

The following ordinance was offered by Mr. Skaggs, and seconded by Mr. Benton:

**ORDINANCE NO. 4645**

An ordinance providing for the creation of Consolidated Waterworks/Sewerage District No. 2 of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, defining and describing the boundaries thereof, and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

**WHEREAS**, on May 4, 2017, in strict compliance with the provisions of Chapter 22-A, Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, this Police Jury adopted a resolution (the "Resolution") giving notice of its intention to create a Consolidated Waterworks/Sewerage District (the "Consolidated District") in the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, describing the boundaries of said Consolidated District and ordering and directing the President to give due notice of the proposed creation of said Consolidated District and providing for the hearing of any and all objections to the creation or the boundaries thereof on Wednesday, June 7, 2017, at two o'clock (2:00) p.m.; and

**WHEREAS**, notice of said intention and of the public hearing to be held in connection therewith has been duly published as required by law and as directed by the Resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, this Police Jury did, at the hour and place and on the date designated in the Resolution, meet in open and public session to hear all objections and discussions relative to the creation of said Consolidated District and the boundaries thereof; and

**WHEREAS**, no objections have been presented to the creation of said Consolidated District and the boundaries thereof, and the Police Jury is of the opinion that the creation of said Consolidated District is desired by a majority of the people affected thereby and is in the best interest of the Parish and its inhabitants;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Police Jury of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, acting as the governing authority of the Parish:

SECTION 1. That under and by virtue of the authority conferred by Chapter 22-A, Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, a Consolidated District be and the same is hereby created within the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, which Consolidated District shall be composed of territory outside the corporate limits of any municipality and shall include, comprise and

embrace all of that territory within the current boundaries of Sewerage District No. 2 of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, which boundaries are described as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south section line of Sect. 23, T 20 N, R 14 W with the Bossier/Caddo Parish Line (Point of Beginning); commence east along the south section lines of Sect's. 23 & 24, T 20 N, R 14 W and Sect. 19, T 20 N, R 13 W, to the west corporate limits of the Town of Benton; thence southerly along the west corporate limits of the Town of Benton to the south corporate limits of the Town of Benton; thence easterly along the south corporate limits of the Town of Benton to the east corporate limits of the Town of Benton; thence northerly along the east corporate limits of the Town of Benton to the intersection with La. Hwy. 162; thence easterly along La. Hwy. 162 to the intersection with La. Hwy. 157; thence southerly along La. Hwy. 157 to the southwest corner of Sect. 33, T 19 N, R 11 W; thence east along the south section lines of Sect's. 33, 34, 35 and 36, T 19 N, R 11 W to the Bossier/Webster Parish Line; thence northerly along the Bossier/Webster Parish Line to the northeast corner of Sect. 01, T 20 N, R 11 W; thence westerly along the north boundary of said Sect. 01 and a portion of Sect. 02, T 20 N, R 11 W (said north boundary of Sect. 01 and a portion of Sect. 02 being the common boundary of Bossier and Webster Parish) to the Bodcau Bayou; thence northerly along Bodcau Bayou and the common boundary of Bossier and Webster Parish to La. Hwy. 2; thence westerly along said La. Hwy. 2 to the common boundary line of Bossier and Caddo Parishes; thence southerly along the common boundary of Bossier and Caddo Parishes to the Point of Beginning, less and except any area within the corporate limits of the Town of Benton and less and except any area within the corporate limits of the Town of Plain Dealing.

SECTION 2. That the said Consolidated District hereby created shall be known and is hereby designated as "**Consolidated Waterworks/Sewerage District No. 2 of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana**", and as thus created shall constitute a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana, and as such shall have all the rights, powers and privileges granted and conferred by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Louisiana, including the authority to incur debt, to issue bonds and to levy taxes and assessments.

SECTION 3. The Police Jury of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, shall be the governing authority of the Consolidated District.

SECTION 4. That due notice of the formation and creation of the said Consolidated District hereby created shall be published in the official journal of the Parish of Bossier in accordance with law, and that the President of this Police Jury be and he is hereby instructed and ordered to issue said notice and to cause publication thereof to be made in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 22-A, Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto.

The said notice shall be published in at least one publication of the Consolidated District's official journal in substantially the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. Thirty days after such publication, the creation of the Consolidated District shall become incontestable, and no court shall have jurisdiction to entertain litigation questioning the legality of the creation of Consolidated District.

SECTION 5. That the official journal of the Parish shall be the official journal of the Consolidated District and the Police Jury's seal shall be the seal of the District.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

This ordinance having been submitted in writing, having been read and adopted by sections at a public meeting of the Police Jury of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole, the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS: Ms. Bennett, Mr. Benton, Mr. Brotherton, Mr. Cochran, Mr. Cook, Mr. Darby, Mr. Plummer, Mr. Rimmer, Mr. Salzer, Mr. Shewmake, Mr. Skaggs

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Mr. Avery

And the ordinance was declared adopted on this, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.

          /s/ Rachel Hauser          

Secretary

          /s/ Bob Brotherton          

President

**NOTICE OF CREATION**

Pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance duly adopted by the Police Jury of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, on June 7, 2017, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 22-A, Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, and other constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, of the formation and creation of a Consolidated Waterworks/Sewerage District within the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, which Consolidated District comprises and embraces all of that territory within the boundaries of Sewerage District No. 2 of the Parish of Bossier, State of Louisiana, which boundaries are described as follows to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south section line of Sect. 23, T 20 N, R 14 W with the Bossier/Caddo Parish Line (Point of Beginning); commence east along the south section lines of Sect's. 23 & 24, T 20 N, R 14 W and Sect. 19, T 20 N, R 13 W, to the west corporate limits of the Town of Benton; thence southerly along the west corporate limits of the Town of Benton to the south corporate limits of the Town of Benton; thence easterly along the south corporate limits of the Town of Benton to the east corporate limits of the Town of Benton; thence northerly along the east corporate limits of the Town of Benton to the intersection with La. Hwy. 162; thence easterly along La. Hwy. 162 to the intersection with La. Hwy. 157; thence southerly along La. Hwy. 157 to the southwest corner of Sect. 33, T 19 N, R 11 W; thence east along the south section lines of Sect's. 33, 34, 35 and 36, T 19 N, R 11 W to the Bossier/Webster Parish Line; thence northerly along the Bossier/Webster Parish Line to the northeast corner of Sect. 01, T 20 N, R 11 W; thence westerly along the north boundary of said Sect. 01 and a portion of Sect. 02, T 20 N, R 11 W (said north boundary of Sect. 01 and a portion of Sect. 02 being the common boundary of Bossier and Webster Parish) to the Bodcau Bayou; thence northerly along Bodcau Bayou and the common boundary of Bossier and Webster Parish to La. Hwy. 2; thence westerly along said La. Hwy. 2 to the common boundary line of Bossier and Caddo Parishes; thence southerly along the common boundary of Bossier and Caddo Parishes to the Point of Beginning, less and except any area within the corporate limits of the Town of Benton

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Town of Plain Dealing.

The said Consolidated District thus formed and created shall be known and is  
designated as "**Consolidated Waterworks/Sewerage District No. 2 of the Parish of Bossier,  
State of Louisiana**", and as thus created, constitutes a political subdivision of the State of  
Louisiana, and has all the rights, powers and privileges granted by the Constitution and Statutes  
of this State, including the right to incur debt, to issue bonds and to levy taxes and assessments.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Benton, Louisiana, on this, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June,  
2017.

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/s/ Rachel Hauser  
Secretary

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/s/ Bob Brotherton  
President