

The following Ordinance No. 75 was presented by Rodney Gisclair Sr., who moved for its adoption, and was seconded by Johnny Ordonne:

ORDINANCE NO. 75

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING USE OF THE PORT FOURCHON COASTAL WETLANDS PARK AND PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE.

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

SECTION 1. This Ordinance shall apply to that area generally situated west of La. Hwy. 3090, South of Flotation Canal Road and east of the waterway known as "Slip D" in Port Fourchon, Louisiana and commonly known as the "Port Fourchon Coastal Wetlands Park." The Port Fourchon Coastal Wetlands Park generally consists of marsh, tidal creeks, kayak launch, fishing pier and vehicular parking area.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to use the Port Fourchon Coastal Wetlands Park (the "Park") for purposes other than those generally associated with recreational fishing, bird and wildlife watching, self-propelled boating and other such recreational activities.

SECTION 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to conduct the following activities in the Park:

- a. hunting or trapping of wildlife
- b. commercial fishing
- c. bow-fishing
- d. gigging or spearing fish
- e. fishing for crabs with crab traps or hoop nets

SECTION 4. It shall be unlawful for any person to use any motor or engine propelled vessel in the Park.

SECTION 5. It shall be unlawful for any person to throw, drop, deposit, discard, permit the intentional or accidental ejection, emission, or escape of, or otherwise dispose of litter, trash, refuse, debris or garbage in the Park unless such is placed entirely in a receptacle properly marked for the purpose of garbage collection.

SECTION 6. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess glass containers or bottles in the Park.

SECTION 7. It shall be unlawful for any person to walk, hike or otherwise traverse upon the marsh or wetland area.

SECTION 8. It shall be unlawful for any person to swim in the Park.

SECTION 9. The waterways within the Park shall be open from sunrise to sunset.

SECTION 10. 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.

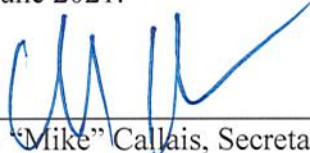
This ordinance, having been submitted in writing, having been read and adopted by sections at a public meeting of said Commission, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole; the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS: 8
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 1
ABSTAIN: 0

And the ordinance was declared adopted on this 9th day of June 2021.



Harris J. Cheramie, Jr., President



Charles M. "Mike" Callais, Secretary