



# ST. CHARLES PARISH


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### COUNCIL OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: APRIL 23, 2026

TO: MS. CARLA CHIASSON  
GRANTS OFFICER

FROM: MICHELLE IMPASTATO  
COUNCIL SECRETARY 

RE: PRE-APPLICATION TO THE STATEWIDE FLOOD CONTROL PROGRAM -  
PROJECT FOR REDUCING EXISTING FLOOD DAMAGES

On April 20, 2026, the St. Charles Parish Council adopted Resolution No. 6906 authorizing St. Charles Parish to prepare and submit a pre-application to the Statewide Flood Control Program for assistance in the implementation of a project for the purpose of reducing existing flood damages; providing for the necessary documentation of said flood damages; and providing for other related matters in connection therewith.

A certified copy of the resolution is enclosed for processing.

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Enclosure

cc: Parish Council  
Ms. Samantha de Castro via Electronic Notification  
Mr. Corey Oubre via Electronic Notification  
Mr. Grant Dussom via Electronic Notification  
Mr. Miles Bingham via Electronic Notification  
Mr. Brandon Bernard via Electronic Notification

**2026-0147**

**INTRODUCED BY: MATTHEW JEWELL, PARISH PRESIDENT  
(GRANTS OFFICE)**

**RESOLUTION NO. 6906**

A resolution approving and authorizing St. Charles Parish to prepare and submit a pre-application to the Statewide Flood Control Program for assistance in the implementation of a project for the purpose of reducing existing flood damages; providing for the necessary documentation of said flood damages; and providing for other related matters in connection therewith.

**WHEREAS,** the residential area of St. Rose, Louisiana has been adversely affected by damages from flood waters; and,

**WHEREAS,** St. Charles Parish desires to apply for State matching funds pursuant to L.A. R.S. 38:90.1 et. seq., as amended, to implement a project to reduce said flood damages, and that St. Charles Parish is fully aware of its obligations under said Statute; and,

**WHEREAS,** St. Charles Parish is a political body duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Louisiana and is eligible to apply for funds under the Statute.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL AND THE PARISH PRESIDENT,** do hereby authorize as follows:

**SECTION I.** That St. Charles Parish acknowledges that upon approval of the pre-application, a formal application will be prepared and submitted to the Statewide Flood Control Program.

**SECTION II.** That at the appropriate time and upon approval of funding assistance and prior to the commencement of work on the project, St. Charles Parish agrees to execute a Statement of Sponsorship pursuant to said Statute.

**SECTION III.** That Matthew Jewell, Parish President, is hereby designated Authorized Representative for St. Charles Parish to effect the preparation of the pre-application and application to the Statewide Flood Control Program for funding assistance of a flood control project.

**SECTION IV.** That said Authorized Representative's responsibilities shall pertain to technical matters only and shall not include any official act on behalf of St. Charles Parish.

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

**YEAS:** MOBLEY, FONSECA, WILSON, PILIE, COMARDELLE, O'DANIELS,  
FISHER, DEBRULER  
**NAYS:** NONE  
**ABSENT:** SKIBA

And the resolution was declared adopted this 20th day of April, 2026, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

**CHAIRMAN:** [Signature]  
**SECRETARY:** Nichelle Spantato  
**DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT:** April 20, 2026  
**APPROVED:** [Signature] **DISAPPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARISH PRESIDENT:** Matthew Jewell  
**RET/SECRETARY:** April 20, 2026  
**AT:** 7:35pm **RECD BY:** [Signature]

CERTIFIED TRUE & CORRECT AS PER  
MINUTES DATED 4-20-2026

Nichelle Spantato  
SECRETARY  
ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL