

The following ordinance was presented for review on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2014. Upon a motion by Lavelle Penix, seconded by Joe Sturges, to begin a 30 day period of review. A Public Hearing will be held on August 6, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. to hear comments concerning Claiborne Parish Ordinance No. 778.

The following proposed ordinance was offered by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, upon a \_\_\_\_\_ vote, it was duly adopted on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2014 by the following YEA and NAY VOTE:

YEAS:  
NAYS:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

ORDINANCE No. 778

AN ORDINANCE CONSOLIDATING ELECTION PRECINCTS 87 AND 94 FOR CLAIBORNE PARISH, LOUISIANA AND CHANGING THE POLLING PLACE OF PRECINCT 87

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Revised Statute 18:532.1(B)(2)(a) states that precincts may be consolidated with adjacent precincts for the purpose of satisfying the requirement regarding the minimum number of registered voters per precinct;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Claiborne Parish Police Jury, that the following polling places are hereby designated and election precincts are hereby created through the consolidation of certain existing election precincts and shall become effective for all purposes on the first day of September, 2014, or upon receiving preclearance of said consolidation from the United States Department of Justice, whichever shall occur later.

SECTION 1: CLAIBORNE PARISH ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 87 AND ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 94 ARE CONSOLIDATED INTO A SINGLE ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 87.

Polling Place shall be Homer City Hall at 400 East Main Street in Homer, Louisiana.

{LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF NEW PRECINCT No. 87}

CLAIBORNE PARISH ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 87:

Beginning at the intersection of Dutchtown Road and Monroe Avenue in Homer, proceed easterly on Monroe Avenue to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Lewis Street, thence proceed northerly on Lewis Street to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Dutchtown Road, thence proceed easterly on said road to its intersection with the center flow channel of an unnamed creek crossing Dutchtown Road between Martin Luther King Drive and West 6<sup>th</sup> Street; thence proceed southeasterly along said unnamed creek to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Washington Street, thence proceed southerly on said street to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Pearl Street, thence proceed easterly on said street to the intersection with the center right-of-way of Ferguson Street, thence proceed southerly along said street and continue due south past the end of Ferguson Street to the center right-of-way of the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, then proceed southwesterly along said railroad to its intersection with the center flow channel of Caney Creek, thence proceed southwesterly along said creek to its intersection with the center right-of-way of U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed southwesterly on said highway to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Louisiana State Highway 9 and the center right-of-way of U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed southeasterly on Louisiana State Highway 9 to its junction with the center right-of-way of Moreland Road, thence proceed westerly on said road to its junction with Harris Road, thence proceed northeasterly on said road to its junction with the center right-of-way of U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed southwesterly on said highway to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Clear Lake Road, thence proceed northerly on said road to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Dutchtown Road, thence proceed northeasterly on said road to its intersection with the center right-of-way of Monroe Avenue, the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. POLLING PLACE OF PRECINCT 87

Polling Place for Claiborne Parish Election Precinct 87 shall be the Homer City Hall at 400 East Main Street in Homer, Louisiana.

SECTION 3. PUBLICATION

A copy of this ordinance shall be published in one issue of the official journal of this Police Jury, as required by law.

SECTION 4. CONFLICTING PROVISIONS

All Ordinances or Resolutions that are in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby expressly repealed. If any part of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional, that the balance of said ordinance shall be valid.

The foregoing Ordinance was adopted on the sixth day of August, 2014.

ATTEST:

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Dwayne R. Woodard  
Secretary-Treasurer