

RAPIDES PARISH POLICE JURY

SPECIAL SESSION

July 1, 2002

The Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, met in Special Session at its regular meeting place, the Police Jury Room of the Parish Courthouse, 701 Murray Street, Alexandria, Louisiana, on Monday, July 1, 2002, at 2:00 p.m. (Central Standard Time), pursuant to the provisions of a written notice given to each and every member thereof and duly posted in the manner required by law, viz:

Alexandria, Louisiana

June 25, 2002

NOTICE OF SPECIAL POLICE JURY MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special meeting of the Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, has been ordered and called and will be held at its regular meeting place, the Police Jury Room of the Parish Courthouse, Alexandria, Louisiana, on Monday, July 1, 2002 at 2:00 p.m. for the following purposes to-wit:

1. To call a special election to fill the vacancy for the office of Police Juror, District D, and to appoint a resident elector of District D to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. Myron K. Lawson to serve until the successor is elected and takes office.
2. Discuss no wake zones on Ox Bow Lake.
3. Appoint Gene Thornhill as Courthouse Building Superintendent.
4. Ask Civil Service to begin search to fill position of Courthouse Maintenance Technician I.
5. Send letters of appreciation to applicants for Courthouse Building Superintendent.
6. Sheriff William Earl Hilton to address the Police Jury.
7. Any other business that may properly come before the Police Jury.

BY ORDER OF THE PRESIDENT

Angie Richmond, Secretary

There were present: Honorable Joe Fuller, Joe Fuller, Vice President and President Pro Tem; and Police Jurors Steve Bordelon, Ezra Reed, Theodore Fountaine Jr., Donald H. Wilmore, Richard L. Nunnally, Richard W. Billings and Scott Perry Jr.

Absent was Davron "Bubba" Moreau.

Also present were Mr. Tim Ware, Treasurer; Mr. Cecil Raggio, Public Works Director; Mr. Eric Duck, Public Works Director; Mr. Joey Vercher, Assistant Sales and Use Tax Director; Mrs. Jan Haworth, Office of Economic and Workforce Development Executive Director; Mr. Felix Mouton, WIA Operations Director; Chief David Peart, Fire District 2; Ms. Candace Saucier, Civil Service Director; Mr. Tom Wells, Legal Counsel; and Ms. Angie Richmond, Secretary.

The invocation was given by Mr. Ezra Reed.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Richard Billings.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, was duly convened as the governing authority of said Parish by Hon. Joe Fuller, President Pro Tem, who welcomed all present and then stated that the Police Jury was ready for the transaction of business, as advertised.

On motion by Mr. Steve Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Scott Perry, Mr. Richard Billings and all other Police Jurors, the following proclamation was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the Office of Police Juror, District D, Rapides Parish, Louisiana, as a result of the resignation of Mr. Myron K. Lawson on June 24, 2002; and,

WHEREAS, Mr. Myron K. Lawson was re-elected for a four year term beginning with the second Monday, January, 2000; and,

WHEREAS, more than one year remains to be served in the unexpired term which will expire on the second Monday in January 2004;

WHEREAS, the vacancy thus created must be filled by the remaining members of the Rapides Parish Police

Jury,

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority contained in R.S. 18:602 E (2)(a), BE IT RESOLVED by the Rapides Parish Police Jury that a Special Election is hereby called to fill the vacancy for the Office of Police Juror, District D, Rapides Parish, Louisiana; the primary election shall be on October 5, 2002, and the general election shall be on November 5, 2002, and the qualifying period for candidates shall begin on August 21, 2002, and end on August 23, 2002, at 5:00 p.m. by the authority contained in R.S. 18:467(2) and 18:468; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by virtue of the authority contained in R.S. 18:602 A, that Mr. Theodore Fountaine, Jr., a resident elector of District D, be appointed to fill the vacancy until the successor is elected and takes office; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Secretary of State in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and the Clerk of Court of Rapides Parish, in order that the commission may be issued and to proceed with the special election to fill such vacancy.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED this 1st day of July, 2002.

(Police Juror Richard Nunnally entered at this time.)

The Honorable George C. Metoyer, Judge, Ninth Judicial District Court administered the oath of office.

Motion by Mr. Richard Billings to appoint Mr. Gene Thornhill as Courthouse Building Superintendent.

On substitute motion by Mr. Steve Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Don Wilmore, to appoint Mr. Robert Barr as Courthouse Building Superintendent.

On vote the motion carried. Mr. Joe Fuller and Mr. Richard Billings objected.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Don Wilmore, to request the Civil Service Director to begin the search to fill the position of Courthouse Maintenance Technician I. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Don Wilmore, to send out letters of appreciation for those who applied, but not chosen, for the position of Courthouse Building Superintendent. On vote the motion carried.

