

2004-0078

INTRODUCED BY: ALBERT D. LAQUE, PARISH PRESIDENT
(GRANTS OFFICE)

RESOLUTION NO. 5152

A resolution in support of the St. Charles Parish Application to the Governor's Rural Development Fund for a Back Stop and two Dug Outs at the Bayou Gauche Playground and a Pavilion at the West Bank Bridge Park.

WHEREAS, St. Charles Parish is submitting an application for 2003-2004 funds from the Governor's Office of Rural Development, under the Rural Development law; and,

WHEREAS, the Rural Development Administration Application procedures require a resolution of support from the local governing body; and,

WHEREAS, St. Charles Parish is applying for funds for a Back Stop and two Dug Outs at the Bayou Gauche Playground and a Pavilion at the West Bank Bridge Park; and,

WHEREAS, upon the completion of these projects both parks will be better equipped to serve the needs of the citizens of St. Charles Parish.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, do hereby approve and support the St. Charles Parish application for 2003-2004 Rural Development funds for a Back Stop and two Dug Outs at the Bayou Gauche Playground and a Pavilion at the West Bank Bridge Park.

The foregoing resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: MARINO, FAUCHEUX, HILAIRE, FABRE, WALLS, BLACK, DUHE

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: RAMCHANDRAN, MINNICH

And the resolution was declared adopted this 16th day of February, 2004, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

Back Stop Dug Outs-BG Bridge Park Pavilion

CHAIRMAN:

Lance J. Marino

SECRETARY:

Bartolomea G. Duchon

DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT:

February 17, 2004

APPROVED:

/ DISAPPROVED:

PARISH PRESIDENT:

Albert D. Laque

RETD/SECRETARY:

2-18-04

AT: 2:30

RECD BY:

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
2003-04 GRANT APPLICATION

COVER PAGE

Request for State Funds under Acts 216, 396 and 637.

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GOVERNMENTAL FISCAL AGENCY: (Name of municipality or parish council)

St Charles Parish Council

HEAD OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT: (Mayor or parish president's name)

Albert D. Laque, Parish President

ADDRESS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT: P.O. Box 302 Hahnville, La. 70057

CONTACT PERSON (if different from the head of government)
MAIL FROM ORD REGARDING THIS GRANT WILL BE ADDRESSED TO THE HEAD OF GOVERNMENT

Henry Wolfe

PHONE: 985-783-5060

FAX: 985-783-5021

EMAIL ADDRESS(of contact): hwolfe@stcharlesgov.net

AMOUNT REQUESTED: \$ 100,000.00

FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 72-6001208

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CLASSIFICATION PAGE

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NAME OF PARISH: St. Charles

NAME OF MUNICIPALITY _____

PLEASE CHECK:

- ☐ Village (1 - 999 citizens)
- ☐ Town (1,000 - 4,999 citizens)
- ☐ City (5,000 - 35,000 citizens)
- ☒ Parish (Less than 100,000 citizens)

ESTIMATED TIME FOR PROJECT COMPLETION:

10 Days

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF JOBS CREATED/RETAINED:

(Specify if you are listing temporary or construction jobs.)

3 Jobs

**OTHER LOCAL, STATE OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES/PARTICIPANTS
IN PROJECTS:** Recreation Department

IS THIS PROJECT ON PUBLICLY OWNED LAND? IS THE BUILDING PUBLICLY OWNED?

☒ YES ☐ NO

IF NOT, PLEASE EXPLAIN: _____

*** IF THIS PROJECT INVOLVES FIRE PROTECTION, ESTIMATED CHANGE IN FIRE
RATING IF PROJECT:**

IS AWARDED: No

IS NOT AWARDED: _____

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ABSTRACT

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Projects should be limited to infrastructure/capital improvements. We intend to make grant awards that are high priority, categories such as fire, water, sewer, drainage, etc. Some projects that have been eligible in the past will no longer be eligible, such as landscaping, memorial statues, banners, murals, decorative flags, animal shelters, etc.

Be specific and state what you will spend the money on, if awarded. We need all information to process, review and grade applications. Grant applications cannot be reviewed without detailed information on how the money will be spent.

PHYSICAL ADDRESS OF PROJECT (Including the 9-digit Zip Code):

Bayou Gauche: 410 1st. St. Bayou Gauche, La. 70030
River Road: 13825 River Road, Luling, La. 70070

STATE THE FULL INTENT (PURPOSE) OF THE PROJECT:

We plan to construct a Back Stop and two Dug Outs at the Bayou Gauche playground in Bayou Gauche, La. and to construct a Pivillion at the West Bank Park on River Road, in Luling, La.

WHAT CHANGE OR IMPROVEMENT WILL THIS PROJECT HAVE ON THE COMMUNITY AS A WHOLE? (Explain How This Project Fits Into The Community's Plan For The Future.)

