



# **LWI Region 5 Governance and Sustainability Subcommittee Meeting**

## **Agenda**

**Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021**  
**10:00am to 1:00pm**

**I. Welcome**

**II. Committee Roll Call & Public Introductions**

**III. Approve Action Summary**

**IV. LA Watershed Initiative Updates**

- i) State Round 1 Project Applications due March 12th
- ii) Final Governance Recommendation due in June

**V. Provisional Governance Recommendation**

- a) Brief review
- b) Outreach and Engagement (Now to June)
  - i) Region 5 Communications DRAFT Plan

**VI. Regional Emergency Operations Planning**


**VII. Meeting Schedule**

- a) Region 5 Steering Committee Meeting, April 15th, 10am – 12pm
- b) CIP Subcommittee Meeting, Thursday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 10am – 12pm
- c) Governance & Long-Term Sustainability Meeting, Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 10am – 12pm

**VIII. Miscellaneous Updates**

**IX. Public Comment**

**X. Adjournment**



## Notice and Certification to Hold Video Conference Meeting Region 5 Governance & Sustainability Meeting Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021

The Regional Steering Committee of Watershed Region 5, Governance & Sustainability will hold a meeting on Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, at 10am. This meeting is in accordance with Louisiana Watershed Initiative activities and is integral to providing a sustainable, institutional basis to increase continuity, improve flood resilience, and enable more effective flood prevention within our region.

In an effort to reduce and limit the spread of COVID-19 in Louisiana, and to preserve the health and safety of all members of the public, the Governor has declared the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency and ordered that it is necessary to limit public gatherings in a single place in an effort to avoid individuals being in close proximity to one another.

As a result of the public emergency, the limitations imposed on public gatherings and personal interactions, and the need for a number of members to travel to any physical meeting location from parishes where confirmed cases of COVID-19 have occurred, the Acadiana Planning Commission for Region 5 hereby certifies that in order to protect the lives, property, health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Louisiana, it is necessary to conduct public participation for the Regional Governance & Sustainability Subcommittee Meeting on Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021, by teleconference or video conference.

Therefore, in accordance with Section 4 of Governor's Proclamation Number 30 JBE 2020: Additional Measures for COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, the Regional Steering Committee of Watershed Region 5 will hold its public participation for the Governance & Sustainability Subcommittee meeting virtually for the public to participate. Regional Steering Committee of Watershed Region 5 will utilize the online Facebook Live platform <https://www.facebook.com/AcadianaPlanningCommission/>.

The meeting will be available here <https://www.facebook.com/AcadianaPlanningCommission/> beginning at 10am on Thursday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

Agenda:  
Attached

Public Comment Procedure:  
Public comments will be accepted at the end of the meeting and limited to three minutes per individual.

For questions regarding the virtual committee meeting, please email [kbingham@planacadiana.org](mailto:kbingham@planacadiana.org).

