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TERREBONNE PARISH CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT

MEETING NOTICE: Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee

Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023
Time: 5:00 PM
Place: Terrebonne Parish, Council Meeting Room
2nd Floor, Government Tower
[8026 Main Street, Houma, LA]

COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT & RESTORATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Mickey Thomas, Chairman
Bobby Barthel
Jeff DeBlieux
Barry Soudelier
(Vacant)

Ernest Babin, Jr., Vice-Chairman
Matt Benoit
Jan Rogers
(Vacant)

Mart J. Black, Director
Coastal Restoration and Preservation

AGENDA

1. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll Call
3. Approve Minutes of July 11, 2023.
4. New Business: Permit Applications:
 - a. Local Concerns-
 - **American Towers LLC**; Proposed New 305-foot tower adjacent to existing tower & removal of old tower. In addition, regarding/re-graveling access easement & 20ftx30ft gravel turnaround; Section 71, T20S-R18E; Terrebonne Parish. **P20230267** was issued after Mitigation was paid on August 3, 2023.
 - **Low Land Construction Co., Inc.**; Proposed Excavate Borrow Material needed for Levee Construction; T17S-R19E; Terrebonne Parish. **P20230478**
 - **Harry Bourg Corporation**; Proposed Excavate Borrow Material needed for Levee Construction; Sections 3, 9, & 10, T20S-R16E; Terrebonne Parish. **P20230528**
 - b. State Concerns –
 - **Castex Energy, Inc**; Proposed Prop-washing Along Existing Access Route previously permitted under CUP P20170412 - Approx 47,842 c.y. of Material to be Displaced by Prop-washing to Access the LL&E No. 01 Well in King Lake Field; Sections 22, 26, 27, T20S-R14E; Terrebonne Parish. **P20230533**
 - c. Consistency Determinations- None
5. Sub-Committee Reports:

Project Sub-Committee did not meet in July & August 2023.

Next Meeting: TBA
6. Discussion of Restoration Projects / Director's Report
7. Public Comment
8. Committee Member Comments
9. Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 5:00pm Terrebonne Parish Council Meeting Room, 2nd Floor of Government Towers.
10. Adjourn

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**COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT & RESTORATION
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES
OF
July 11, 2023**

1. Chairman Mickey Thomas called the regular meeting of the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee to order at 5:00p.m. Tuesday, July 11, 2023, in the Council Meeting Room, 2nd Floor, Government Tower. Mr. Thomas led the Invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance.
2. Upon roll call, present were Ernie Babin, Bobby Barthel, Jeff DeBlieux, Jan Rogers, Barry Soudelier, and Mickey Thomas. Absent: Matt Benoit, but two vacancies. Also present was Mr. Mart Black, Director of the Terrebonne Parish Office of Coastal Restoration and Preservation.
3. Mr. Soudelier moved, seconded by Mr. Rogers: "THAT the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee **accepts** the minutes for the meeting of June 6, 2023." *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED.*

4. New Business:

Local Concern Applications: -

- The Chairman called to order the local concern application for **American Towers LLC**; Proposed New 305-foot tower adjacent to existing tower & removal of old tower. In addition, regarding/re-graveling access easement & 20ftx30ft gravel turnaround; Section 71, T20S-R18E. Terrebonne Parish, LA **P20230267 – Public Notices ends – May 15, 2023 Rehearing**

Mr. Black recommends holding until next month pending payment of required mitigation for permanent impacts to 0.16 acres of brackish marsh habitat, at a cost of \$11,019.40.

Discussion was held on this permit.

Mr. Babin moved, seconded by Mr. Rogers: "THAT the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee **hold until next month** *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED*

- The Chairman called to order the local concern application for **Timothy Fanguy**; Proposed to replace property lost from storm erosion; Section 20, T19S-R20E. Terrebonne Parish, LA **P20230186 – Public Notices ends – June 25, 2023.**

Mr. Black recommends putting this application on hold until we receive the permit and payment for this application. This permit may go to enforcement.

