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# Looking back at a year of growth

Dear Louisiana,

In the last two years, Keep Louisiana Beautiful (KLB) has experienced monumental growth and success as an organization. Our achievements were made possible thanks to the support of our state's top and local leadership, our Affiliate network, community partners, and citizens who know and understand the socioeconomic value of striving for a litter-free Louisiana. With your help, we accomplished the following and more:

- KLB and the Lieutenant Governor worked together to implement the recommendations and key priorities made by the Governor's Task Force on Statewide Litter Abatement and Beautification.
- More than 313 tons of litter were removed from all 64 parishes during the 2023 Love the Boot Week.
- The KLB Affiliate network grew to include 43 Community Affiliates and 10 University Affiliates.
- Through the new Get Down and Clean Up program, 100+ public libraries now have cleanup supplies for the public to check out and put to good use.
- The Clean Biz Partnership was developed and now includes 28 chambers of commerce and 160+ businesses who understand the link between cleanliness and economic prosperity.
- New grant programs were created, distributing 879 trash receptacles to 98 organizations in 40 parishes and funding 39 beautification projects in 24 parishes.
- A value of \$959,676 in grant funding was awarded this fiscal year through all KLB grant programs.
- KLB facilitated the state's first four-part litter study on the cost of litter abatement, roadside litter, the public perception of litter, and best practices for roadway litter removal. Our findings will inform how we move forward in our efforts to tackle Louisiana's litter problem.

These successes would not have come to fruition without the commitment of the Lieutenant Governor and his team. They have truly stepped up to the plate and continue to prioritize making Louisiana a cleaner, greener place to call home.

I am pleased to have experienced such incredible progress in such a short time, but as you know, this journey is just beginning. We must change our mindsets and adopt behaviors that prevent litter in the first place. Let's keep working together to *Let Louisiana Shine*.

With gratitude, Susan Russell

#### About Keep Louisiana Beautiful

Keep Louisiana Beautiful brings people together to build and sustain vibrant, clean communities. Through our programs and a statewide network of Affiliates, we provide tools and resources to prevent litter, reduce waste, increase recycling, and protect our state's natural beauty. Our mission is to promote personal, corporate, and community responsibility for a clean and beautiful Louisiana.

# 2022-23 Leadership

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Members of the KLB Board of Directors with Rocksey the Raccoon and Miss Louisiana at the 2023 Love the Boot Week Kickoff reception.

# Governor's Task Force on Statewide Litter Abatement & Beautification

Governor John Bel Edwards created the Task Force on Statewide Litter Abatement and Beautification by executive order in January 2022. The Lieutenant Governor's Office and KLB administer the group which consists of 26 Task Force members representing various state and local government agencies, businesses, non-profits, private groups and communities. Together, they dedicated over 400 hours to developing eight key recommendations for tackling litter in Louisiana:

- 1. Establish Fundamentals to Sustain Litter Prevention and Beautification Efforts
- 2. Raise Public Awareness
- 3. Build Knowledge through Training and Education
- 4. Advance Youth Education to Create a Culture of Cleanliness
- 5. Strengthen Litter and Illegal Dumping Enforcement Efforts
- 6. Improve Waste Disposal Practices and Recycling Opportunities
- 7. Expand Litter Prevention and Removal Initiatives
- 8. Support Beautification and Community Appearance Enhancement

Along with these recommendations, 47 key priorities were proposed and adopted. Since the completion of the Task Force report in July 2022, KLB has conducted a four-part litter study, introduced two new grant programs for trash receptacles and community beautification, launched a program to engage chambers and businesses in litter prevention and reduction, and partnered with libraries to make cleanup supplies available for check out. KLB's expanded initiatives are covered in this Overview and Outcomes Report.



Susan Russell, KLB Executive Director



Lieutenant Governor Billy Nungesser

# **Community Affiliate Network**

### **Welcome Our New Community Affiliates!**

In May of 2023, three new Community Affiliates completed the Affiliation process and onboading: Algiers, the City of Baker, and the French Quarter Management District.







