

Levee board meeting of 5-15-19

The entire meeting lasted 14 minutes.

People can say, " Fourteen minutes are hardly worth driving to attend." I say the issue is the \$9 million that is to be made available to Eastern St. Tammany that our communities', Moonraker Island, Clipper Estates, and Eden Isles, residents don't bother to put ourselves out to make certain we receive money.

I am embarrassed to report there were only 6 residents at the meeting, 3 from Moonraker, 2 from Clipper, and 1 from Eden Isles. I express once more, " If we don't show up, we don't care." That is the message to those who hold our community's future in their hands. If we don't care, that money will go to others who do.

Task 1, as discussed by a rep from Neel Schaeffer, was reasonably complete. Neel Schaeffer is ready to make the edits, but there are a few awaited updates from the parish data base.

There was a meeting with Rus Jaffre, engineer for CPRA, to work on an agenda involving CPRA recommendations, the \$9 million, etc. All stakeholders including the parish and the city of Slidell will be present.

TASK 2 will take on gap analyses producing maps with parish-approved fees.

The treasurer's report revealed over \$41 thousand in the account.

The next meeting is scheduled June 19, 2019, in Slidell. I pray we have a better show of representation.

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