

ORDINANCE NO. 446-2020

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF YOUNGSVILLE, LOUISIANA
DECLARING THE REGIONAL DETENTION POND PROJECT TO
BE A PUBLIC NECESSITY AND AUTHORIZING THE
ACQUISITION OF THE NECESSARY LAND, EASEMENTS,
SERVITUDES, RIGHTS OF WAY AND OTHER PROPERTY
RIGHTS REQUISITE TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF SAID
PROJECT EITHER ON AN AMICABLE BASIS OR THROUGH
THE USE OF THE EXPROPRIATION PROCESS IF NECESSARY**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Youngsville that:

SECTION 1: The City Council for the City of Youngsville hereby declares the Regional Detention Ponds a public necessity.

SECTION 2: The public purpose to be served by the construction of said project will be to provide an improved enhanced public drainage to this area of the City of Youngsville.

SECTION 3: The project limit include areas in Township 11 S, Range 4 E, Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 14 and 24 and Township 11 S, Range 5 E, Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19 & 20 , map attached hereto and made a part hereof, and prepared by Youngsville's City Engineer

SECTION 4: The map indicating the area of interest is attached and is hereby approved and accepted by the City Council for the City of Youngsville.

SECTION 5: The Mayor for the City of Youngsville is authorized to acquire such land, servitudes, easements, rights-of-way, or other property rights as are found to be necessary under engineering standards to provide for the construction of said project; he is authorized to do so on an amicable basis or by the proper use of the power of expropriation granted under applicable State law. In pursuing said acquisitions, the Mayor is authorized to acquire conventionally or otherwise, said land, servitudes, easements, rights of way or other property rights and to settle the matters thus presented, on such terms and conditions as he shall deem proper and in the best interest of the city of Youngsville.

SECTION 6: All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict here with are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7: This ordinance shall become effective upon the signature of the Mayor of the City of Youngsville, the elapse of ten days after receipt by the Mayor of the City of Youngsville without signature or veto, or upon an override a veto, whichever occurs first.

This ordinance having been introduced on _____ was submitted for a vote and the vote therein was as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

The ordinance was adopted on this the _____ day of _____, 2020.

Ken Ritter – Mayor

Sally M. Angers, City Clerk