In 2022, the KLB Community Affiliate network was comprised of 40 organizations located in the listed communities. All are dedicated to litter prevention and removal, environmental education, waste reduction practices, and beautification efforts. Asterisks indicate the Affiliates that contributed data to the 2022 impact highlights found below. The impact numbers also include KLB data. The full report is available at keeplouisianabeautiful.org.

Abbeville\*
Abita Springs\*
Ascension\*
Assumption\*
Baton Rouge\*
Bossier\*
Calcasieu\*
Covington\*
DeRidder\*
DeSoto\*
Eunice\*
Hammond\*
Jefferson\*

Lacombe\*
Lake Charles\*
Lafayette\*
Lincoln
Livingston
Madisonville\*
Mandeville\*
Monroe
Morehouse
Natchitoches\*
New Orleans\*
New Roads
Ouachita\*
Pearl River

St. James\*
St. John\*
St. Martin
St. Mary\*
St. Tammany
Shreveport\*
Slidell\*
Tangipahoa\*
Terrebonne\*
Union\*

West Baton Rouge\*
West Feliciana
West Monroe\*

Data from July 1 2021 - June 30, 2022

## 2022 KLB & Community Affiliate Impact



314,793 volunteers & participants













teachers & students reached



tons of hazardous waste diverted



196,804 grants

awarded



tons recycled





planted

# **University Partnerships**

## **University Affiliate Program**

As of May 2023, KLB has graduated its second class of University Affiliates, including Loyola University New Orleans, Northwestern State University, and University of Louisiana Monroe. The KLB University Affiliate program, engaging college students in environmental stewardship and sustainability practices, is the largest and most successful program of its kind in the U.S.

This program is funded through a \$500,000 five-year EPA Gulf of Mexico Trash-Free Waters Grant secured by University of Louisiana at Lafayette, with KLB as a sub-recipient to create and launch the program and fund grant opportunities for University Affiliates. The KLB University Affiliates include:



Keep Northwestern State Beautiful conducting their campus waste audit.





















## **University Sustainability Coalition**

The University Sustainability Coalition, including the University Affiliates and five additional schools, meets throughout the academic school year with one goal—to increase higher education sustainability efforts in Louisiana. The 2022-23 topics covered included becoming a Bee Campus, implementing native plants, increasing student and faculty engagement, and spring sustainability initiatives. Members include:

Centenary College of Louisiana, Dillard University, Grambling State University, L.E. Fletcher Technical Community College, Louisiana State University, Louisiana Tech University, Loyola University New Orleans, McNeese State University, Nicholls State University, Northwestern State University, River Parishes Community College, Tulane University, University of Louisiana at Lafayette, University of Louisiana at Monroe, University of New Orleans, and Xavier University of Louisiana.

# **Education**

TOTAL REACH 355 event attendees 50 training hours

#### **State Conference**

KLB's State Conference is an annual educational training and networking forum welcoming all to learn about proven practices and innovative programs designed to achieve a cleaner, greener, and more resilient Louisiana. On October 11-12, 2022, **228 attendees received up to 10 hours of training each.** 2022 topics related to the eight recommendations made by the Governor's Task Force on Statewide Litter Abatement and Beautification.



Community and University Affiliates, board members, and partners were invited to attend one of three Regional Meetings in Jefferson Parish, Shreveport, and Lake Charles. At the three meetings held in the summer of 2023, **74 total attendees received up to six training hours each.** 

## "Harry the Snakebird"

All 361 Louisiana public libraries and bookmobiles and all State Parks in Louisiana received hardback copies of "Harry the Snakebird" by Wendy Carbo. The libraries received a copy for public checkout and another copy for librarians to utilize for story time and children's programs. The book, based on a true story, tells the tale of two children who freed an Anhinga (aka a snakebird) who was starving due to a littered band binding its beak. Thanks to Carbo, young readers are learning the importance of protecting wildlife from litter.

