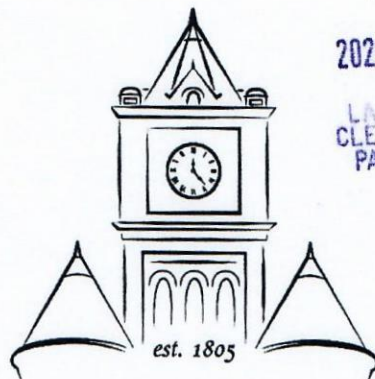


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PROCLAMATION OF EMERGENCY RELATED TO COVID-19, CORONAVIRUS EPIDEMIC

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020 the Governor of the State of Louisiana declared a State of Emergency, ordering quarantines for non-essential workforce, and for Louisiana Residents in order to prevent the spread of the Coronavirus, Covid-19. Prior to the declaration by the governor, COVID-19, Coronavirus, was declared by the President of the United States, and other nations throughout the world to be a worldwide Pandemic. The governments of the United States and of this State, have recognized that quarantine for non-essential workforce is necessary to prevent the spread of this deadly virus to members of the public, and in the best interest of the public safety of its individual citizens.

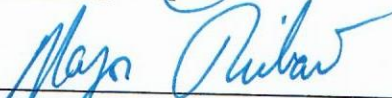
WHEREAS, as the Parish President of Pointe Coupee Parish, I, Major Thibaut, declare that the Parish of Pointe Coupee, State of Louisiana, and all of its citizens must strictly adhere to the Sanitary Code of the State of Louisiana, La. R.S. 40:4 et seq. in order to prevent the spread of this infectious disease among our citizens, and that failure to abide by such will be prosecuted, civil action will be taken and those violating said laws and causing the spread of COVID-19, Coronavirus will be arrested immediately upon sight without a warrant pursuant to La. R.S. 40:9.

WHEREAS, such willful violations of the Sanitary Code of Louisiana hinders the execution of the ordinances of the Parish, the laws of this state and of the United States, and endangers health, safety, and welfare of persons and property within the Parish of Pointe Coupee to prevent the spread of this virus, and will result in


prosecution to the fullest extent of the law for willful violation pursuant to La. R.S. 40:6, whoever violates this provision of the sanitary code dealing with the isolation or quarantine of communicable disease, or any person having such a communicable disease that may cause a severe health hazard to the community and who, after having been officially isolated or quarantined by any local health officer or by the state health officer or the duly authorized representative, which makes such violations a felony punishable by up to two years incarceration.

Now, therefore, I, Major Thibaut, Parish President of the Parish of Pointe Coupee, under and by virtue of the authority vested in me do now proclaim that a state of emergency exists, and I command all persons engaged in such violations of the Louisiana Sanitary Code, or those failing to abide by home quarantine, or hospitalization, if you have tested positive for COVID-19, Coronavirus, or have symptoms of the same, to cease and desist immediately with said actions, and to immediately self-quarantine to home or to a hospital. ALL persons are prohibited from entering into any public place or business if they have tested positive for COVID-19, CORONAVIRUS, OR if they are exhibiting symptoms of the same for any reason.

I, *Major Thibaut*, Parish President of the Parish of Pointe Coupee, State of *Louisiana*, affix my signature to this proclamation as such Parish President on this 2ND day of April, 2020, at 2:15 pm.



Major Thibaut
Parish President

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