Sheriff William Earl Hilton advised the Police Jury of his intention to pass a 1/2% sales tax, to upgrade his department, give his employees a decent salary, and meet the demands of law enforcement and public safety. He spoke in greater detail of each subject and agreed to provide the Police Jury with a fact sheet on the proposal when released.

The President presented Mr. Myron K. Lawson a plaque for appreciation of his service to Rapides Parish as Police Juror, representing District D.

After unanimous vote the following items were placed on the agenda:

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Don Wilmore, to authorize the President to sign the letter of commitment/grant award with the Louisiana Division of Administration and related documents in the amount of \$39,000 for the Bayou Roberts Project, elimination of bayou vegetation and related matters from the pumping station north to US 71, from Louisiana Office of Rural Development Funds, and ratify authorization for the President to sign the grant application.

Amendment by Mr. Don Wilmore to rescind that certain motion adopted by the Police Jury on December 13, 1994 establishing an annual draw down of Bayou Roberts to facilitate control of vegetation.

The amendment was accepted into the original motion.

On vote the motion as amended carried.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fountaine and Mr. Don Wilmore, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE LA DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FY 2002 LCDBG KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR.

WHEREAS, the Rapides Parish Police Jury had authorized the submission of a LCDBG application to construct sewer system improvements in a portion of the Kelleyland Subdivision; and,

WHEREAS, the State of Louisiana, Division of Administration, has awarded the Parish an LCDBG economic development grant in the amount of \$994,170.00 based upon the contents of the application; and,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury that Mr. Davron "Bubba" Moreau, President, is hereby authorized to execute the contract for the project with the State of Louisiana, Division of Administration, for the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fontaine and Mr. Don Wilmore, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, it is necessary under the Financial Management regulations of the LCDBG program to authorize certain individuals to sign for draw downs for request for payments and to authorize one certain individual to certify the correctness of each signature; and,

WHEREAS, it is further necessary under the Financial Management regulations of the LCDBG program to designate an official depository to hold LCDBG funds;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury as legal authorized recipient of the LCDBG funds, in regular session convened, that Mr. Tim Ware, Mr. Bruce Kelly, Ms. Paula Bounds and Ms. Angie Richmond are hereby authorized to sign "Authorized Signature Card for Request for Payment", and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mr. Davron "Bubba" Moreau, President, shall certify to the correctness of the signatures; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Bank One is hereby designated as the official depository for direct deposit of grant funds for the FY 2002 Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Mr. Davron "Bubba" Moreau, President is hereby authorized to sign the Designation of Depository Cards.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fontaine and Mr. Don Wilmore, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO SET A REQUISITION OF FUNDS POLICY, INCLUDING ORDER OF INVOICE APPROVAL, FOR THE FY 2002 LCDBG KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR

WHEREAS, the State requires adequate financial management control over LCDBG funds. The establishment of a Requisition of Funds policy is a vital tool to such control.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury that all invoices for work performed or materials used in relation to the LCDBG Program, prior to payment, must have attached a signed pre-printed project requisition form. The form and invoice shall be approved in the following order:

- (1) Approval by Project Administrator for budget control.
- (2) Approval by Treasurer.
- (3) Approval by Chief Executive Officer (President).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Mr. Davron "Bubba" Moreau and Mr. Tim Ware are hereby authorized to sign checks written on the LCDBG account for the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Richard Billings, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO APPOINT MRS. JAN HAWORTH AS EEO OFFICER FOR THE LIFE OF THE PROJECT OF THE FY 2002 LCDBG KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR.

WHEREAS, Equal Opportunity regulations of the LCDBG program require the appointment by the recipient of an Equal Opportunity Officer (EEO Officer) to have the responsibility for maintaining all pertinent EEO files, submitting on a timely basis all reports, answer all related correspondence and monitor all EEO areas;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury that Mrs. Jan Haworth is hereby appointed as EEO Officer for the life of the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant and as such is charged to faithfully execute all duties and responsibilities herein described.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fontaine, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A PROCUREMENT PROCEDURE FOR THE FY 2002 LCDBG KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR.

WHEREAS, the State requires the establishment of uniform procedures in compliance with OMB Circular A-102.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury that the policy entitled "Procurement Procedures", as on file in the Police Jury Office, is hereby adopted for the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant, as recommended by the Consultant Administrator.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fontaine, the following resolution was

presented, to adopt a resolution establishing a Complaint Procedure for the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Program Grant, as recommended by the Consultant Administrator, and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A COMPLAINT PROCEDURE FOR THE FY 2002 LCDBG KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR.

WHEREAS, the State requires Grantees to establish procedures to deal with citizen inquiries and complaints;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury, that the Rapides Parish Police Jury hereby adopts the Complaint Procedures.

CITIZEN COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

SECTION 1

It is the policy of the Rapides Parish Police Jury to review all complaints received by the Rapides Parish Police Jury.

