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**September 25, 2025**  
**Minutes**

A Regular Session Meeting was held on September 25, 2025, at 5:30 p.m., at the office of the Claiborne Parish Watershed District, located at 507 West Main Street, Homer, Louisiana. At this time, the watershed entered into their quarterly meeting.

All members were present.

Jay Blanchard opened the meeting in prayer, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by David Nokes.

Upon a motion by Marcus McClung, duly seconded by Jay Blanchard, the agenda was approved as presented.

Upon a motion by Chad Reeder, duly seconded by Graham Cowie, the minutes for the June 26, 2025 meeting were approved.

The financial report was presented by Dwayne Woodard. Upon a motion by Jay Banchard, duly seconded by Marcus McClung, the financial report was approved.

All members were reminded of the required Sexual Harassment Training to be completed by December 31, 2025.

All board members were reminded of the required Ethics Training to be completed by December 31, 2025.

The safety inspection of the dam was completed the week of September 15, 2025. David Nokes presented the letter from the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development informing us of the inspection. We will receive the report of the inspection at a later date.

The proposal for the repair and/or replacement of pilings and/or channel markers from Kevin Green with Pro Build Construction has not been completed. After the proposal is done Kevin will present it to the board.

The 146 Boat Ramp Project was discussed. Upon a motion by Chris Robinett, duly seconded by Chad Reeder, the board approved contacting the engineer to get specs done for the project.

The hydrilla control was discussed and the floor was opened to the public to address their concerns. Chase Chiasson discussed spraying and vegetation control and the public was assured that measures for control are being taken place and that the testing of a new product is being discussed. Homer Humphreys, a local professional fisherman, informed the public of the importance of some vegetation within the lake.

Eric Shively gave an update on the Louisiana Legends Festival Bass Tournament.

No one was present from the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.

No one was present from the Louisiana DOTD.

The members and the public were reminded of the next scheduled meeting to be held on December 18, 2025, at 5:30 p.m.

Upon a motion by Marcus McClung, duly seconded by Jay Blanchard, the meeting was adjourned.

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David Nokes, President

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Marcus McClung, Secretary