## **Rocksey's New Friends**

KLB's lesson plans and activity sheets for students in grades K-5 on litter, pollution, recycling, watersheds, waste management, marine debris, and environmental stewardship are currently being updated. Incorporated into these lessons will be Rocksey the Raccoon and friends — animal characters designed to help voice litter's harmful effects on wildlife and their habitats. KLB's current lesson plans and activity sheets can be downloaded for free at keeplouisianabeautiful.org.



Board members and Affiliate Directors from Calcasieu Parish network at the KLB State Conference.



KLB Affiliates and partners at the Regional Meeting in Shreveport.



Author Wendy Carbo visited with the children after doing a reading at Calcasieu Parish Public Library.



Rocksey the Raccoon, Pete the Pelican, Allie the Alligator, & Timmy the Turtle stand up for the environment.

# Recognition

#### 2022 Everyday Hero Awards

Each year at the State Conference, KLB recognizes those individuals, businesses, and organizations going the extra mile to keep our communities clean, beautiful, and litter-free. The 2022 Everyday Heroes are listed below and information about them can be found at keeplouisianabeautiful.org.



Jane Boudreaux
Alice Foster Award



Oscar D. Howard Jr.
Golden Can Award



Louisiana Stormwater Coalition

Most Innovative Program Award



Gabreyela Gonzalez
Youth Leadership Award



Keep Bossier Beautiful
Outstanding Affiliate Award



Ginger Tastet
Outstanding Affiliate Director Award



New Orleans Ernest M. Morial Convention Center Corporate Leadership Award



Corporal Jason Stagg
Litter Enforcement Award



Keep Tigertown Beautiful
Let Louisiana Shine Award

#### 2022 Circle of Excellence

KLB honors Community Affiliates who meet established standards for the Circle of Excellence. Recipients who received a Circle of Excellence plaque and a \$500 cash award at the State Conference include: Abbeville, Abita, Ascension, Assumption, Bossier, Calcasieu, Covington, DeRidder, Eunice, Hammond, Jefferson, Lacombe, Lafayette, Mandeville, New Orleans, Ouachita, Shreveport, Slidell, St. James, St. John, St. Mary, Tangipahoa, Terrebonne, Union, West Baton Rouge, and West Monroe.

# **Grant Programs**

In 2022-23 fiscal year, KLB awarded a value of \$959,676 through its grant programs.

#### **Healthy Communities Grant Program**

The Healthy Communities Grant is a reimbursement grant that supports projects and programs with funding allotments up to \$8,000 per recipient. Programs and projects reduce litter and waste, educate youth and/or adults, increase recycling, and/or strengthen litter enforcement. This is a list of grants that were awarded in the 2022-23 fiscal year.



The T.E.C.H.E. Project teaching kids about water testing at their youth workshop.

Parish	Organization	Project	Awarded
Ascension	Ascension Parish Government	Recycling center expansion	\$8,000.00
Beauregard	Beauregard Arc	Recycling awareness campaign	\$7,000.00
Calcasieu	Arts & Humanities Council of Southwest LA	Storm drain marker youth art	\$5,000.00
Jefferson	Keep Jefferson Parish Beautiful	Recycling X-frames for events	\$5,350.00
	Town of Jean Lafitte	Litter signage & recycling containers	\$6,221.00
Orleans	Friends of City Park	Litter abatement campaign	\$8,000.00
	New Orleans Healing Center	Art competition for K-12 students	\$6,820.00
	Sankofa Community Development Corp.	Lower 9th Ward wetland corridor cleanup	\$7,720.00
	University of New Orleans	Storm drain marking program	\$4,169.00
	Xavier University of Louisiana	Cardboard recycling expansion	\$8,000.00
Ouachita	Ouachita Green	Highland Park recycling project	\$5,600.00
Rapides	Glass Act Recycling	Glass education recycling videos	\$7,095.00
St. Landry	Opelousas Downtown Development District	Recycled materials public art project	\$6,475.00
St. Martin	The T.E.C.H.E. Project	"Geaux Paddle" youth waterway workshop	\$2,500.00
St. Tammany	Big Sky Ranch	Community recycling	\$5,040.00
Union	Town of Farmerville	Glass recycling	\$8,000.00
Webster	Webster Parish Police Jury	Mobile recycling program	\$8,000.00