The improvements in these two parks will greatly enhance the useability of these two parks.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT. (Specify What Grant \$ Will Pay For)

1) Itemize any equipment to be purchased. 2) If sewer/water lines or streets, how many feet, miles, or blocks? 3) If constructing a building, how many square feet, type of structure, etc. 4) If renovating a building, please specify: interior/exterior, roofing, plumbing, electrical, ADA handicapped access / fire code requirements, etc.

The Back Stop at Bayou Gauche will cost \$5,000.00 and the two Dug Outs will cost \$4,772.00 each or \$9,544.00. The Pavillion at the West Bank Bridge Park will cost \$86,000.00

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DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING STATISTICS BASED ON 2000 CENSUS.

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| DESCRIPTION | 2000 DATA |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| Population of Parish | 49,250 |
| Population of Village/Town/City | Bayou Gauche: 1770; Luling: 11,512 |
| Unemployment Rate in Affected Area | Bayou Gauche: 9%; Luling: 7% |
| Per Capita Income of Affected Area | Bayou Gauche: \$22,170; Luling 11,512 |
| Total number of persons impacted/affected as a result of this Project/Grant | 49,250 |

IS THIS PROJECT PROPOSAL CONSIDERED AN EMERGENCY SITUATION BY THE CITIZENS IN THE AFFECTED AREA? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN IN THE AREA PROVIDED BELOW. (* Attach Any News Articles, Resolutions, and/or Other Supporting Documents.)

HAS THIS PROJECT BEEN A PART OF AN ALREADY BALLOTTED TAX ISSUE PRESENTED TO VOTERS IN THIS COMMUNITY? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, WAS THE ISSUE APPROVED, REJECTED IN FULL, OR REJECTED PARTIALLY? PLEASE EXPLAIN IN THE AREA PROVIDED BELOW.

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PROPOSED BUDGET SUMMARY

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| COLUMN 1 SPENDING CATEGORY | COLUMN 2 AMOUNT REQUESTED FROM RURAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT FUND | COLUMN 3 AMOUNT OF MATCH BY LGA | COLUMN 4 AMOUNT OF FUNDS IN BUDGET FROM OTHER SOURCES (LIST BELOW) | COLUMN 5 TOTAL |
|---|--|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| 100,000 | | 544.00 | | 100544 |
| 100 SALARIES | | | | |
| 100 CONTRACT LABOR | | | | |
| 200 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS | | | | |
| 300 SUPPLIES Items Used Up Not Permanent | | | | |
| 400 PERMANENT PROPERTY Includes Equipment | | | | |
| 500 OTHER Explain Below | | | | |
| PROJECT TOTAL | | | | 100,544.00 |

*SHADED AREAS CANNOT BE USED TO ENTER REQUEST FOR FUNDS

EXPLANATION FOR "OTHER" SPENDING CATEGORIES (Category 500 from Column 1)--MAY
INCLUDE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS.

MATCHING FUND SOURCES (From Column 4)--Specify if Federal, State, Private, or Non-Profit
Corporation.

*IF OTHER FUNDS ARE NOT DISCLOSED AND ARE FOUND TO BE IN USE FOR FUNDING THIS PROJECT, THE GRANT WILL BE
DISQUALIFIED AUTOMATICALLY.

The Parish Fund \$544.00

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
Local Agency Assurances

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FISCAL ASSURANCES

- The Local Governmental Agency (LGA) assures that all programs, activities, and expenditures of funds conducted in association with this program are in direct compliance with the provisions of the Governor's Office of Rural Development.
- The LGA assures that funding received under the Governor's Office of Rural Development will not replace or reduce funding for existing programs.
- The LGA assures that it will provide for proper fiscal control and accounting procedures as may be required for fiscal audit.

PROGRAMMATIC ASSURANCES

- The LGA assures that it will comply with R. S. 24:513 (State Audit Law), and State of Louisiana public bidding procedures.
- The LGA assures that, as applicable, it will comply with all federal and state laws, executive orders, and/or regulations.
- The recipient of this grant assures that elected officials or their family members will not receive (directly or indirectly) any part of the funds awarded through this grant.
- The LGA assures that no funds will be used on private property.
- By acceptance of this, the LGA acknowledges that should any grant that is awarded be open beyond two years (24 months), the LGA will not be eligible for further funding until that grant is closed.
- The recipient of the grant assures that funds requested in the grant will be used for the stated purpose only and within the time frame stated. Proof of proper expenditure of these funds will be required through invoices, canceled checks, copies of contracts, and other documentation. Failure to comply with any part of this agreement will result in termination of this grant and require any funds paid to be returned to the Governor's Office of Rural Development.

UNDERSTAND THAT, UNDER STATE LAW, NO REIMBURSEMENT CAN BE MADE OF ANY INVOICES FOR WORK OR PURCHASES BEFORE THERE IS A WRITTEN AGREEMENT SIGNED BY BOTH THE LGA AND GORD.

Albert D. Laque
Authorized Signature/Head of Governing Body

Albert D. Laque
Print Name Here

Nicole Breau
First Witness

Parish President
Title

2-18-04
Date

Sandra D. Miquel
Second Witness

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