

RESOLUTION NO. 26-

The following Resolution was offered by Council Member Cognevich who moved its adoption:

1 A Resolution adopting the official Mission, Vision, and Values statements and the
2 official logo of the Plaquemines Parish Arts, Parks, and Recreation Department;
3 and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.

4 WHEREAS, the Plaquemines Parish Arts, Parks, and Recreation Department (APRD) is charged
5 with providing comprehensive parks, recreation, arts, cultural, and community programming
6 services to the residents of Plaquemines Parish; and
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8 WHEREAS, the establishment and formal adoption of an official Mission, Vision, and Values
9 statement is a best practice in public administration and supports strategic planning, organizational
10 governance, and accreditation standards, including those promulgated by the National Recreation
11 and Park Association (NRPA) and the Commission for Accreditation of Park and Recreation
12 Agencies (CAPRA); and

13 WHEREAS, the APRD has developed comprehensive Mission, Vision, and Values statements to
14 guide policy development, operational management, fiscal stewardship, community engagement,
15 and long-term strategic direction; and
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17 WHEREAS, the APRD has developed an official department logo to serve as the visual identity
18 of the department, ensuring consistent branding, public recognition, and professional
19 representation across all facilities, programs, communications, uniforms, marketing materials, and
20 digital platforms; and
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22 WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Plaquemines Parish Council to formally adopt and ratify said
23 Mission, Vision, and Values statements and the official logo to establish them as the governing
24 framework and official brand identity of the APRD;

25 NOW, THEREFORE:

26 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PLAQUEMINES PARISH COUNCIL THAT:

27 SECTION 1. ADOPTION OF MISSION STATEMENT

28 The following Mission Statement is hereby adopted as the official Mission of the Plaquemines
29 Parish Arts, Parks, and Recreation Department:

30 Mission Statement:

31 To create community through people, parks and programs by providing diverse, high-quality
32 services that benefit the health, wellness, and culture of all Plaquemines Parish residents.

33 SECTION 2. ADOPTION OF VISION STATEMENT

34 The following Vision Statement is hereby adopted as the official Vision of the Plaquemines Parish
35 Arts, Parks, and Recreation Department:

36 Vision Statement:

37 To be a premier provider of innovative parks, arts, and recreation services across Parish's unique
38 natural and cultural landscape that strengthen community, promote wellness, and inspire lifelong
39 engagement.

40 SECTION 3. ADOPTION OF VALUES

- 41 • Collaboration – We build strong partnerships that enhance community impact, inclusion,
42 belonging and connection.
- 43 • Excellence – We deliver high-quality services and programs with professionalism and
44 integrity.
- 45 • Innovation – We embrace forward-thinking solutions and creative partnerships.

46 SECTION 4. ADOPTION OF OFFICIAL LOGO

47 The official logo of the Plaquemines Parish Arts, Parks, and Recreation Department, as presented
48 to the Council and attached hereto as Exhibit "A", is hereby adopted as the official logo and visual
49 identity of the department.

50 The Parish President and/or designee is authorized to implement the official logo across all
51 department materials and properties, develop brand standards governing its usage, retire prior
52 unofficial or outdated logos, and protect the logo consistent with applicable intellectual property
53 regulations.

54 SECTION 5. IMPLEMENTATION

55 The adopted Mission, Vision, Values, and Logo shall become effective immediately upon final
56 passage of this Resolution and shall serve as the official guiding framework for all APRD policies,
57 strategic plans, accreditation documentation, marketing materials, and operational practices.

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ARTS, PARKS & RECREATION
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PLAQUEMINES PARISH

ORDINANCE NO. 26-

The following Ordinance was offered by Council Member Cognevich who moved its adoption:

1 An Ordinance establishing the policy of the Plaquemines Parish Government in
2 regard to its public records request; and otherwise to provide with respect thereto.