Mr. Soudelier moved, seconded by Mr. Rogers: "THAT the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee **put on hold P20230186 submitted by Tim Fanguy until we receive the permit and payment**" *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED*

- The Chairman called to order the local concern application for **Glenn Prestenbach**; Proposed site clearance fishpond/borrow pit at 1731 Bayou Garden Blvd, Houma, LA; Section 57, T16S-R17E. Terrebonne Parish, LA **P20230459 – Public Notices ends – July 11, 2023.**

Mr. Black reviewed the application and recommended a LCUP with these conditions:

1. 100 foot buffer from the road ROW & from the property line.
2. 50 foot buffer from the pipeline as shown on the map & cannot use the pipeline ROW for access
3. Plat with access to Bayou Gardens Blvd.
4. Must Keep Road free of mud & dirt within ½ mile of access road.
5. Follow all state & local signing requirements.

Mr. Prestenbach was present to speak on the application. He will send an updated plat. Discussion was held on the application.

Mr. Soudelier moved, seconded by Mr. Rogers: "THAT the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee **approve** the issuance of a Coastal Impact Certificate and Coastal Use Permit for the P20230459 submitted by Glenn Prestenbach" *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED*

- The Chairman called to order the local concern application for **Harry Bourg Corporation**; Proposed Borrow Pit for Local Levees; Sections 10, 11, & 37, T20S-R17E. Terrebonne Parish, LA **P20230442 – Public Notices ends – July 18, 2023.**

Mr. Black reviewed the application and recommended a LCUP with these conditions:

1. Must stay within the upland area as shown on the map.
2. Provide a plat showing access points to Four Point Road & Bayou Sale Road.
3. Must Keep Road free of mud & dirt within ½ mile of access road.
4. Follow all state & local signing requirements.

Discussion was held on the application.

Mr. DeBlieux moved, seconded by Mr. Barthel: “THAT the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee **approve** the issuance of a Coastal Impact Certificate and Coastal Use Permit for P20230442 submitted by Harry Bourg corporation.” *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED*

- The Chairman called to order the local concern application for **Deryle Bourgeois**; Proposed Borrow Pit at 1168 Crochetville Road, Montegut; Sections 3 & 4, T19S-R19E. Terrebonne Parish, LA **P20230494 – Public Notices ends – July 25, 2023.**

Mr. Black reviewed the application and recommends a LCUP with these conditions:

1. Due to narrowness of Crochetville Road & aggregate paving at the location, applicant will be responsible for repairing and damage to road side drainage ditches due to heavy equipment.
2. Modify Plat – 50feet along the property line specify roadway side & property line.
3. Must Keep Road free of mud & dirt within ½ mile of access road.
4. Follow all state & local signing requirements.

Discussion was held on the application.

Mr. DeBlieux moved, seconded by Mr. Barthel: “THAT the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee **approve** the issuance of a Coastal Impact Certificate and Coastal Use Permit P20230494 submitted by Deryle Bourgeois.” *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED*

Consistency Determinations/Modifications: - None

5. Sub-Committees:

Project Sub-Committee did not meet in June 2023.

The next Project Sub-Committee Meeting: February 2024 if not before if an issue is brought forward.

6. Discussion of Restoration Project:

Elliot Jones Pump Station (TE-159). GOMESA.

- Ribbon Cutting, previously scheduled for June 29 has been postponed. No new date has been set at this time.

Island Road Marsh Creation (TE-117). NOAA Fisheries.

- The environmental documents (NEPA) have been finalized and NOAA is working through the final stages of securing construction funding from USACE to NOAA, and then a construction grant executed between NOAA and CPRA. Once the grant is awarded, partial surveys will be conducted to verify site conditions for the path forward to 100% design. Surveys should be completed by the end of 20223. Construction should get underway in 2024.

Increase Atchafalaya Flow to Terrebonne (TE-110). NFWF.

- CPRA has received and is currently reviewing the draft 30% engineering package. Contracts are soon to be executed with three local pilots for navigation simulations but is taking longer than expected. Expanded erosion and sedimentation model production runs are currently running. Results are expected in mid-July.