Total grants awarded: \$108,990

# **Grant Programs Cont.**

### **Community Affiliate Grant Program**

KLB's Community Affiliate Grant Program supports Affiliate organizations across Louisiana that are actively engaged and committed to making a measurable impact in their local communities. Affiliates who meet specific criteria at application time can apply for funding for programs, cleanup supplies, and trash receptacles.

Grant recipients included Abbeville, Abita, Bossier, DeRidder, DeSoto, Eunice, Lafayette, Livingston, Mandeville, Natchitoches, Ouachita, St. Martin, St. Mary, St. John, Terrebonne, Union, West Monroe, and Shreveport Green.

Total funding value: \$58,597

#### **University Affiliate Grant Program**

The new University Affiliate Grant Program was made possible with funding from a five-year EPA Gulf of Mexico Trash-Free Waters Grant. The selected universities received grants for up to \$5,000 for projects focused on sustainability, waste reduction, and/or litter prevention.

#### Awarded projects include:

- Grambling State University: Recycling receptacles and installation
- Louisiana State University: Recollect Waste Wizard application
- Nicholls State University: Water bottle filling station and installation
- University of Louisiana at Lafayette: Trash and recycling receptacles and installation
- University of New Orleans: Water bottle filling station and installation
- Xavier University of Louisiana: Water bottle filling station and installation



Keep Nicholls Beautiful installed water bottle refill stations and distributed reusable water bottles to students.

## Total funding value: \$29,317



Keep UNO Beautiful installed water bottle refill stations to reduce single-use plastics.

# **Grant Programs Cont.**

#### Trash Receptacle Grant Program

The new Trash Receptacle Grant awarded up to 10 receptacles per grantee, including non-profit and governmental organizations. Grantees performed litter scans before and after the receptacles were installed. All grantees reported a significant reduction in litter in the areas surrounding the installed receptacles.

860 receptacles awarded

96
recipient
organizations

40 Louisiana parishes

Total funding value: \$615,557



Town of Clinton with a new trash receptacle.

78%
reduction in litter
(pre vs. post litter scans)

#### **Beautification Grant Program**

The new Beautification Grant Program funded projects with reimbursements up to \$5,000. Many projects featured welcome signs with landscaping for communities across the state to enhance civic pride and foster volunteerism. Other areas were revitalized that had experienced weather damage or neglect due to the pandemic. Organizations also enhanced their spaces with native flowers, plants, and trees, and in the process attracted pollinators, created a natural infrastructure for storm protection, and provided a space for learning about and enjoying the outdoors.

38 recipient organizations

21 Louisiana parishes 300 trees planted 3,674 plants

Total award value: \$147,215



Keep Abita Beautiful installed a new welcome sign surrounded by native plants.

2,014
hours dedicated
by 477 volunteers

# **Louisiana Litter Study Preview**

To tackle litter in Louisiana, we must understand the problem. To guide our efforts, KLB facilitated the state's first four-part litter study on the cost of litter abatement, roadside litter, the public perception of litter, and best practices for roadway litter removal. Here is a preview of statistics from the soon-to-be-published study:

#### **Roadside Litter Data**

**143.87 mil** 

**LA** roadways

HU.U/ IIIII —

**24.5**%

tobacco products **13.7%** 

beverage containers **-10.8%** 

construction debris

# **Top Litter Sources**

53% motorists

17% unsecured loads

9% garbage trucks

43% of littered items included plastic packaging

41.9% of visible litter could be recycled

80% of sites reported plastic water bottles as the most frequently found item

38% more litter at sites without beautification most found item most found

**Public Perception Data** 

92% of respondents think litter is a problem in Louisiana

67.6%
respondents support having more litter law enforcement

of respondents support a fee for local litter abatement

# Clean Biz Partnership



Greater Minden Chamber

KLB and Louisiana Chamber of Commerce Executives launched the Clean Biz Partnership to engage Louisiana businesses in reducing and preventing litter across the state. Already **28 chambers of commerce and 160+businesses** are signed up to participate. In joining the Clean Biz Partnership, businesses pledge to adopt daily best practices for reducing and preventing litter such as cleaning parking lots, placing trash receptacles at storefronts, and maintaining clean dumpster areas and green spaces.

## Get Down and Clean Up

In collaboration with the State Library of Louisiana, KLB introduced the Get Down and Clean Up program at 100+participating public libraries across the state. Library cardholders can now visit participating libraries to check out and return litter clean up supplies, including litter grabbers, safety vests, and trash bags.



Vermilion Parish Library

## **Outdoor Event Guide**

We all love Louisiana's outdoor events, parades, and festivals, but we don't like the waste and litter they leave behind. With French Quarter Festivals, Inc., KLB is creating a best practice guide for outdoor event producers, conveying various levels of strategies for waste management and litter prevention. The guide will publish this fall and be introduced at the KLB State Conference October 10-11 in Baton Rouge.

# Let Louisiana Shine! Communications Reach

Let Louisiana Shine is the State of Louisiana's litter prevention campaign focused on educating citizens on the negative impacts of litter and how to stop it from happening in the first place. Tips shared through TV, radio, outdoor, and digital advertising include securing your load, cleaning out your truck bed, using a reusable grocery bag, and keeping a bag for trash in your vehicle and boat. The Let Louisiana Shine campaign, designed by Red Six Media, is the recipient of one Gold Telly Award, three Bronze Telly Awards, and a Gold ADDY from the American Advertising Federation Baton Rouge Chapter.

- Meta impressions
- 92.5 mil billboard impressions
- **10.37 mil** radio impressions

**765,415**NextDoor impressions

4.2 mil streaming tv impressions

C 1.42 mil ESPN impressions

120 mil impressions

\*Data is from March 22 - June 16, 2023.

#### **Billboards**





#### **Social Media**







## Love the Boot Communications Reach

**Ad Campaign Results** 



engagements

\*Ad campaign ran on Nextdoor, social media and radio March 20 - April 24, 2023

# **#LOVETHEBOOT**







Media Coverage

publicity value

earned media reach

# **KLB Communications Reach**

Social Media

followers

**impressions** engagements

Media Coverage

online publicity value

**Website Traffic** 

pageviews



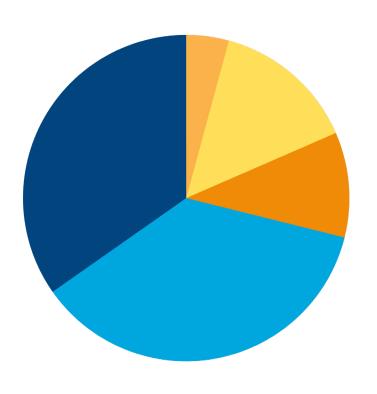
# 2023 Love the Boot Week Impact

**64** parishes

**12,777** volunteers

**61,493** volunteer hours

\$1.68 mil volunteer value



# 547 events

- 23 colleges & universities
- 57 individuals & families
- 78 k-12 schools
- 190 governmental entities
- 199 businesses & non-profits

# **Most littered items**

- 1. plastic beverage bottles
- 2. fast food packaging
- 3. alcohol cans & bottles
- 4. snack food packaging
- 5. plastic bags

313

tons of litter removed

**3,506** 

aluminum cans & #1
plastic bottles recycled at
13 sites, with support from
Osprey Initiative and
The Coca-Cola Company

145 gardens refurbished 3,542 plants planted 370 trees planted





# Thank you LOUISIANA

















#### Love the Boot Participants

**Businesses & Non-Profit Organizations** 

Abbeville Garden Club Acadiana Church of Christ

Alsen/St. Irma Lee Community Village

AMERISAFE Impact

ASR

Assumption Arc

Avenues Recovery Center

BackYard Sapphire

Baker Civic Club, Inc.