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4 *DIGEST:* To establish a policy that the members of the Parish Council may access PPG records
5 without the need for a formal public records request. *The digest is for informational purposes*
6 *only and is superseded by the language of the actual ordinance or resolution.*

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8 WHEREAS, council members need access to PPG records to help to ensure that the decisions
9 members are called upon to make are fully informed; and

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11 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Public Records Law provides access to members of the general
12 public to the records of PPG, subject to limitations set forth therein and subject to a public
13 records request process; and

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15 WHEREAS, the council members have the need to access records that may not be available to
16 the general public, such as records that are specifically exempt, as the council members will be
17 called upon to vote to determine the actions and obligations of PPG, which decisions may
18 depend upon information included in such records; and

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20 WHEREAS, the PPG staff should not be in a position to restrict the access by council members
21 to documents that members believe are necessary to their decision making;

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23 NOW, THEREFORE:

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25 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PLAQUEMINES PARISH COUNCIL THAT:

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27 SECTION 1

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29 The policy of the Plaquemines Parish Government in regard to access to records is as follows:

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31 1. The PPG staff shall comply with the most recent public records policy in regard to
32 requests for access to and copies of public records pursuant to requests by members of
33 the general public.
34 2. Members of the Plaquemines Parish Council shall have access to all records upon
35 request, without following the general public records request policy applicable to the
36 general public.
37 3. PPG staff shall comply with verbal or written (including email) requests from a member
38 for records, without regard to whether the records are subject to access under Louisiana
39 public records law.
40 4. PPG records maintained on an accessible server shall be available to members, subject to
41 the same security measures as applicable to staff that have access to those records;
42 however no member shall alter any document maintained on such server.
43 5. Staff compliance will be as promptly as practicable, so as not to unduly interrupt the daily
44 operations of the staff. Any delay in providing access to records should be expressed to
45 the member in the same manner as the request was made, including the reason for the
46 delay and a good faith estimate of when the records will be made available.
47 6. In the event that a record requested by a member is confidential, proprietary, or otherwise
48 exempt from the public records law, staff shall, nevertheless, provide access to the
49 record, but shall advise the member that the record is confidential, proprietary, or
50 otherwise exempt from the public records law, citing the nature of such exemption.
51 However, nothing herein is intended to provide access to any person's medical record.
52 7. A member having access to a record that is confidential, proprietary, or otherwise exempt
53 from the Louisiana Public Records Law shall maintain the confidentiality thereof, and
54 shall be prohibited from sharing or disclosing such record, or the content thereof, with
55 any person other than another member.
56 8. Any member of the council that fails to maintain the confidentiality of a record shall
57 forfeit the authority provided to the member in this policy, and shall, thereafter, no longer
58 have access to the records of PPG beyond that of a member of the general public under

59 the Louisiana Public Records Law.

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SECTION 2

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63 The Secretary of this Council is hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify and
64 release this Ordinance and that Parish employees and officials are authorized to carry out the
65 purposes of this Ordinance, both without further reading and approval by the Plaquemines Parish
66 Council.

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PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY



View: Looking Down the Mississippi River Levee from LA Highway 15.
Date: 1/12/2026

