

## LWI Region 5 Steering Committee Meeting Agenda Thursday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 10:00am to 12:00pm

I.	Welcome and Introductions		Donald Bergeron
II.	Committee Roll Call		Kelia Bingham
III.	Approve Action Summary		FORMAL ACTION
IV.	LWI Program Video		Kelia Bingham
V.	State LWI Update		Pat Forbes
VI.	Subcommittee Report Outs		
	a)	Capital Improvement Program	Earl Garber
	b)	Governance and Long-Term Sustainability	Matt Johns
VII.	Watershed Modeling Update – LA DOTDBilly Williamson		
VIII	Maating Sabadula		

- VIII. Meeting Schedule
  - a) CIP Subcommittee Meeting, Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10am 12pm
  - b) Governance & Long-Term Sustainability Meeting, Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, 10am 12pm
  - c) Regional Steering Committee Meeting, Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 10am 12pm
- IX. Miscellaneous Updates
- X. Public Comment
- XI. Adjournment





## Notice and Certification to Hold Video Conference Meeting LWI Region 5 Steering Committee Meeting Thursday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022

The Regional Steering Committee of Watershed Region 5, Capital Improvement Program Subcommittee will hold a meeting on Thursday, February 10, 2022, 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 the Regional Steering Committee's Capital Improvement Program Subcommittee Meeting on Thursday, February 10, 2022, by teleconference or video conference. This action is taken out of an abundance of caution, following the Governor's most recent Proclamation Number 79 JBE 2021 revising the statewide face covering mandate.

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 Capital Improvement Program 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 <u>https://www.facebook.com/AcadianaPlanningCommission/</u> beginning at 10am on Thursday, February 10, 2022, at 10am

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 <u>kbingham@planacadiana.org</u>.

