

Motion of Commissioner Roland Curole, seconded by Commissioner Roland Guidry and unanimously approved:

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-03

DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY – IMMINENT THREAT OF FLOODING DUE TO HURRICANE IDA

WHEREAS, Louisiana Governor John Bel Edwards issued Proclamation No. 165 JBE 2021 on August 26, 2021, declaring a state of emergency for Louisiana due to the imminent threat of emergency conditions from storm surge, hurricane/tropical force winds, and heavy rains associated with Hurricane Ida, and

WHEREAS, the South Lafourche Levee District acknowledges the severity of the continuing flood threat as a direct result of Hurricane Ida, the damage caused by its landfall along the Louisiana coast, and key vulnerabilities in the levee system requiring immediate action for the protection of the people and property of South Lafourche, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the South Lafourche Levee District Board of Commissioners hereby declares a state of emergency, retroactive August 26, 2021, due to the imminent threat of emergency conditions associated with Hurricane Ida, the continuing flood threat as a direct result of Hurricane Ida, and the damage caused by its landfall along the Louisiana coast.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Windell Curole, Executive Secretary of the South Lafourche Levee District, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners at a regular meeting held on **September 13, 2021**.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 13th DAY OF September, 2021.

**/s/Windell A. Curole, Executive Secretary
South Lafourche Levee District**