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY



*Assessor's Mapping
Use Tract located between the two Highways.*

EXHIBIT A Location Map of the Subject

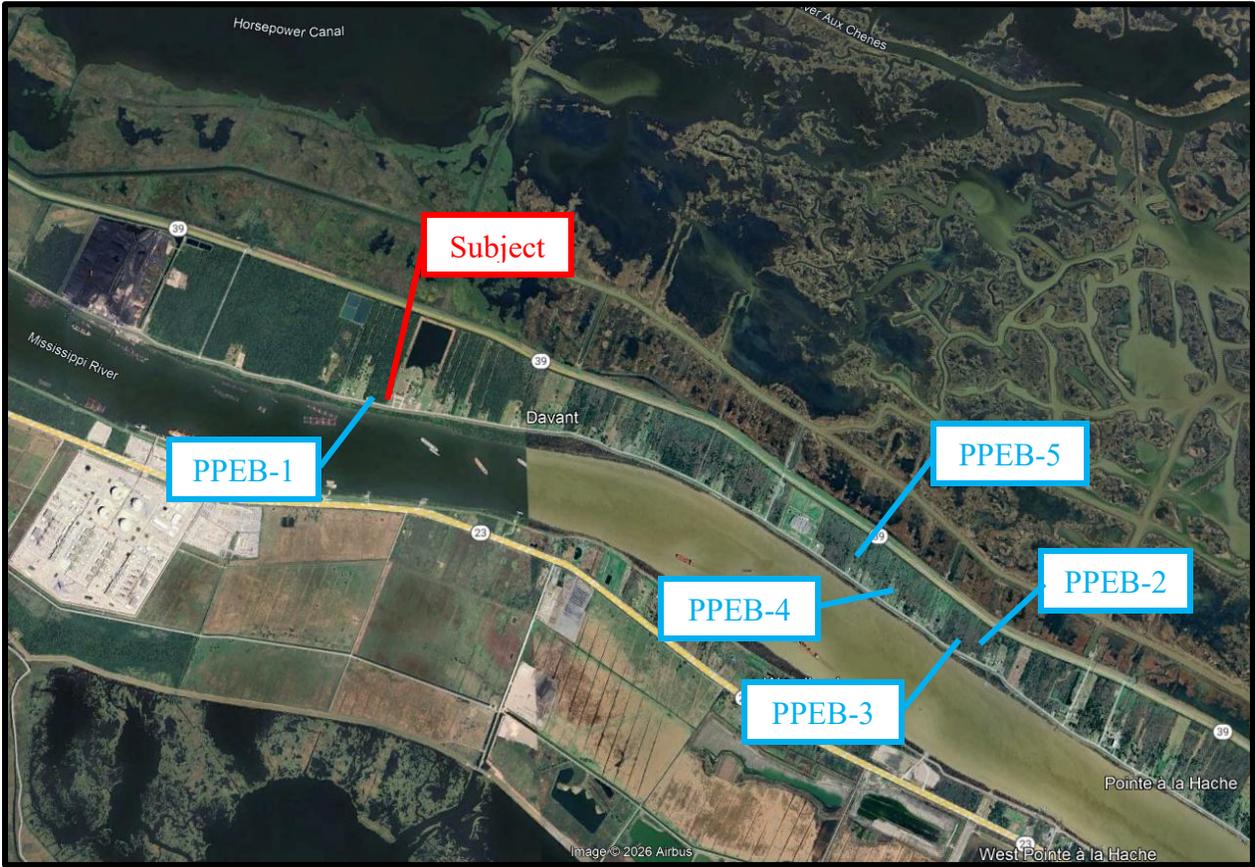
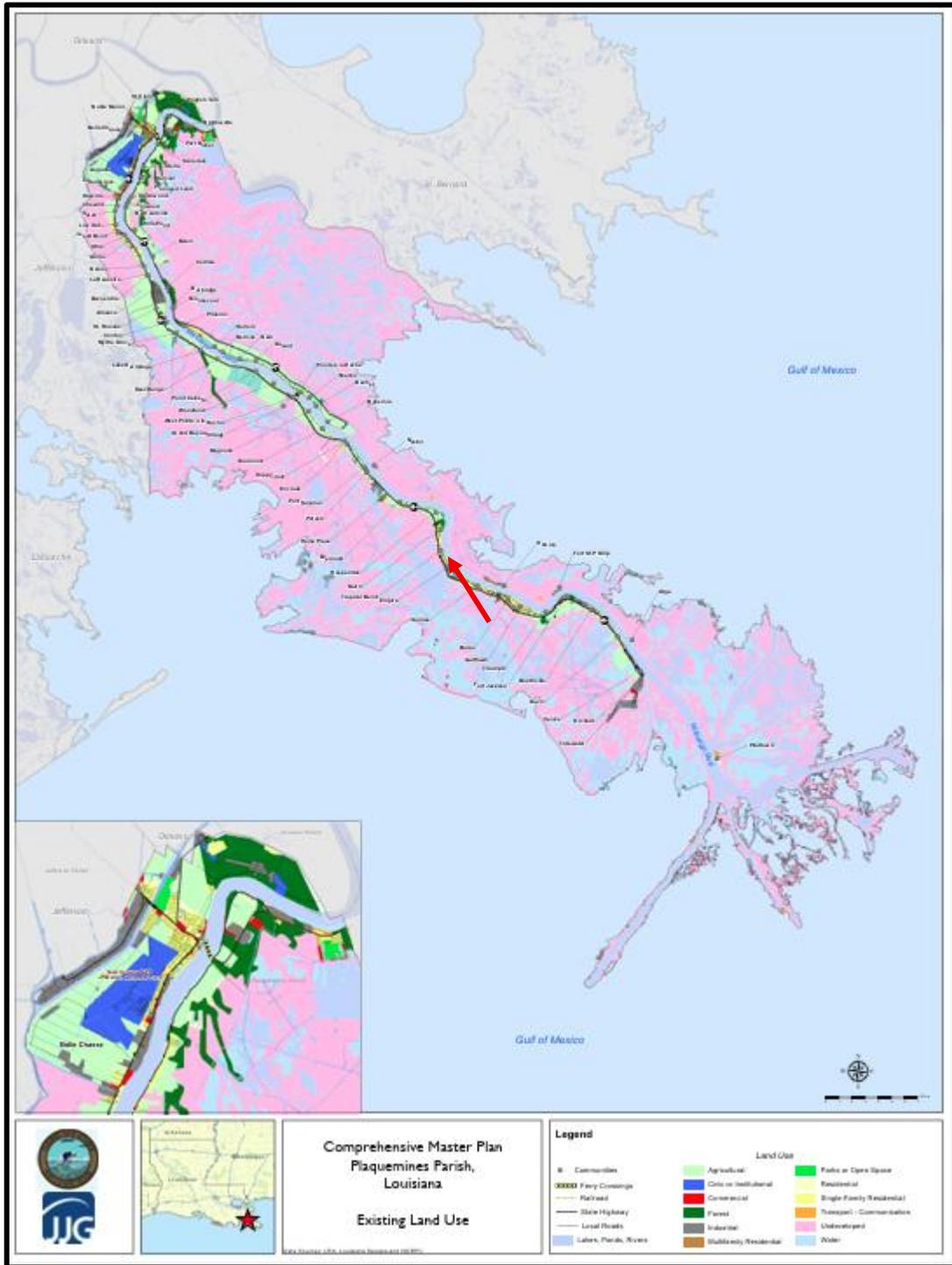
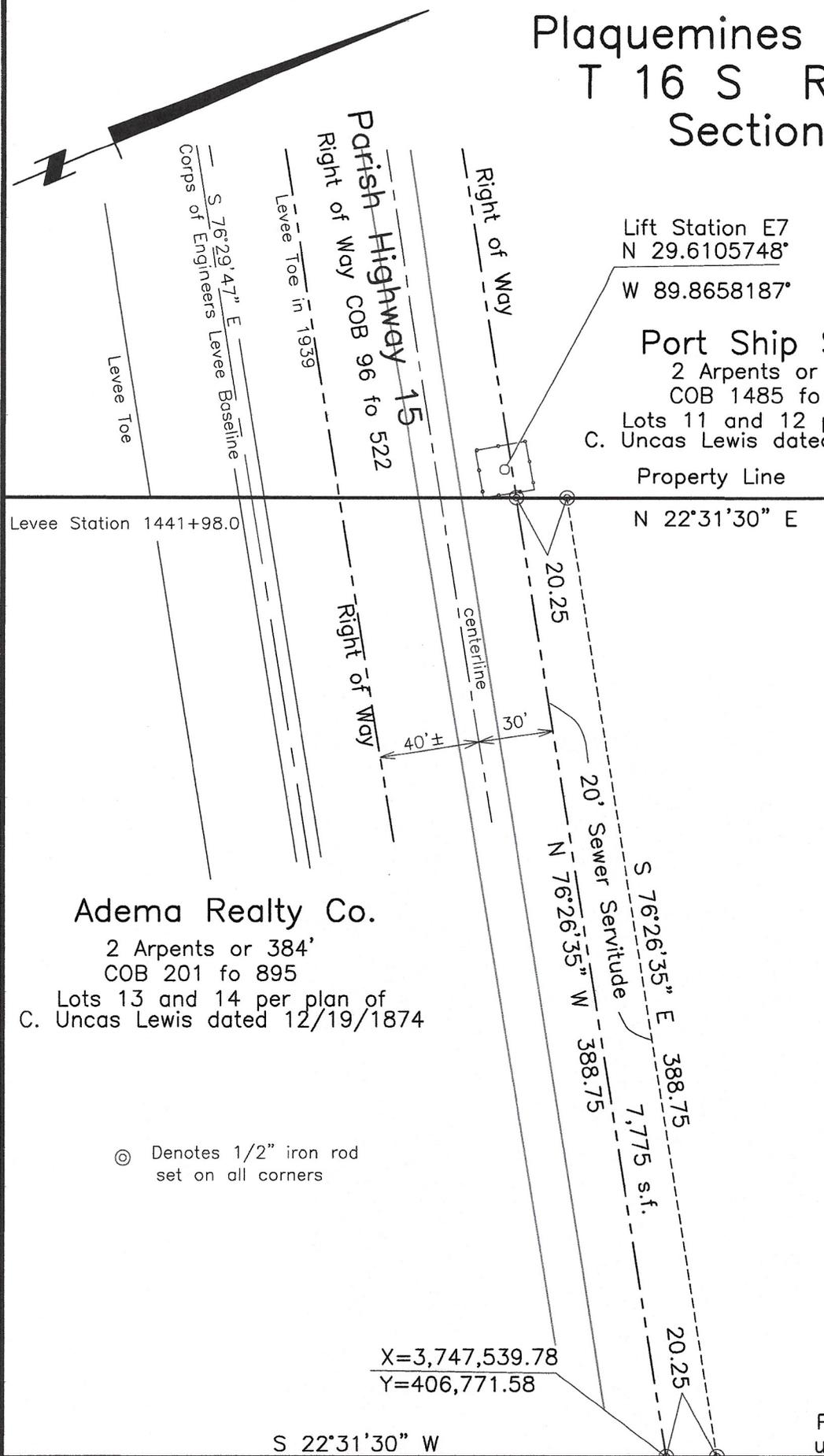


