

APPLICATION FOR
ALTERNATIVE OYSTER CULTURE PERMIT

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES
New Orleans, Louisiana

Name of Applicant: JULES C. MELANCON

Address of Applicant: P.O. BOX 198
GRAND ISLE, LA 70358

Com Fish Lic: 015089Harvester Lic: 296759

Contractors Lic: 28202Surety Bond: 3380689

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BARATARIA BAY

Address: ~~P.O. BOX 198~~
GRAND ISLE, LA 70358

CONDITIONS

1. This permit is terminable by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (the "Department") upon significant or repeated violation of the permit or any applicable statutes, rules, or regulations by the permittee or anyone authorized by the permittee to engage in alternative oyster culture ("AOC") activities on the permitted area.

2. The permittee hereby indemnifies and holds harmless the State of Louisiana, political subdivisions of the state, the United States, and any agency, agent, contractor, or employee thereof against and from any claim arising as a result of operations by or for the permittee pursuant to this permit.

3. The permittee and anyone using this permit hereby holds the State of Louisiana, political subdivisions of the state, the United States, and any agency, agent, contractor, or employee thereof harmless from any claims arising under or as a result of the issuance of this permit in relation to diversions of fresh water or sediment, dredging or direct placement of dredged or other materials, any other actions taken for the purpose of integrated coastal protection, or adverse effects on water quality, including but not limited to increased sedimentation or eutrophication or fluctuations in salinity or pH.

4. The permittee shall remove and properly dispose of all equipment, facilities, and other items used for AOC activities within 120 days after termination, cancellation, or expiration of the permit, unless otherwise authorized by the Department.

5. All terms of the permit shall be subject to all applicable federal and state laws and regulations. The permittee shall comply with all terms of this permit, and with all terms of all other local, state, and federal permits necessary for the permitted activity.

6. Vessels engaged in permitted AOC activities shall have the permit on board the vessel, and the permittee or authorized user shall show the permit upon demand to any duly authorized agent of the Department.

7. The permit may be used only by the named permittee, or by a user authorized by the permittee who holds a valid oyster harvester license and a valid commercial fisherman's license. Persons working under the direction of the permittee or authorized user do not themselves need a permit or authorization. Authorized users engaged in permitted AOC activities shall have written authorization on board the vessel, and shall show the authorization upon demand to any duly authorized agent of the Department.

8. Upon placing any equipment or materials on State water bottoms, and before engaging in permitted AOC activities, the permittee shall comply with the following minimum requirements:

a. Marking, lighting, and warning devices for AOC activities shall, at a minimum, comply with United States Coast Guard regulations and requirements, and with all state and federal laws and regulations, as amended from time to time.

b. All areas where such equipment or materials are present on state water bottoms or in the water column shall be clearly marked.

c. The permittee shall place and maintain markers along the boundaries of the permit area, at intervals of 75 feet, between 3 and 12 feet above the water level.

d. The permittee shall place and maintain markers along the boundaries of the areas where AOC facilities or equipment are actually located, at intervals of 20 feet, between 3 and 12 feet above the water level.

e. The permittee shall place and maintain buoys conforming to United States Coast Guard markings at all corners of the permit area and the areas where AOC equipment or facilities are actually located, and midway between the corners if separated by more than 1000 feet.



f. Each buoy, each main cage, bag, or float, and each structure used for AOC activities shall contain an indelible and permanent tag that includes the AOC permit number.

9. The permittee shall post a surety bond in the amount of \$ _____ for the removal and disposal of the equipment and materials used for AOC activities, and provide the bond to the Department within 30 days after receipt of the permit and before placing any equipment or materials on State water bottoms.