Baker Donelson BakerCares

Baton Rouge Area Chamber

Bayou Paddlesports

Bayou Lacombe Museum

Believers For Change

Bernice Cultural District

Beyond Bodcau Adventures

Bossier Chamber Diplomats

Bossier Chamber Of Commerce

Bouligny Improvement Association

Breath of Life Church

Broadmoor Improvement Association

Bulb & Blossom club of Eunice

Calhoun Civic Club

Cane River National Heritage Area

Central City Nick

Chamber Southwest Louisiana

City Park Conservancy

Clean Pelican

Clifton Choctaw Reservation Inc.

Coalition to Restore Coastal Louisiana

Coca-Cola Alexandria

Code Blue Inc.

Cornerstone Chemical Company

Cox Communications

CrazyPlantBae

Cub Scout Pack 221

Cub Scouts Pack 100

Cultural Crossroads of Minden

Culture of Cleanliness

Delachaise Neighborhood Association

Distinguished Young Gentlemen of

Shreveport

District E Business Alliance

Donaldsonville Area Chamber of

Commerce

Downtown Development District

New Orleans

Downtown West Monroe Merchants

East Carroll Parish Library

East New Orleans Neighborhood

**Advisory Commission** 

**Emery Equipment** 

ExxonMobil

Faubourg St. Roch Improvement

Association

Fifth Ward Community

Forever Takes A Village

Fountainbleau Estates HOA

Francois Bend Senior Community

François Parc Senior Community Friends of Joe W. Brown Park

Friends of the Coates Bluff Nature Trail

Garden District Neighborhood

Association

Girl Scouts Louisiana East Troop 20890

Girl Scouts Louisiana Pines to the

Gulf - Troop 96

Glass Act Recycling

Grambling Alumnae Chapter of Delta

Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Greater New Orleans East Business

Alliance

Greenville Extension/ Eden Park

Community Group

Gresham Smith

**Grow Gilbert** 

Hoffman Triangle Neighborhood

Association

Houma Terrebonne Marine Corps League

475/PNP Norma A. Liner Marine Corps

League Auxiliary

iNfinity Cheer and Dance Co.

Instep Credit Union

Irish Channel Neighborhood Association

Ivan Smith Furniture

Jefferson Performing Arts Society

Jericho Road Episcopal Housing Initiative

Jewel J Newman Community Center John W. Stone Oil Distributor LLC

Keep Abbeville Beautiful

Keep Abita Beautiful

Keep Algiers Beautiful

Keep Ascension Beautiful

Keep Assumption Beautiful

Keep Baker Beautiful

Keep Bossier Beautiful

Keep Calcasieu Beautiful

Keep Covington Beautiful

Keep DeRidder Beautifull

Keep DeSoto Beautiful

Keep Eunice Beautiful Keep Gibson Beautiful

Keep Hammond Beautiful

Keep Jefferson Parish Beautiful

Keep Lacombe Beautiful

Keep Lafayette Beautiful

Keep Livingston Beautiful

Keep Louisiana Beautiful

Keep Madisonville Beautiful

Keep Mandeville Beautiful

Keep Monroe Beautiful

Keep Morehouse Beautiful

Keep Natchitoches Beautiful

Keep New Orleans Beautiful Keep Ouachita Parish Beautiful

Keep Pineville Beautiful

Keep Slidell Beautiful

Keep St. James Parish Beautiful

Keep St. John Beautiful

Keep St. Mary Beautiful

Keep St. Tammany Beautiful

Keep Tangipahoa Beautiful

Kenner Business Association

Keep the Quarter Clean

Keep Tiger Town Beautiful

Keep Union Beautiful

Keep Terrebonne Beautiful

Keep West Feliciana Beautiful

Keep West Monroe Beautiful

Keller Williams Realty Acadiana,

Lafayette

LA Pro

Lafayette Coca-Cola United

Lake Charles Alumnae Chapter Delta

Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.

