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Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government  
**EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER**  
*Executive Order to Suspend  
Small Wireless Facilities Permit Applications Process  
(Coronavirus 2020 & Hurricane Laura)*

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*Emergency Operations Center Contact: Earl Eues, Director of Terrebonne Parish OHS/EP*

**BY ORDER OF THE OFFICE OF THE PARISH PRESIDENT OF TERREBONNE:**

**WHEREAS**, The Louisiana Homeland Security and Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act, La. R.S. 29:721, *et seq.*, confers upon the Parish President of Terrebonne Parish certain powers to deal with public disasters and emergencies, including “a natural event . . . which causes loss of life [or] injury” in order to ensure that preparations of this parish will be adequate to deal with such emergencies or disasters and to preserve the health and lives of the people of Terrebonne Parish;

**WHEREAS**, on March 12, 2020, the Parish President declared a parish wide public emergency under Louisiana Revised Statute 29:727 due to the onset of the spread of the novel coronavirus in the state of Louisiana; and

**WHEREAS**, since March 25, 2020, the Terrebonne Parish Council has conducted business via teleconference or video conference as authorized by Governor Edwards’s Proclamation Number 30-JBE-2020”; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governor’s Office has developed a plan to slowly reopen non-essential businesses and activities in Louisiana, which is currently in Phase 2; and

**WHEREAS**, some local government offices and their support staff remain closed to visitors, and the Terrebonne Parish Council is currently developing a strategy to resume public meetings where the public may attend and participate while mitigating the chances of COVID-19 infection; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parish President signed on March 25, 2020 and recorded on March 26, 2020 at Terrebonne Parish COB Entry No. 1600842, an executive order to suspend the ordinances under Chapter 6, Article VI of the Terrebonne Parish Code for 45 days to provide sufficient time to focus on and thoroughly complete the review process of proposed amendments of the Article during this coronavirus emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, the Parish President signed on April 20, 2020 (COB Entry No. 1601675) and on June 23, 2020 (COB Entry No. 1605004) consecutive executive orders to extend the suspension of Chapter 6, Article VI of the Terrebonne Parish Code, due to resources remaining focused on the COVID-19 emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, in the interim, the Parish administration made further revisions to the proposed ordinance, considering the comments made by AT&T representatives, and introduced the revised ordinance for a public hearing before the Terrebonne Parish Council on August 26, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 21, 2020, in light of the immediate threats to life and property from Tropical Depression 14 and Tropical Storm Laura, the Parish President signed dual emergency declarations (Terrebonne Parish COB Entry Nos. 1609114 and 1609115); and

**WHEREAS**, Tropical Depression 14 and Tropical Storm Laura were upgraded in the following days to Tropical Storm Marco and Hurricane Laura, prompting the Terrebonne Parish Council to postpone the meeting scheduled for August 26, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the last declaration suspending the small cell wireless ordinance expires August 31, 2020, and the Terrebonne Parish Council did not have the opportunity to vote on the proposed amendments to the ordinance before the suspension; and


**WHEREAS**, the issue is scheduled to be heard before the Terrebonne Parish Council on September 2, 2020, and the TPCG wishes to continue the suspension on the small cell wireless ordinance until September 30, 2020 to allow the Terrebonne Parish Council sufficient time to hold a public hearing and vote on the proposed ordinance amendments; and

**WHEREAS**, as authorized by Louisiana Revised Statute 29:727 and Terrebonne Parish Code Section 7-5(c), the Parish President believes that it to be in the best interest of the public to order an extension, until September 30, 2020, from accepting applications for the installation and modification of any small cell wireless facility within Terrebonne Parish and the suspension of the permitting process for small cell wireless facilities in Chapter 6, Article VI of the Parish Code of Ordinances to allow the Terrebonne Parish Council to hold a public hearing and discuss the proposed amendments to the small wireless facilities ordinance before holding a vote, and to allow the public an opportunity to participate in meaningful discussions on the proposed amendments; and

**NOW THEREFORE, I, GORDON E. DOVE**, President of the Parish of Terrebonne in the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the authority vested by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby order and direct as follows:

- Section 1:** The effect of executive order issued March 25, 2020 and recorded March 26, 2020 at Terrebonne Parish COB 2600, page 741, Entry No. 1600842, which was extended by executive orders issued April 20, 2020, and June 23, 2020, shall be and is hereby extended until and through September 30, 2020.
- Section 2:** The Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government shall refrain from accepting applications for the installation and modification of any small cell wireless facility within Terrebonne Parish and the application and permitting process for small cell wireless facilities in Chapter 6, Article VI of the Parish Code of Ordinances shall be and is hereby suspended until and through September 30, 2020.
- Section 3:** The ordinances under Chapter 6, Article VI of the Terrebonne Parish Code are hereby suspended until and through September 30, 2020, because the Article is currently under review for possible revisions and there is insufficient time to complete the review process in light of the coronavirus emergency.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have set my hand  
Officially at the Parish of Terrebonne, in the City of  
Houma, on this 31 day of August 2020 at 5:02  
p.m.

  
**Gordon E. Dove**  
**Parish President**

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