10. The permittee shall comply with the following additional marking, lighting, and/or warning device requirements:

11. The permittee shall comply with the following reporting requirements:



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY U.S. COAST GUARD CG-2664 (Rev. 09-05)		PRIVATE AIDS TO NAVIGATION APPLICATION <i>(See attached instructions and copy of Code of Fed. Reg., Title 33, Chap. 1, Part 66)</i>				Form Approved OMB-1625-0011					
NO PRIVATE AID TO NAVIGATION MAY BE AUTHORIZED UNLESS A COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM HAS BEEN RECEIVED (14 U.S.C. 83; 33 C.F.R. 66.01-5).											
1. ACTION REQUESTED FOR PRIVATE AIDS TO NAVIGATION:		A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN B. <input type="checkbox"/> DISCONTINUE C. <input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE D. <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSFER OWNERSHIP				2. DATE ACTION TO START May 1, 2016					
3. AIDS WILL BE OPERATED:		A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> THROUGHOUT THE YEAR B. <input type="checkbox"/> TEMPORARILY UNTIL _____ C. <input type="checkbox"/> ANNUALLY _____ TO _____									
4. NECESSITY FOR AID (Continue in Block B) Private oyster culture		5. GENERAL LOCALITY Barataria Bay		6. CORPS OF ENGINEERS AUTHORIZED THIS STRUCTURE OR BUOY BY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PERMIT OR <input type="checkbox"/> LETTER (file and date)							
FOR DISTRICT COMMANDERS ONLY		7. APPLICANT WILL FILL IN APPLICABLE REMAINING COLUMNS									
LIGHT LIST NUMBER OR PAGE	NAME OF AID	NO. OR LTR. (7a)	LIGHT			POSITION (7e)	DEPTH OF WATER (7f)	CAN-DLE POWER (7g)	HT. ABOVE WATER (7h)	STRUCTURE	REMARKS (See instructions) (7i)
			PER. (7b)	FLASH LGTH (7c)	COLOR (7d)					TYPE, COLOR, AND HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND (7j)	
16051	JULES MELANCON AQUACULTURE FARM SPECIAL LIGHTED BUOY A		0.3	2.2	Y	29 18' 7.896" -89 56' 14.851	6'		3'	Buoy, Yellow, 3'	"A" labeled buoy
16051.01	SPECIAL LIGHTED BUOY B		0.3	2.2	Y	29 18' 7.750" -89 56' 6.599"	6'		3'	Buoy, Yellow, 3'	"B" labeled buoy
16051.02	SPECIAL LIGHTED BUOY C		0.3	2.2	Y	29 18' 0.240" -89 56' 6.613"	6'		3'	Buoy, Yellow, 3'	"C" labeled buoy
16051.03	SPECIAL LIGHTED BUOY D		0.3	2.2	Y	29 18' 0.359" -89 56' 17.782"	6'		3'	Buoy, Yellow, 3'	"D" labeled buoy
8. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: YELLOW FLASH CHARACTERISTIC: FLY2.SS, MINIMUM 1NM VISIBILITY, CG APPROVED MARINE LANTERN.											
APPROVED											
9a. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON IN DIRECT CHARGE OF AID Jules Melancon P.O. Box 198 Grand Isle, LA 70358		10a. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OR CORPORATION AT WHOSE EXPENSE Jules Melancon, Inc. P.O. Box 198 Grand Isle, LA 70358		10b. THE APPLICANT AGREES TO SAVE THE COAST GUARD HARMLESS WITH RESPECT TO ANY CLAIM OR CLAIMS THAT MAY RESULT ARISING FROM THE ALLEGED NEGLIGENCE OF THE MAINTENANCE OR OPERATION OF THE APPROVED AID(S).							
9b. TELEPHONE NO. 504-628-1913				10c. DATE 3/3/16		10d. SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF OFFICIAL SIGNING 					
FOR USE BY DISTRICT COMMANDER		RECD. CHART L.N.M.		DATE APPROVED 3/23/16		SIGNATURE (By direction) 					
SERIAL NO.	CLASSIFICATION OF AIDS I		11358, 111364, 11365 13/16								

PREVIOUS EDITIONS ARE OBSOLETE

JOE W. VAWTERS, CHIEF
PRIVATE AIDS TO NAVIGATION



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
P.O. BOX 60267
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA 70160-0267

FEB 19 2016

Operations Division
Eastern Evaluation Section

SUBJECT: MVN-2015-02338-ES

Jules C. Melancon
Post Office Box 198
Grand Isle, Louisiana 70358

Dear Mr. Melancon,

Enclosed is a permit dated this date, subject as above, authorizing work under the Department of the Army permit program.

