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Fred Everhardt, Jr.
*Councilmember
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Roxanne Adams
Clerk of Council

EXTRACT OF THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE ST. BERNARD PARISH GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, 8201 WEST JUDGE PEREZ DRIVE, CHALMETTE, LOUISIANA ON TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2020 AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mr. McCloskey, seconded by Mr. Lewis, it was moved to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION SBPC #2053-06-20

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AND COMMENDING THE US COAST GUARD AND ITS CONTRACTOR, COUVILLION GROUP, FOR THEIR SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO SAFELY CAPTURE OIL FROM THE TAYLOR WELLS AND TO SUPPORT THE US COAST GUARD AND BUREAU OF SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT (BSEE) IN THEIR RESOLVE TO ENSURE A FINAL PLUG AND ABANDON SOLUTION IN THIS DISASTER; AND OTHERWISE TO PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, this is the one-year anniversary of the successful strategy to minimize destruction from the MC 20 Oil Spill; and,

WHEREAS, Louisiana is known as the Sportsman's paradise for the beauty of our coast and bounty of opportunities to fish, hunt and recreate; and,

WHEREAS, the people of St. Bernard Parish are especially blessed by this bounty; and,

WHEREAS, this Council acknowledges the importance of the oil and gas industry to our area and to the state economy as a whole; and,

WHEREAS, this Council acknowledges the importance of the oil and gas industry acting as responsible corporate citizens when operating in and along the coast of St. Bernard Parish; and

WHEREAS, this Council acknowledges the importance of holding those in the oil and gas industry who do not act as responsible corporate citizens responsible for the consequences of their actions.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the St. Bernard Parish Council, the Governing Authority, that it lends its support to the United States Coast Guard and further commends the US Coast Guard and its Contractor, Couvillion Group, for their successful efforts to safely capture oil from the Taylor wells and to support the US Coast Guard and the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE) in their resolve to ensure a final plug and abandon solution in this disaster.



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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the St. Bernard Parish Clerk of Council is hereby authorized and directed to immediately certify and release this Resolution and that Parish employees and officials are authorized to carry out the purpose of this Resolution, both without further reading and approval by the St. Bernard Parish Council.

Gillis McCloskey
Councilmember
District A

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

Joshua "Josh" Moran
Councilmember
District B

YEAS: McCloskey, Moran, Alcon, Everhardt, Lewis

Howard Luna
Councilmember
District C

NAYS: None

Wanda Alcon
Councilmember
District D

ABSENT: Luna

The Council Chair, Ms. Callais, cast her vote as **YEA**.

Fred Everhardt, Jr.
Councilmember
District E

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 16th day of June, 2020.

Roxanne Adams
Clerk of Council

CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a motion adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, held at Chalmette, Louisiana, on Tuesday, June 16, 2020.

Witness my hand and the seal
of the Parish of St. Bernard on
this 16th day of June, 2020.

ROXANNE ADAMS
CLERK OF COUNCIL