

On motion by Jerry LaFont, seconded by Joe Fertitta, the following resolution was introduced and adopted;

**RESOLUTION NO. 14-052**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE LOW QUOTE OF DUHON MACHINERY FOR THE PURCHASE OF A BUSH HOG AND APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF A BOBCAT COMPACT EXCAVATOR THROUGH STATE CONTRACT FROM FUNDING PROVIDED BY LAFOURCHE PARISH DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 1 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$49,092.00 AND AUTHORIZING THE PARISH PRESIDENT TO SIGN, EXECUTE AND ADMINISTER ANY AND ALL RELEVANT DOCUMENTS.**

**WHEREAS**, Lafourche Parish Drainage District No. 1 has agreed to provide funding in the amount of \$49,092.00 to Lafourche Parish Government for the purchase of a Bobcat Compact Excavator and Bush Hog to be used exclusively within Drainage District No. 1; and

**WHEREAS**, the department of Public Works is in need of a Bobcat Compact Excavator and Bush Hog; and

**WHEREAS**, three low quotes were received on January 22, 2014 for a Bush Hog as follows:

Duhon Machinery	\$ 4,500.00
Wilson Marsh Equipment	\$ 4,850.00
Grand Rental Station Houma	\$ 4,950.00

**WHEREAS**, the low quote is from Duhon Machinery in the amount of \$4,500.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Bobcat Compact Excavator will be purchased from Duhon Machinery, a Bobcat Dealer, State Contract# 409612, T# 92699, with a purchase price of \$44,592.00; and

**WHEREAS**, this resolution was sponsored for Administration by Mr. Jerry LaFont, Councilman, District 8; and

**WHEREAS**, it is recommended by the Administration of the Lafourche Parish Government that the Council approve the low quote of Duhon Machinery for the purchase of a Bush Hog and approve the purchase of a Bobcat Compact Excavator through State Contract from funding provided by Lafourche Parish Drainage District No. 1 in the amount of \$49,092.00 and authorizing the Parish President to sign, execute and administer any and all relevant documents.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Lafourche Parish Council convened in regular session on February 25, 2014, and does hereby approve the low quote of Duhon Machinery for the purchase of a Bush Hog and approve the purchase of a Bobcat Compact Excavator through State Contract from funding provided by Lafourche Parish Drainage District No. 1 in the amount of \$49,092.00 and authorizing the Parish President to sign, execute and administer any and all relevant documents.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to Lafourche Parish Drainage District No. 1, Attn: Albert Guidry, P.O. Box 338, Larose, LA 70373 Lafourche Parish Government Department of Public Works, Department of Finance, and the Office of the Parish Administrator.

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

<b>YEAS:</b>	Mr. Michael Delatte	Mr. Lindel Toups
	Mr. Aaron Caillouet	Mr. Jerry LaFont
	Mr. Joseph "Joe" Fertitta	Mr. Daniel Lorraine

**NAYS:** None

**ABSENT:** Mr. Jerry Jones  
Mr. John Arnold  
Mr. Phillip Gouaux

And the resolution was declared adopted this 25th day of February, 2014.

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**DANIEL LORRAINE, CHAIRMAN  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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**CARLEEN B. BABIN, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

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I, CARLEEN B. BABIN, Council Clerk for the Lafourche Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 14-052, adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on February 25, 2014, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2014.

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**CARLEEN B. BABIN, COUNCIL CLERK  
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**