

The following ordinance was presented by Jimmy Lafont, who moved for its adoption, and was seconded by Johnny Melancon:

ORDINANCE NO. 68

AN ORDINANCE MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO FISH WITH NETS OR TRAPS IN FRONT OF ANY DEVELOPED PORT PROPERTY IN FOURCHON, BEGINNING WHERE PASS FOURCHON TRANSECTS BELLE PASS AND CONTINUING NORTHWARD TO INCLUDE THE ENTIRE AREA OF PORT FOURCHON, TERMINATING AT THE NORTHERN BANK OF THE FLOTATION CANAL; PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE ARE PROVIDED FOR HEREIN

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Board of Commissioners of the Greater Lafourche Port Commission that;

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person to fish, shrimp, crab or cause to be taken any other species of fish or shellfish by use of butterfly nets, trawls, skimmers, or any other type of net or trap that may hinder navigation in the vicinity of any developed Port Property in Fourchon, beginning where Pass Fourchon transects Belle Pass and continuing Northward to include the entire area of Port Fourchon, terminating at the northern bank of the Flotation Canal. For the purposes of this ordinance, developed port property shall mean stabilized embankments with adjacent industrial activity present. Said ordinance shall include all of the waters from the stabilized bank of the industrial facility to the opposite bank. At the junction of Belle Pass and Pass Fourchon, the Ordinance shall extend Southerly to the intersection of the centerlines of Pass Fourchon and Belle Pass.

SECTION 2. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or imprisoned for not more than six (6) months in jail, or both, in the discretion of the court having jurisdiction.

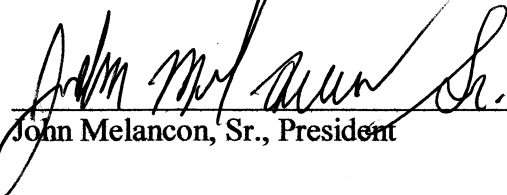
This ordinance, having been submitted in writing, having been read and adopted by sections at a public meeting of said Commission, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole; the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS: 6

NAYS: 3

ABSENT: 0

And the ordinance was declared adopted on this 12th day of June, 2002.


John Melancon, Sr., President


Wilbert Collins, Sr., Secretary