

Southwest Louisiana Regional Planning Commission (SWLA-RPC) Louisiana Planning District 5

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING Thursday, April 25, 2024, 12:00 PM PHYSICAL LOCATION: 2nd Floor, SEED Center, 4310 Ryan Street, Lake Charles, LA 70605

ZOOM: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9583967845

AGENDA

Call to Order Mayor Marcus Renfrow, I. Chair II. Roll Call Mike Hollier Director III. Mayor Nic Hunter **Reading and Adoption of Minutes** Secretary A. Draft Minutes of Meeting held on February 22, 2024. Action requested. B. Draft Minutes of Meeting held on March 28, 2024. Action requested. IV. Mayor Hal McMillin **Financial Reports** Treasurer A. March 2024 Financial Report Action requested. B. Resolution No. 2272 Approving and Authorizing the Establishment of a Certificate of Deposit for Reserves. Action requested. V. Regional Downtown Development Main Street Coordinator Mike Hollier Leveraging funding options. Information only. No action requested. VI. Marion 'Butch' Fox Southwest Louisiana Regional Rail Plan Jamie Gaines Logo Selection Action requested. VII. Regional Housing Data Base Development Presentation Michael Bernard Information only. No action requested. VIII. **Regional Housing Initiative Status** Mike Hollier Funding. Information only. No action requested.

Mike Hollier

Louisiana Watershed Initiative Update

Information only. No action requested.

Round 2 Project funds available. Freshwater needs.

IX.

X.	Community Development Manager Introduction.	Mike Hollier
VI.	Grant Applications Status Information only. No action requested.	Jamie Gaines
XII.	Resolution No. 2271 Approving and Authorizing an Agreement between the SWLA-RPC and the Center for Planning Excellence (CPEX) to Assist in Public and Stakeholder Engagement for the Development of the Comprehensive Actions to Reduce Emissions (CARE) Plan. Action requested.	Jamie Gaines
XIII.	Membership Needs Discussion	Mike Hollier
XIV.	June Meeting Date and Time	Chair
XV.	Public Comment	Chair
XVI.	Adjournment	Chair