Latter and Blum Real Estate

LOOP NOLA

Louisiana Parole Project

Kenner Rotary

Krewe du Lapin Martele

Louisiana Swamp Base

Lower Garden District Neighborhood

Association

Love Your City

LoveCampti

Marksville Chamber of Commerce

Mid-City Neighborhood Organization

Mid City Redevelopment Alliance

Moncla Community Center Moncus Park

Monroe Alumnae Chapter of Delta

Sigma Theta, Inc.

Morehouse Community

Development Corp. Morehouse Parish Police Jury

Mt. Olive Baptist Church National Association of University

Women, Inc. Lake Charles Branch

New Hope Fellowship Church New Orleans Community of Lincoln

Beach

New Orleans & Company

New Orleans East Matters Coalition

New Orleans East Restoration Project **NOLA Artist Incubator** 

Nonpareil Chapter BR - Top Ladies of

Distinction

North Delta Regional Planning and

Development District

North Kenilworth Improvement and Security District/HOA

North Louisiana Economic Partnership Ogden Museum of Southern Art

Opelousas DAR

Opelousas Downtown Development District

Osprey Initiative

Ouachita Green

Pennington Biomedical Research

Center

Phi Delta Theta Phi Gamma Sigma Youth Sorority Inc. Pilot Club of Leesville Plains Marketing LP, St. James Plaquemines Parish Seafood Festival Providence Road Outreach Mission Rapides Parish Cleanup Red River Parish 4-H Red Six Media Refreshing Point Ministries Children's Department Restore Or Retreat, Inc. Revelation Knowledge, Inc. Risen Rock Climbing Gym Riverland Estates Homeowners Association Rockin' Rutherford Group, LLC Rotary Club of New Orleans Riverbend Rotary Club of Westlake Sabine Parish Leaders Against Litter Sama Studio Scotlandville Community **Development Corporation** Shady Oaks Garden Club Shreveport Aquarium Conservation Krewe Shreveport Green Southern Hills Neighborhood Association Southwest Louisiana Credit Union St. Martinville Chamber of Commerce Stonewall Sports - New Orleans Subway Terracon Consultants, Inc. The Greater First Church-Baptist The Junior League of Leesville The Kinchen Group The Louie Bear Project, Inc. The TECHE Project The Yoga Spot Thibodaux Main Street, Inc. Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc., Lake Charles Chapter Touro Bouligny Neighborhood Association Troop 133 University Lakes Improvement and Preservation Assoc., Inc - TULIPA Urban South Brewery VIET Visit Lake Charles VOTE Washington Parish Tourism We Love Our Boot - Broussard Cleanup Krewe

Westwego Beautification Commission

Zeta Psi Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi

Zachary Chamber of Commerce

Who Dat Barbershop Inc.

Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Winnsboro Main Street

**Colleges and Universities** Blue Cliff College Massage Department **BPCC SGA BREC Volunteer** Grambling State University (KLB Affiliate) Loyola University (KLB Affiliate) Louisiana State University (KLB Affiliate) Nicholls State University (KLB Affiliate) LaVetCorps, LSU LaVetCorps, ULM Louisiana Tech University Student Government Association LSU Alexandria Student Government LSU Student Government LSU Vet School Sustainability Advocates and Veterinary Environmentalists McNeese Society for Human Resource Management Northwestern State University (KLB Affiliate) Nunez Community College Student Government Association SciTEC in the College of Education at Tulane University (KLB Affiliate) University of Louisiana Lafayette (KLB Affiliate) University of Louisiana Monroe (KLB Affiliate) University of New Orleans (KLB Affiliate) Xavier University of Louisiana - XULA Green (KLB Affiliate) Government Acadia Parish Police Jury Allen Correctional Center Audubon State Historic Site Avoyelles Police Jury Bayou Segnette State Park Beauregard Parish Constable Office District 4 Beauregard Tourist Commission Bogue Chitto State Park Caddo Parish Parks & Recreation Chemin-A-Haut State Park Chicot State Park City of Central City of Donaldsonville City of Franklin City of Grambling City of Gretna City of Kenner City of Mansfield City of Monroe-Planning and Urban