You are again reminded that any work not in accordance with the approved plans is subject to removal regardless of the expense and the inconvenience that such removal may involve and regardless of the date when the discrepancy is discovered.

Your attention is directed to all the terms and conditions of the approval. In order to have the work approved in accordance with the issued permit, all terms and conditions of the permit and plans shown on the drawings attached thereto must be rigidly adhered to.

It is necessary that you notify the District Engineer, Attention: Eastern Evaluation Section, in writing, prior to commencement of work and also upon its completion. The notification must include the permittee's name, as shown on the permit, and the permit number. Please note the expiration date on the permit. Should the project not be completed by that date, you may request a permit time extension. Such requests must be received before, but no sooner than six months before, the permit expiration date and must show the work completed and the reason the project was not finished within the time period granted by the permit.

A copy of Page 1 of the permit (ENG Form 1721) must be conspicuously displayed at the project site. Also, you must keep a copy of the signed permit at the project site until the work is completed.

Sincerely,

Michael V. Farabee
Chief, Eastern Evaluation Section

Enclosures

FEB 19 2016

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY PERMIT

Permittee: Jules Melancon

Permit No.: MVN-2015-2338-ES

Issuing Office: New Orleans District

NOTE: The term "you" and its derivatives, as used in this permit, means the permittee or any future transferee. The term "this office" refers to the appropriate district or division office of the Corps of Engineers having jurisdiction over the permitted activity or the appropriate official of that office acting under the authority of the commanding officer.

You are authorized to perform work in accordance with the terms and conditions specified below.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Install and maintain approximately 800 on-bottom wire mesh oyster cages for oyster production in accordance with the drawings attached in eight sheets, undated.

PROJECT LOCATION: In Barataria Bay, 2 miles north of Grand Isle, Louisiana in Jefferson Parish.

Permit Conditions:

General Conditions:

1. The time limit for completing the work authorized ends on **January 31, 2021**. If you find that you need more time to complete the authorized activity, submit your request for a time extension to this office for consideration at least 1 month before the above date is reached.
2. You must maintain the activity authorized by this permit in good condition and in conformance with the terms and conditions of this permit. You are not relieved of this requirement if you abandon the permitted activity, although you may make a good faith transfer to a third party in compliance with General Condition 4 below. Should you wish to cease to maintain the authorized activity or should you desire to abandon it without a good faith transfer, you must obtain a modification of this permit from this office, which may require restoration of the area.
3. If you discover any previously unknown historic or archeological remains while accomplishing the activity authorized by this permit, you must immediately notify this office of what you have found. We will initiate the Federal and State coordination required to determine if the remains warrant a recovery effort or if the site is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.
4. If you sell the property associated with this permit, you must obtain the signature of the new owner in the space provided and forward a copy of the permit to this office to validate the transfer of this authorization.

5. If a conditioned water quality certification has been issued for your project, you must comply with the conditions specified in the certification as special conditions to this permit. For your convenience, a copy of the certification is attached if it contains such conditions.

6. You must allow representatives from this office to inspect the authorized activity at any time deemed necessary to ensure that it is being or has been accomplished in accordance with the terms and conditions of your permit.

Special Conditions: Page 4

Further Information:

1. Congressional Authorities: You have been authorized to undertake the activity described above pursuant to:

(X) Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 (33 U.S.C. 403).

() Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1344).

() Section 103 of the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act of 1972 (33 U.S.C. 1413).

2. Limits of this authorization:

a. This permit does not obviate the need to obtain other Federal, State, or local authorizations required by law.

b. This permit does not grant any property rights or exclusive privileges.

c. This permit does not authorize any injury to the property or rights of others.

d. This permit does not authorize interference with any existing or proposed Federal project.

