STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 19-962

A RESOLUTION TO SELECT CAPITAL REGION PLANNING COMMISSION AS THE FISCAL AGENT FOR LOUISIANA WATERSHED INITIATIVE REGION 7 FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPLYING FOR GRANT FUNDING AND ACTING IN SUPPORT OF WATER MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE STATE OF LOUISIANA WATERSHED INITIATIVE AND RELATED MATTERS.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Watershed Initiative was formed in order to coordinate statewide floodplain management efforts through a watershed management approach in response to the 2016 Great Floods and in preparation for future storm and flood events. This coordination includes outreach with local communities to build support for watershed region management approaches that can more effectively address mounting water risks statewide; and

WHEREAS, coordination among Washington Parish and its regional partners within Watershed Region No. 7 is critical to reducing flood risk and preserving the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Washington Parish; and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Watershed Initiative has requested applications for participation in a Regional Capacity Building Grant Program, which may enable the provision of technical assistance to Washington Parish and its regional partners if awarded, thereby furthering immediate watershed management and flood risk reduction goals.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Washington Parish President and Parish Council hereby select Capital Region Planning Commission as the fiscal agent for Louisiana Watershed Initiative Region 7 for the purpose of applying for grant funding and acting in support of Watershed Region No. 7 water management activities, in conjunction with the State of Louisiana Watershed Initiative and related matters.

The above and foregoing having been submitted to a vote thereupon resulted as follows:

YEAS: (6) Anthony, Talley, Fussell, Lewis, McMasters and Fornen
NAYS: (0)
ABSTAINED: (0)
ABSENT: (1) Workman

The resolution was declared adopted on 18th day of November, 2019.

David Anthony, Vice Chairman
Washington Parish Council

Richard N. Thomas, Jr., President
Washington Parish Government
CERTIFICATION

I SARAH COOK, CLERK OF THE WASHINGTON PARISH COUNCIL hereby certify that foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Washington Parish Council in Regular Session convened on the 18th day of November 2019.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this 18th day of November 2019, Franklinton Louisiana.

[Signature]

Clerk
Washington Parish Council

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