

INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into by and between:

THE PONTCHARTRAIN LEVEE DISTRICT, represented by its Executive Director, Monica Salins Gorman, acting pursuant by the Board of Commissioners for the Pontchartrain Levee District;

AND

St. John the Baptist Parish represented by its Parish President, Natalie Robottom, and J & M Displays, Inc., who hereby agrees as follows:

WHEREAS, St. John the Baptist Parish and J & M Displays, Inc. desires to host a fireworks show during the Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration to be held on Monday, July 3, 2017, at St. Peter's Church, 1550 Hwy 44 in Reserve, Louisiana and St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 2349 LA-18 in Edgard, LA;

WHEREAS, the **Board of Commissioners of the Pontchartrain Levee District** is the public body which has been given the authority to regulate activities on the levee system as relate to the maintenance and integrity of the levee structure itself;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is agreed as follows:

1. That St. John the Baptist Parish and J & M Displays, Inc. agrees to host a fireworks show during the Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration, at its own risk and further agrees that the Pontchartrain Levee District, its officers, commissioners, agents, employees and contractors shall not be liable for any special, incidental, consequential, punitive, compensatory damages, or damages of any other kind, or any expenses of any kind for injury to any person, persons, or property, directly or indirectly arising from hosting a fireworks show during the Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration.
2. St. John the Baptist Parish and J & M Displays, Inc. agrees to defend, indemnify and hold the **Pontchartrain Levee District**, its officers, commissioners, agents, employees and contractors harmless against any loss, cost, expense, damage, claim, action or liability claimed, paid, suffered or incurred as a result of hosting a fireworks show during the Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration, by reason of any act, thing or omission.
3. St. John the Baptist Parish and J & M Displays, Inc. agrees to provide, at its own cost and expense, and to maintain in full force and effect for the duration of hosting a fireworks show during the Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration, a policy of public liability and property damage insurance, with the **Pontchartrain Levee District** as additional named insured, protecting the Levee District, its officers, commissioners, agents, employees, and contractors, with respect to any liability that may be imposed by law to third persons for bodily injury or death, or for damage to property of third person arising out of or in connection within the Mississippi River levee servitude. The minimum amount of such liability insurance shall be ONE MILLION AND NO/100 (\$1,000,000.00) DOLLARS.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this contract as of the date shown below.

WITNESSES:

Kelly Roche

PONTCHARTRAIN LEVEE DISTRICT

BY: J. Henderson
for Monica Salins Gorman, Executive Director

DATE: 6/30/17

St. John the Baptist Parish

Deanna Scheynauer

BY: Natalie Robottom
Natalie Robottom, Parish President

DATE: 6/28/17

Diana Holdeen

J & M Displays, Inc.

BY: Janet O'Leary

DATE: 6-28-17



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June 28th, 2017

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Dear Mrs. Robottom:

District I
Kurt Becnel
5605 Hwy. 18 River Road
Town of Wallace
Vacherie, LA 70090
Cell 504-330-6338

Please be advised of the following motion, which the St. John the Baptist Parish Council adopted at a meeting held on Tuesday, June 27th, 2017.

“Councilman Becnel moved and Councilwoman Remondet seconded the motion to grant administration authorization to enter into an Indemnity and Hold Harmless Agreement with the Pontchartrain Levee District for the Annual Independence Day Celebration. The motion passed with Councilwoman Hotard and Councilman Wright absent.”

District II
Julia Remondet
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CERTIFICATION

District III
Lemix Madero, Jr.
P.O. Box 2617
Reserve, LA 70084
Cell 985-379-6188

I, Jackie Landeche, Secretary of the St. John the Baptist Parish Council do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a motion adopted by said body on the 27th day of June, 2017.

District IV
Marvin Perrilloux
2108 Golfview
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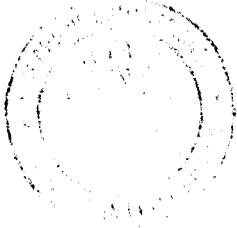
June 28th, 2017

Jackie Landeche
Council Secretary
St. John the Baptist Parish Council

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MONICA SALINS GORMAN
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

June 28, 2017

St. John the Baptist Parish
1801 West Airline Highway
LaPlace, LA 70068
Attn: President Natalie Robottom

RE: Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration

Dear President Robottom:

I have received and thank you for your request for the Annual Independence Day Fireworks Celebration on Monday, July 3, 2017. This Levee District offers NO OBJECTION to the request. Enclosed is a copy of the executed Indemnity and Hold Harmless Agreement.

This letter is not to be interpreted in any manner which would create liability on the Board of Commissioners of the Levee District in interposing no objection thereto and St. John the Baptist Parish and J & M Displays, Inc. shall hold the Board of Commissioners of this Levee District free and harmless from any claims resulting therefrom. Additionally, this letter of no objection does not obviate the applicant's requirement to obtain federal, state or local permits required by law, and authorization from property owner(s). Furthermore, no interpretation or comments regarding local law, zoning, or ordinances concerning property rights, etc., have been made.

Should you have any questions, please contact this office.


Monica Salins Gorman, Executive Director

Enclosure