3. Limits of Federal Liability. In issuing this permit, the Federal Government does not assume any liability for the following:

a. Damages to the permitted project or uses thereof as a result of other permitted or unpermitted activities or from natural causes.

b. Damages to the permitted project or uses thereof as a result of current or future activities undertaken by or on behalf of the United States in the public interest.

c. Damages to persons, property, or to other permitted or unpermitted activities or structures caused by the activity authorized by this permit.

d. Design or construction deficiencies associated with the permitted work.

e. Damage claims associated with any future modification, suspension, or revocation of this permit.

4. Reliance on Applicant's Data: The determination of this office that issuance of this permit is not contrary to the public interest was made in reliance on the information you provided.

5. Reevaluation of Permit Decision. This office may reevaluate its decision on this permit at any time the circumstances warrant. Circumstances that could require a reevaluation include, but are not limited to, the following:

a. You fail to comply with the terms and conditions of this permit.


b. The information provided by you in support of your permit application proves to have been false, incomplete, or inaccurate (see 4 above).

c. Significant new information surfaces which this office did not consider in reaching the original public interest decision.

Such a reevaluation may result in a determination that it is appropriate to use the suspension, modification, and revocation procedures contained in 33 CFR 325.7 or enforcement procedures such as those contained in 33 CFR 326.4 and 326.5. The referenced enforcement procedures provide for the issuance of an administrative order requiring you to comply with the terms and conditions of your permit and for the initiation of legal action where appropriate. You will be required to pay for any corrective measures ordered by this office, and if you fail to comply with such directive, this office may in certain situations (such as those specified in 33 CFR 209.170) accomplish the corrective measures by contract or otherwise and bill you for the cost.


6. Extensions. General condition 1 establishes a time limit for the completion of the activity authorized by this permit. Unless there are circumstances requiring either a prompt completion of the authorized activity or a reevaluation of the public interest decision, the Corps will normally give favorable consideration to a request for an extension of this time limit.

Your signature below, as permittee, indicates that you accept and agree to comply with the terms and conditions of this permit.

x 
(PERMITTEE)

x 2-10-16
(DATE)

This permit becomes effective when the Federal official, designated to act for the Secretary of the Army, has signed below



February 19, 2016
(DATE)

Michael V. Farabee, Chief Eastern Evaluation Section

for Richard L. Hansen, District Commander

When the structures or work authorized by this permit are still in existence at the time the property is transferred, the terms and conditions of this permit will continue to be binding on the new owner(s) of the property. To validate the transfer of this permit and the associated liabilities associated with compliance with its terms and conditions, have the transferee sign and date below.

(TRANSFeree)

(DATE)

Special Conditions for MVN-2015-02338-ES

7. The permitted activity must not interfere with the public's right to free navigation on all navigable waters of the United States.
8. The permittee must install and maintain, at the permittee's expense, any safety lights, signs, and signals prescribed by the U.S. Coast Guard, through regulations or otherwise, on the permittee's authorized facilities.
9. The permittee understands and agrees that, if future operations by the United States require the removal, relocation, or other alteration, of the structure or work herein authorized, or if, in the opinion of the Secretary of the Army or his authorized representative, said structure or work shall cause unreasonable obstruction to the free navigation of the navigable waters, the permittee will be required, upon due notice from the Corps of Engineers, to remove, relocate, or alter the structural work or obstructions caused thereby, without expense to the United States. No claim shall be made against the United States on account of any such removal or alteration.
10. Permittee must comply with the enclosed: "Standard Manatee Conditions for In-Water Activities".

STANDARD MANATEE CONDITIONS FOR IN-WATER ACTIVITIES

During in-water work in areas that potentially support manatees, all personnel associated with the project shall be instructed and aware of the potential presence of manatees, manatee speed zones, and the need to avoid collisions with, and injury to, manatee. All personnel shall be advised that there are civil and criminal penalties for harming, harassing, or killing manatees which are protected under the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 and the Endangered Species Act of 1973. Additionally, personnel shall be instructed not to attempt to feed or otherwise interact with the animal.