SECTION 2

The following procedures will be followed by all complaints received by the Rapides Parish Police Jury:

1. The complainant shall notify the Secretary of the complaint. The initial complaint may be expressed orally or by written correspondence.
2. The Secretary will notify the Rapides Parish Police Jury or designated representative of the complaint within 10 working days.
3. The Police Jury or designated representative will investigate the complaint and will report the findings to the Secretary within 10 working days.
4. The Secretary will notify the complainant of the findings of the Police Jury or designated representative in writing or by telephone within 30 working days.
5. If the complainant is aggrieved by the decision, he must forward the complaint in writing (if previously submitted orally) to the Secretary who will forward the complaint along with actions taken by the Police Jury or designated representative to the appropriate jury committee for their review. This will be accomplished within 10 working days of receipt of the written complaint.
6. The reviewing jury committee will have 30 working days to review the complaint and forward their decision to the complainant in writing.
7. If the complainant is aggrieved with the decision of the Committee, he must notify the Secretary in writing that he desires to be afforded a hearing by the Rapides Parish Police Jury. The complainant will be placed on the next regularly scheduled Police Jury meeting agenda. The Secretary will notify the complainant in writing of the date of the hearing.
8. The complainant must bring all relevant data, witnesses, etc., to the hearing. The Rapides Parish Police Jury, at the hearing, will review the complaint and forward within 30 days a certified copy of the minutes of the meeting at which the hearing was conducted and a decision was rendered. If a decision is not reached at the hearing, the Rapides Parish Police Jury will inform complainant of an appropriate date to expect a response. Within 10 working days of reaching a decision, the complainant will be notified in writing of the decision.

Complaints concerning the general administration of the LCDBG Program may be submitted in writing directly to the:

Division of Administration
Community Development Section
P. O. Box 94095
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9095

SECTION 3

All citizen complaints relative to Fair Housing/Equal Opportunity Violations Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended alleging discrimination shall be forwarded for disposition to the:

Department of Housing and Urban Development
Regional Office
Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity Division
P. O. Box 2905
Fort Worth, Texas 76113-2905

The complainant will be notified in writing within 10 days that, due to the nature of the complaint, it has been forwarded to HUD for resolution.

or

Complainant may contact the HYD FH/EO Division directly at the Toll Free Telephone # 1-800-669-9777 or TTD # 1-800-927-9275.

SECTION 4

The Secretary will maintain a file for the purpose of keeping reports of complaints.

SECTION 5

The policy does not invalidate nor supersede the personnel or other policies of the Rapides Parish Police Jury which are currently adopted, but is intended to serve as a guide for complaints.

SECTION 6

This policy may be amended by a majority vote at any of the Police Jury's regularly scheduled meetings.

ADOPTION

This Citizen Complaint Procedure is hereby adopted by the Rapides Parish Police Jury, in regular session on this the 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fontaine, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO APPOINT MRS. JAN HAWORTH AS SECTION 504 COMPLIANCE OFFICER FOR THE FY 2002 LCDBG KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT AND AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF THE SECTION 504 ASSURANCE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR.

WHEREAS, the State requires Grantees to designate a responsible person to coordinate the Parish's efforts to comply with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Mrs. Jan Haworth is reappointed as Section 504 Compliance Officer for the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President is authorized to sign the Section 504 Assurance that all activities of this grant will be operated in compliance with requirements of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fontaine, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A RESIDENTIAL ANTIDISPLACEMENT AND RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PLAN, APPOINTING MRS. JAN HAWORTH AS THE ANTIDISPLACEMENT OFFICER, FOR THE FY 2002 LOUISIANA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AND AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF THE CERTIFICATION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR

WHEREAS, the Rapides Parish Police Jury has received approval of a Louisiana Community Development Block Grant Program for fiscal year 2002; and,

WHEREAS, the LCDBG Program requires that all grant recipients adopt by resolution a Residential Antidisplacement and Relocation Assistance Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rapides Parish Police Jury adopts the Residential Antidisplacement and Relocation Assistance Plan.

RESIDENTIAL ANTIDISPLACEMENT AND RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PLAN UNDER SECTION 104(d) OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974, AS AMENDED

The Rapides Parish Police Jury will replace all occupied and vacant occupiable low/moderate income dwelling units demolished or converted to a use other than as low/moderate-income housing as a direct result of activities assisted with funds provided under the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended as described in 24 CFR 570.606(b)(1). The Police Jury's Antidisplacement Officer is Jan Haworth who can be reached at (318) 448-1591.