EXHIBIT D-Land Use Map for the Subject Property



Plaquemines Parish, La.
T 16 S R 13 E
Section 50



Adema Realty Co.
2 Arpents or 384'
COB 201 fo 895
Lots 13 and 14 per plan of
C. Uncas Lewis dated 12/19/1874

⊙ Denotes 1/2" iron rod
set on all corners

X=3,747,539.78
Y=406,771.58

NOTES:
1) Bearings are based on Louisiana State Plane Coordinate System (South Zone NAD83_2011).
2) Subject property lies in FEMA Zone AE in accordance with FIRM 22075C00475E dated 01/15/2021.
3) This is to certify that this survey was done by me or under my direct supervision and control, that it was done on the ground and was done in accordance with the most recent standards of practice for boundary surveys as set forth by the Louisiana Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors Board and that the accuracy specifications and positional tolerances are based on class "C" surveys indicated in the above standards.

Plaquemines
Parish
Government
Davant Community
Center
6 and 1/2 Arpents
COB 421 fo 381

MAP OF SURVEY
Lift Station E7 Servitude
across the property of
Adema Realty Co.
Davant, La.



**Bryant Hammett
And Assoc., L.L.C.**
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Amended		
NO.	DESCRIPTION	BY
Prepared at the request of Plaquemines Parish Govt. and Trigon Associates		Date: 12/1/2025
Scale: 1" = 60'	Sheet 1 of 1	

ORDINANCE NO. 26-

The following Ordinance was offered by Commissioner McCarty who moved its adoption:

1 An Ordinance establishing the policy of the Plaquemines Port, Harbor, and
2 Terminal District in regard to its records; and otherwise to provide with respect
3 thereto.
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5 *DIGEST:* To establish a policy that the members of the Parish Council, in their role as the
6 governing authority of the Port, may access Port records without the need for a formal public
7 records request. *The digest is for informational purposes only and is superseded by the language*
8 *of the actual ordinance or resolution.*
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10 WHEREAS, the elected members of the Plaquemines Parish Council serve as the sole governing
11 authority for the Plaquemines Port, Harbor, and Terminal District (“Port”); and
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13 WHEREAS, in their role as members of the governing authority of the Port, council members
14 need access to Port records to help to ensure that the decisions members are called upon to make
15 are fully informed; and
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17 WHEREAS, the Louisiana Public Records Law provides access to members of the general
18 public to the records of the Port, subject to limitations set forth therein and subject to a public
19 records request process; and
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21 WHEREAS, the members of the governing authority of the Port have the need to access records
22 that may not be available to the general public, such as records that are specifically exempt, as
23 the members of the governing authority will be called upon to vote to determine the actions and
24 obligations of the Port, which decisions may depend upon information included in such records;
25 and
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27 WHEREAS, the Port staff should not be in a position to restrict the access by members of the
28 governing authority to documents that members believe are necessary to their decision making;
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30 NOW, THEREFORE:

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32 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PLAQUEMINES PARISH COUNCIL, AS THE SOLE
33 GOVERNING AUTHORITY OF THE PLAQUEMINES PORT, HARBOR AND TERMINAL
34 DISTRICT, THAT:
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SECTION 1

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42 requests for access to and copies of public records pursuant to requests by members of
43 the general public.
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45 upon request, without following the general public records request policy applicable to
46 the general public.
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48 for records, without regard to whether the records are subject to access under Louisiana
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65 any person other than another member of the governing authority.
66 8. Any member of the governing authority that fails to maintain the confidentiality of a
67 record shall forfeit the authority provided to the member in this policy, and shall,
68 thereafter, no longer have access to the records of the Port beyond that of a member of
69 the general public under the Louisiana Public Records Law.

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