Bay Raccourci Marsh Creation & Ridge Restoration (TE-156). CWPPRA.

- The CWPPRA 30% design meeting for both projects was held on June 5th. Federal comments were received on June 20th. The 95% design meeting for this project and TE-166 is expected in October 2023.

Bayou Dularge Ridge and Marsh Creation (TE-170). NRDA

- Construction permit application has been submitted to the Corps and construction plans and specifications are in development with the start of construction anticipated in July 2024.
- Oyster lease acquisitions should be completed this month.

RESTORE PROJECT (Direct Component) – FTCC Coastal Restoration Workforce Development Program and Curriculum; FTCC

- Met with the new program coordinator at FTCC on July 7 to review the proposed timeline and curriculum.

PROJECTS HEADED TO BID:

**Terrebonne Basin Ridge and Marsh Creation – Bayou Terrebonne Increment (TE-139).
NRDA.**

- CPRA legal team has been working with ConocoPhillips and Apache, inching closer to some agreement on the language for the servitude agreement. Somewhat positive news.
- Land rights from Hebert Farm and Land are still pending.
- The Design Team is working to update cost estimates for the project based on the latest bids received by CPRA in light of inflation and rising costs.
- No new date has been set for bid advertisement.

RESTORE PROJECT (Direct Component) – Bayou Little Caillou Flood Risk Reduction Project (Conveyance Channel and Pump Station

- Recent reports submitted to Treasury have been approved.
- RESTORE funds not spent on this project (\$300K+) will be made available for other eligible projects for which Terrebonne may apply in the future.

IN-HOUSE COASTAL RESTORATION PROJECT—

- Bayou Terrebonne Freshwater Diversion Project (with public/private sector partners: Installation of monitor has been completed, but operational parameters are currently uncertain and may require a meeting with LDWF and TPCG to work these out.

PPL#33 PROJECT PROPOSALS SELECTED BY CWPPRA TECHNICAL COMMITTEE for PHASE 0 EVALUATION:

- Carencro Bayou Diversion (Terrebonne Parish). The federal sponsor for this project was contacted to coordinate a field trip tag-a-long with the evaluation team, but this event had already taken place.

Note: For LL&E, Ducks Unlimited has submitted a coastal use permit application (P20230250) for a project designed to restore eight breaches and approximately 10 miles of natural ridge habitat in Terrebonne Parish, adjacent to Carencro Bayou. The project will benefit the surrounding marsh by increasing the efficacy of previous restoration projects in the area by restoring freshwater flow, preventing saltwater intrusion, and maintaining appropriate water levels in the marsh.

REVISIONS TO BORROW PIT ORDINANCE

- The proposed ordinance was reviewed and favorably reported in Council committee on June 26, 2023.
- In ratifying the minutes of that Council Committee, the ordinance was formally introduced. The public hearing prior to adoption will be held at 6:30pm on Wednesday, July 12, 2023.

7. Public Comment – None

8. Committee Member Comments –

- Mr. Babin Commented on the success of Coastal Day, saying it was well attended.
- Mr. Soudelier informed the Committee that Robinson Canal Bridge will be out next week for repairs.

Mrs. Connie Bourg reported that the Robinson Canal Bridge Project will cost 7 Million Dollars to replace a non-mechanical bridge and it will be out of service for a year.

- Mr. Barthel reported the Bridge out at Company Canal.
- Mr. DeBlieux reported Lake Decade bacons are out the lights need to fixed; should have “Blinking Red Lights”.

Mr. Black said he would follow-up with TPCG Public works and the US Coast Guard.

9. Chairman Thomas stated that the next scheduled meeting of the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee would be held Tuesday, August 1, 2023, at 5:00 pm in the Terrebonne Parish Council Meeting Room located on the Second Floor of Government Tower.
10. Mr. Barthel moved, Mr. Rogers seconded: “That, there being no further business to come before the Coastal Zone Management & Restoration Advisory Committee, the meeting be adjourned at 5:31p.m.” *NO OPPOSITON, MOTION CARRIED, CHAIRMAN DECLARED MOTION ADOPTED.*

Julienne Authement – Minute Clerk