

On motion by Michael Delatte, seconded by Jerry Jones, the following resolution was introduced and adopted;

RESOLUTION NO. 14-062

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE LOW QUOTE OF EVANGELINE SPECIALTIES, INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$16,947.96 FOR THE PURCHASE OF ROADWAY DEPARTURE SIGNING FOR ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS ON CHOCTAW ROAD IN LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA AND AUTHORIZING THE PARISH PRESIDENT TO SIGN, EXECUTE AND ADMINISTER ANY AND ALL RELEVANT DOCUMENTS.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) and the Parish previously entered into a formal agreement, approved by Resolution No. 13-333 and dated October 25, 2013, to purchase and install regulatory signs, warning signs and flashing solar beacons along Choctaw Road in Lafourche Parish; and

WHEREAS, the costs of this project will be a joint participation between the Parish and the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT), with the USDOT contributing through the DOTD 100% of the purchase costs of materials and the Parish contributing 100% of the installation costs and the USDOT will provide a maximum amount of \$13,000 using Highway Safety Transfer funds; and

WHEREAS, Amendment No. 1 to said agreement was approved by Council on February 11, 2014 by Resolution No. 14-027 in which said funds have been increased from \$13,000 to \$18,000 and now reads that “the USDOT will provide a maximum amount of \$18,000 using Highway Safety Transfer funds.”; and

WHEREAS, the Parish will procure and install the regulatory signs, warning signs, and flashing solar beacons; and

WHEREAS, the quotes received for the materials are as follows:

<i>Evangeline Specialties, Inc.</i>	\$16,947.96
<i>Signs R Us</i>	<i>No quote</i>
<i>Vulcan Signs*</i>	\$7,869.75

(*This is only a partial quote as they do not have all the materials needed)

WHEREAS, the lowest quote for all material cost was from Evangeline Specialties, Inc. in the amount of \$16,947.96; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution was sponsored for Administration by Mr. Michael Delatte, Councilman, District 2; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended by the Administration of the Lafourche Parish Government that the Council does hereby accept the low quote of Evangeline Specialties, Inc. in the amount of

\$16,947.96 for the purchase of Roadway Departure Signing for Road Safety Improvements on Choctaw Road in Lafourche Parish, Louisiana 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 March 11, 2014, and does hereby accept the low quote of Evangeline Specialties, Inc. in the amount of \$16,947.96 for the purchase of Roadway Departure Signing for Road Safety Improvements on Choctaw Road in Lafourche Parish, Louisiana 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 State of Louisiana DOTD (Attn: Alan A. Dale), P.O. Box 94245, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9245, the 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:

YEAS: Mr. Jerry Jones
Mr. Michael Delatte
Mr. Aaron Caillouet
Mr. Joseph "Joe" Fertitta
Mr. John Arnold
Mr. Lindel Toups
Mr. Jerry LaFont
Mr. Daniel Lorraine

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Mr. Phillip Gouaux

And the resolution was declared adopted this 11th day of March, 2014.

**DANIEL LORRAINE, CHAIRMAN
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL**

**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. 14-062, adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on March 11, 2014, at which meeting a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 13TH DAY OF MARCH, 2014.

CARLEEN B. BABIN, COUNCIL CLERK
LAFOURCHE PARISH COUNCIL