All replacement housing will be provided within three years of the commencement of the demolition or rehabilitation relating to conversion. Before obligating or expending funds that will directly result in such demolition or conversion, the Police Jury will notify the public and submit to the Division of Administration the following information in writing:

1. A description of the proposed assisted activity;
2. The general location on a map and approximate number of dwelling units by size (number of bedrooms) that will be demolished or converted to a use other than low/moderate-income dwelling units as a direct result of the assisted activity;
3. A time schedule for the commencement and completion of the demolition or conversion;
4. The general location on a map and approximate number of dwelling units by size (number of bedrooms) that will be provided as replacement dwelling units;
5. The source of funding and a time schedule for the provision of replacement dwelling units; and
6. The basis for concluding that each replacement dwelling unit will remain in a low/moderate-income unit for at least ten years from the date of initial occupancy.

The Rapides Parish Police Jury will provide relocation assistance, as described in 570.606(b)(2), to each low/moderate-income household displaced by the demolition of housing or by the conversion of a low/moderate-income household displaced by the demolition of housing or by the conversion of a low/moderate-income dwelling to another use as a direct result of assisted activities.

Consistent with the goals and objectives of activities assisted under the Act, the Rapides Parish Police Jury will take the following steps to minimize the displacement of persons from their homes:

1. All public facilities projects (water, sewer, gas, etc.) will be designed so that there will be no displacement of any residences or businesses;
2. No homes will be demolished that can be rehabilitated;
3. There will be no displacement of any residential or business occupants on LCDBG projects.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President and the Secretary are hereby authorized to sign the Residential Antidisplacement and Relocation Assistance Certification.

THUS DONE this 1st day of July, 2002, in legal session of the Rapides Parish Police Jury, Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana.

On motion by Mr. Scott Perry, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fountaine, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO EXECUTE AN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES CONTRACT WITH FRYE/MAGEE AND ASSOCIATES, INC. AND AN ENGINEERING SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH MEYER, MEYER, HIXSON AND LACROIX ON THE FY 2002 KELLEYLAND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT ADMINISTRATOR

WHEREAS, the Rapides Parish Police Jury on October 8 and November 13, 2001, after reviewing administrative consultants' qualification statements and architects' qualification statements, respectively, selected Frye/Magee and Associates, Inc. as the administrative consultant and Meyer, Meyer, Hixson and LaCroix as the project engineer on the FY 2002 LCDBG Kelleyland Sewer System Improvements Grant;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury that Mr. Davron "Bubba" Moreau, President, is authorized to execute an Administrative Services Contract with Frye/Magee and Associates, Inc. and an Engineering Services Agreement with Meyer, Meyer, Hixson and LaCroix on the above related project subject to Police Jury's attorney review.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Scott Perry, to approve hiring substitute teachers as needed for the FINDWork GED program. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Scott Perry, to hire a full-time temporary Accountant for the Office of Economic and Workforce Development. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fountaine, to authorize the Purchasing Agent to advertise for the procurement of upgrade of MIP system for OEWD accounting. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fountaine, Mr. Don Wilmore, Mr. Ezra Reed and all other Police Jurors, that the Rapides Parish Police Jury does hereby support the Pledge of Allegiance and urges our Congressional and Legislative Delegations to protect the continued recitation by the citizens of the United States. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Ezra Reed, to request Civil Service to advertise to fill the vacant positions of Job Developer and Counselor, as requested by the Workforce Operations Department Director. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Ezra Reed, to request Civil Service to advertise to fill the vacant position of Career Center Information Clerk, as requested by the Workforce Operations Department Director. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Steve Bordelon, seconded by Mr. Richard Billings, to declare Friday, July 5, 2002 as a Parish holiday, in conjunction with the proclamation of a State holiday by Governor Mike Foster. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Ezra Reed, to authorize to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor with KAYT 88.1 radio station for the advertisement of "Livin' it up on the Levee" Labor Day Festival in an amount not to exceed \$10,000, to be paid out of District F Economic Development Fund. On vote the motion carried.

On motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Theodore Fountaine and all other Police Jurors, the following resolution was presented and on vote unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Rapides Parish Police Jury and its Office of Economic and Workforce Development has received School-to-Work program funds for the past five years; and,

WHEREAS, the School-to-Work funds have enabled students throughout Rapides Parish and adjacent

parishes to benefit from School-to-Work opportunities; and,

WHEREAS, the School-to-Work program funds ended June 30, 2002;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rapides Parish Police Jury does hereby express its wholehearted appreciation to Ms. Chris Weaver and staff, Governor's Office of Lifelong Learning, for the opportunity Rapides Parish has had for the past five years for the benefits of our citizens under the School-to-Work Program,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this expression of appreciation also be sent to our Louisiana Legislative Delegation and Ms. Dawn Martin, Secretary of the Department of Labor.

THUS PASSED AND APPROVED on this 1st day of July, 2002.

There being no further business, the meeting was declared adjourned at 2:38 p.m.

Angie Richmond, Secretary Joe Fuller, President Pro Tem
Rapides Parish Police Jury Rapides Parish Police Jury