Authority Columbia Main Street Community Clean Up Day Concordia Parish Library Councilmember Lesli Harris - District B Cypremort Point State Park DCRT-Office of State Parks, Port Hudson State Historic Site Denham Springs Antique Village Department of Agriculture & Forestry Department of Public Safety and Corrections Department of Veterans Affairs Department of Wildlife and Fisheries DEQ Acadiana Regional Office DEQ Headquarters DEQ Kisatchie Central Regional Office DEQ- Southwest Regional Office DEQ Surveillance Division/CRO Dixon Correctional Institute / DCI's Litter Getters Downtown Ruston Elayn Hunt Correctional Center Explore Houma Fairview Riverside State Park Fontainebleau State Park Fort Jesup State Historic Site Fort St Jean Baptiste Forts Randolph and Buhlow SHS Franklin Main Street Design Committee Jimmie Davis State Park LADOTD-District 02 New Orleans LADOTD-District 03 Lafayette LADOTD-District 04 Shreveport LADOTD-District 05 Monroe LADOTD-District 07 Lake Charles LADOTD District 08 Alexandria LADOTD District 58 Chase LADOTD-District 61 Baton Rouge LADOTD-District 62 Hammond LADOTD Headquarters LA Probation & Parole (Monroe District) Lafayette Convention and Visitors Commission Lake Bistineau State Park Lake Bruin State Park Lake Claiborne State Park Lake D'Arbonne State Park Longfellow-Evangeline State Historic Site Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women Louisiana Northshore Louisiana Office of State Parks Louisiana State Civil Service Louisiana State Museum Louisiana State Museum New Orleans Louisiana State Police Troop D Louisiana's Cajun Bayou Mansfield State Historic Site

Coastal Protection and Restoration

Development

City of Morgan City

City of Patterson

City of Springhill

City of Winnfield

City of Natchitoches

City of St. Martinville

New Iberia Main Street North Toledo Bend State Park Office of Governor John Bel Edwards Office of Lt. Governor Billy Nungesser Palmetto Island State Park Parish Council District 1 Parish Council District 7 - Ty Arnold Pineville Downtown Development District Plaquemines Parish Government Poverty Point World Heritage Site Rapides Parish Police Jury Raymond Laborde Correctional Center Rebel State Historic Site Rosedown Plantation State Historic Site Sam Houston Jones State Park Senator Patrick Connick South Toledo Bend State Park St. Bernard State Park St. Charles Parish Government St. Helena Parish Sheriff's Office St. John Parish Team Up to Clean Up Steamboat City Association Tallulah City Council District 5 The Mayor's Women's Commission of Leesville Tickfaw State Park Town of Amite City Town of Arcadia District 4 Town of Arcadia District 5 Town of Baldwin Beautification Committee Town of Ball Town of Campti Town of Clarks Town of Columbia Town of Delhi Town of Dubach Town of Duson Town of Franklinton Town Of Havnesville Town of Independence

Town of Iowa Town of Jean Lafitte Town of Jena Town of Jonesville Town of Kentwood Town of Lake Arthur Town of Livingston Town of Many Town of Pollock Town of Ringgold Town of Sarepta Town of Springfield Town of St. Joseph Town of Sterlington Town of Waterproof Town of White Castle Union Parish Library Village of Baskin

Village Of Belcher

Village of Chatham

Village of Choudrant

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