CITY OF CROWLEY

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

AUGUST 20, 2002

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Crowley, Louisiana, the governing authority of the City of Crowley, met in a special session at 6:00 p.m. Tuesday the 20th day of August, 2002 at the regular meeting place of said Mayor and Board of Aldermen, the City Hall, 426 North Avenue F, Crowley, Louisiana, after the giving and posting of prior notice of said meeting in the manner provided by law.

Mayor de la Houssaye presided with the following Aldermen present: James Buatt, J. Elliot Doré, Tiger Istre, Greg Jones, Vernon Martin, Mary T. Melancon, Steven C. Premeaux and Ira Thomas. Alderwoman Laurita D. Pete was absent.

Alderman Premeaux led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag and Alderman Doré gave the invocation.

SPECIAL MEETING:

You are hereby notified that a Special Council Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Crowley will be held on Tuesday, August 20, 2002 at 6:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at City Hall. The purpose of said meeting will be:

- 1. To discuss the annexations in connection with the North of I-10 Sewer Line and Pump Station Project.
- 2. Any Other Legal Items to Come before the Council

S/ Isabella L. de la Houssaye .

Isabella L. de la

Houssaye, Mayor

The call was Posted at City Hall on August 19, 2002 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

The Police Dept. received the call for circulation on August 19, 2002 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

| James M. Buatt o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 11:05 |
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| J. Elliot Doré o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:10 |
| Tiger Istre o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:30 |
| Greg Jones o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 11:00 |
| Vernon Martin a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:35 o'clock |
| Mary T. Melancon o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:35 |
| Laurita Pete o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:50 |
| Steven Premeaux o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:05 |
| Ira Thomas o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10:30 |
| Thomas K. Regan o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 10 00 |
| Judy L. Istre o'clock a.m. | August 19, 2002 at 9:00 |

Alderwoman Melancon moved to amend the agenda to consider an application for emergency mosquito abatement funding. Seconded by Alderman Premeaux and duly adopted after a unanimous vote.

City Officials talked extensively about the current status of the annexations in connection with the North of I-10 Sewer Line and Pump Station Project. Mr. Bill Fontenot the District Engineer with DOTD, Mr. Darrell Pontiff the Regional Engineer with Department of Health and City Official answered questions from the audience.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Istre, duly seconded by Alderman Doré, and duly resolved and adopted.

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF CROWLEY, ACADIA PARISH, LOUISIANA, AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION FOR EMERGENCY FUNDS FOR MOSQUITO ABATEMENT UNDER THE LOUISIANA EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE AND DISASTER ACT: AND TO PROVIDE FOR ALL MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO AND IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

WHEREAS, the Honorable M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr., Governor of the State of Louisiana, has issued an Emergency Disaster Proclamation No. 0802 under the provisions of the Louisiana Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act of 1993; and

WHEREAS, under Disaster Declaration No. 0802, the affected agencies, including local governments, are eligible for emergency assistance; and

WHEREAS, the Disaster Proclamation provides emergency funding to recover expenses directly associated with work performed in response to the West Nile Virus;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Crowley, in special session duly convened, that they do hereby authorize, empower and direct the Honorable Isabella L. de la Houssaye, Mayor of the City of Crowley, to file an application for emergency assistance as provided for in the Louisiana Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act of 1993 under the Governor's State-Wide Disaster Declaration No. 0802 for the reimbursement of expenditures directly resulting from and associated with the response by the City to the West Nile Virus, which were incurred on or after June 1, 2002; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Honorable Isabella L. de la Houssaye shall include all necessary documentation and information as may be required to obtain reimbursement for expenses incurred for work and damages associated with the response by the City to the West Nile Virus beginning on June 1, 2002; and to perform all other matters associated with or necessary to complete said application.

THUS DONE AND ADOPTED in special session duly convened on the 20th day of August, 2002 at Crowley, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, at which a quorum was acting throughout.

ISABELLA L. DE LA

HOUSSAYE, MAYOR

ATTEST:

JUDY L. ISTRE, CITY CLERK

There being no further business to come before the Council upon motion duly made and seconded the meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

ISABELLA L DE LA

HOUSSAYE, MAYOR

ATTEST:

JUDY L. ISTRE, CITY CLERK

Presented rough draft to Mayor on August 21, 2002 at 4:30 p.m.

Presented for Mayor signature on September 5, 2002 at 1:00 p.m.

Mayor signed & returned to City Clerk on September , 2002 at .m.