAY		0	0	0	0	6,129,022	160,000	126,000	185,000	504,000	130,000	42,788	23,000	188,756	495,000	7,983,566
EXPENSES	0	0	0	0	0	6,129,022	160,000	126,000	185,000	504,000	130,000	42,788	23,000	188,756	495,000	7,983,566
TRANSFERS IN						(6,129,022)	(160,000)	(126,000)	(185,000)	(200,000)	(130,000)	(42,788)	(23,000)	(187,329)	(495,000)	(7,678,139)
TRANSFERS OUT																
NET CHANGE IN CURRENT REVENUES & OTHER SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES & OTHER USES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,427	0	1,427
PROJECTED FUND BALANCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,427	0	1,427

# ITEM 3

On motion by \_\_\_\_\_, and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, the following resolution was introduced and adopted:

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**  
**RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LAFOURCHE PARISH FRESH WATER DISTRICT TO PURSUE ANY AND ALL LEGAL REQUIREMENTS NEEDED TO ALLOW THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF WATER TO FLOW DOWN BAYOU LAFOURCHE.**

**WHEREAS**, the salt water intrusion in Bayou Lafourche is a serious problem; and

**WHEREAS**, the long term solution for this terrible problem is getting more fresh water from the North and blocking salt water from the South. The Golden Meadow Lock project currently under construction will provide some help in this problem, and the Bayou Lafourche Freshwater Diversion Project and the Houma Navigational Canal Lock (HNC) Project will solve the salt water problem for many years in the future; and

**WHEREAS**, the current salt water intrusion problem rises to an emergency situation which needs immediate attention where the State of Louisiana consider assisting the Bayou Lafourche Freshwater District in dredging and cleaning the upper portions of Bayou Lafourche in Ascension and Assumption Parishes. This will allow the Freshwater District to pump at maximum capacity allowing more fresh water for the Bayou at a time of high water usage (cane grinding season); and

**WHEREAS**, the Lafourche Parish Government has already applied for State Capital Outlay funding to build a second auxiliary structure in Bayou Lafourche just north of Larose. This auxiliary structure will allow Bayou Lafourche between Donaldsonville and Larose to be isolated from any salt water intrusion problems; and

**WHEREAS**, our future depends on immediate, as well as long term solutions; therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Lafourche Parish Council convened in regular session on \_\_\_\_\_, that it does hereby request the Lafourche Parish Freshwater District to pursue any and all legal requirements needed to allow the maximum amount of water to flow down Bayou Lafourche.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Lafourche Parish Fresh Water District; Lafourche Parish Legislative Delegation; and the Office of the Parish Administrator.

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

**YEAS:**

**NAYS:**

**ABSENT:**

And the resolution was declared adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

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**BRENT CALLAIS, CHAIRMAN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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**SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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I, SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on \_\_\_\_\_, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS \_\_\_\_\_, DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

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**SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

# ITEM 4

On motion by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, the following resolution was introduced and adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

### **RESOLUTION REQUESTING AN OPINION FROM THE LAFOURCHE PARISH DISTRICT ATTORNEY TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT THE PARISH CAN INSTALL STREET LIGHTS ALONG RAPHAEL PROJECT ROAD.**

**WHEREAS**, it is the duty upon oath that the Governing Authority and State Officials to address concerns dealing with the general health, safety and welfare of the citizens and said resolution satisfies this criteria; and

**WHEREAS**, Raphael Project Road located in Galliano is a gravel road; and

**WHEREAS**, the parish currently grades and maintains said road; and

**WHEREAS**, at the end of Raphael Project Road, the South Lafourche Levee District has a pumping station and the lack of lighting along the road is a concern; and

**WHEREAS**, lighting along said road would enhance safety for the South Lafourche Levee District employees when traveling to the pumping station; therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Lafourche Parish Council convened in regular session on \_\_\_\_\_, that it does hereby request an opinion from the Lafourche Parish District Attorney to determine whether or not the parish can install street lights along Raphael Project Road for safety reasons.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Lafourche Parish District Attorney; Lafourche Parish Department of Public Works; and the Office of the Parish Administrator.

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

**YEAS:**

**NAYS:**

**ABSENT:**

And the resolution was declared adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

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**BRENT CALLAIS, CHAIRMAN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

# ITEM 4

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**SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK**  
**LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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I, SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on \_\_\_\_\_, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS \_\_\_\_\_, DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2006.

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SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL

# ITEM 5

On motion by Mr. \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Mr. \_\_\_\_\_, the following resolution was introduced and adopted:

## RESOLUTION NO. 06-

### **RESOLUTION CERTIFYING TO THE LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT THAT THEY HAVE AND WILL CONTINUE TO COMPLY WITH ALL FHWA/DOTD REQUIREMENTS REGARDING PERFORMANCE OF INTERIM INSPECTIONS, CALCULATING THE LOAD CARRYING CAPACITY AND LOAD POSTING DEFICIENT BRIDGES UNDER THEIR JURISDICTION FOR 2006.**

**WHEREAS**, the Code of Federal Regulations as enacted by the United States Congress mandates that all structures defined as bridges located on all public roads shall be inspected, rated for safe load capacity and posted in accordance with the National Bridge Inspection Standards and that an inventory of these bridges be maintained by each State; and

**WHEREAS**, the responsibility to inspect, rate and load post those bridges under the authority of Lafourche Parish in accordance with those Standards is delegated by the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development to Lafourche Parish;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the governing authority of Lafourche Parish that the Lafourche Parish Council, convened in regular session on November 14, 2006, does hereby certify to the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development that they have and will continue to comply with all FHWA/DOTD requirements regarding performance of interim inspections, calculating the load carrying capacity and load posting deficient bridges under their jurisdiction for 2006.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, Attn: Mr. Fred Wetekamn, III, District Maintenance Engineer, P. O. Box 9180, Bridge City, Louisiana 70096-9180; Lafourche Parish Department of Public Works; and the Office of the Parish Administrator.

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

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

And the resolution was declared adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

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**BRENT CALLAIS, CHAIRMAN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

# ITEM 5

**SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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I, SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 06-\_\_\_\_\_ adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on November 14, 2006, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS \_\_\_\_, DAY OF \_\_\_\_  
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SHEILA B. BOUDREAUX, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL