

STATE OF LOUISIANA  
**RESILIENT LOUISIANA COMMISSION**  
NOTICE & AGENDA

**MEETING**

Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020, 10:00am CDT

This meeting will be available via livestream and members of the public are encouraged to provide comments to [resilientlouisiana@la.gov](mailto:resilientlouisiana@la.gov) and/or the livestream chat function.

**Join via livestream:**

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwbWWFIJeJqhwePzDNP7fgQ?view\\_as=subscriber](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwbWWFIJeJqhwePzDNP7fgQ?view_as=subscriber)

**Agenda**

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Certification for Lack of Quorum
3. Special Address: Gov. John Bel Edwards
4. Unemployment Brief: LWC Secretary Ava DeJoie
5. COVID-19 and Vaccination Update: LDH Interim Assistant Secretary Dr. Joseph Kanter
6. Other Business
7. Comments from the Public
8. Closing Remarks and Adjournment

**RESILIENT LOUISIANA COMMISSION CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO  
LA 42:17.1 (ACT NO. 302 OF THE 2020 LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION)**

In accordance with LA. R.S. 42:17.1 (ACT NO. 302, 2020 REGULAR LEGISLATIVE SESSION) and there currently being in effect a public health emergency as declared by Governor John Bel Edwards in Executive Proclamation 25 JBE 2020 issued on March 11, 2020 in response to the threat posed by COVID 19, which remains in effect pursuant to Executive Proclamation 168 JBE 2020, issued on November 24, 2020, which declared that a statewide public health emergency continues to exist and which remains in effect from Wednesday, November 25, 2020 to Wednesday, December 23, 2020, or as extended by any subsequent Proclamation, unless terminated sooner, this notice shall serve as a certification by the presiding officer of the Resilient Louisiana Commission (“RLC”), Secretary Don Pierson, that:

- 1) A declared state of public emergency exists through December 23, 2020 in response to the threat posed by COVID-19 as reflected in Executive Proclamation 168 JBE 2020, issued on November 24, 2020;
- 2) An in-person meeting of the RLC conducted in accordance with otherwise ordinary provisions of the Louisiana Open Meetings Law would be detrimental to the health, safety and welfare of the public;
- 3) The agenda of the meeting to be held on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020, is limited to matters that are directly related to RLC’s response to the public emergency and are critical to the health, safety or welfare of the public;
- 4) In addition, Proclamation Number 168 JBE 2020, limits crowd sizes to not more than 25% of capacity in any single indoor space at the same time where individuals will be in close proximity to one another and unable to maintain social distancing of six feet apart from individuals who are not immediate household members. The RLC is composed of 18 members and 30 sub-committee Task Force Leaders, and would likely have a total indoor crowd at the meeting, including staff and members of the public, that due to available room space limitations would exceed the 25% capacity limitation.

Considering the foregoing and pursuant to LA. R.S. 42:17.1, the Resilient Louisiana Commission meeting on December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 10:00am CDT will be held via video conference and in a manner that allows for observation and input by members of the public as set forth in the notice of such meeting posted herewith.



Secretary Don Pierson

**RLC Co-Chair**