All on-site personnel are responsible for observing water-related activities for the presence of manatee(s). To minimize potential impacts to manatees in areas of their potential presence, the permittee shall insure the following are adhered to:

- All work, equipment, and vessel operation shall cease if a manatee is spotted within a 50-foot radius (buffer zone) of the active work area. Once the manatee has left the buffer zone on its own accord (manatees must not be herded or harassed into leaving), or after 30 minutes have passed without additional sightings of manatee(s) in the buffer zone, in-water work can resume under careful observation for manatee(s).
- If a manatee(s) is sighted in or near the project area, all vessels associated with the project shall operate at "no wake/idle" speeds within the construction area and at all times while in waters where the draft of the vessel provides less than a four-foot clearance from the bottom. Vessels shall follow routes of deep water whenever possible.
- If used, siltation or turbidity barriers shall be properly secured, made of material in which manatees cannot become entangled, and be monitored to avoid manatee entrapment or impeding their movement.
- Temporary signs concerning manatees shall be posted prior to and during all in-water project activities and removed upon completion. Each vessel involved in construction activities shall display at the vessel control station or in a prominent location, visible to all employees operating the vessel, a temporary sign at least 8½" X 11" reading language similar to the following: "CAUTION BOATERS: MANATEE AREA/ IDLE SPEED IS REQUIRED IN CONSTRUCTION AREA AND WHERE THERE IS LESS THAN FOUR FOOT BOTTOM CLEARANCE WHEN MANATEE IS PRESENT". A second temporary sign measuring 8½" X 11" shall be posted at a location prominently visible to all personnel engaged in water-related activities and shall read language similar to the following: "CAUTION: MANATEE AREA/ EQUIPMENT MUST BE SHUTDOWN IMMEDIATELY IF A MANATEE COMES WITHIN 50 FEET OF OPERATION".
- Collisions with, injury to, or sightings of manatees shall be immediately reported to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's, Louisiana Ecological Services Office (337/291-3100) and the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Natural Heritage Program (225/765-2821). Please provide the nature of the call (i.e., report of an incident, manatee sighting, etc.); time of incident/sighting; and the approximate location, including the latitude and longitude coordinates, if possible.



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
OFFICE OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT**

P.O. BOX 44487
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA 70804-4487
(225)342-7591
1-800-267-4019

COASTAL USE PERMIT/CONSISTENCY DETERMINATION

C.U.P. No.: P20151037 (Amended)

C.O.E. No.: MVN 2015- 2338 ES

NAME: MELANCON, JULES C.
P.O. BOX 198
GRAND ISLE, LA 70358
Attn: Jules C. Melancon

LOCATION: Jefferson Parish, LA

Lat. 29-18-07 N / Long. 89-56-06 W (see plats for additional coordinates); approximately 2 miles north of Grand Isle in Barataria Bay.

DESCRIPTION: Proposed commercial oyster farm using on-bottom cages in an existing oyster lease area. The site will be marked by four lighted buoys and enclosed to navigation by 163 two foot PVC pylons. The oyster farm will be composed of up to 400 wire-mesh cages, each marked with an individual float line and a steel ID tag. Cages to be off loaded and retrieved via flat boat; no dredge or fill required for the proposed work.

AMENDMENT 1: Amendment to reduce the number of oyster cages from 800 to 400.

This amended permit supersedes the original permit which was issued December 28, 2015.

In accordance with the rules and regulations of the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program and Louisiana R.S. 49, Sections 214.21 to 214.41, the State and Local Coastal Resources Management Act of 1978, as amended, the permittee agrees to:

1. Carry out, perform, and/or operate the use in accordance with the permit conditions, plans and specifications approved by the Department of Natural Resources.
2. Comply with any permit conditions imposed by the Department of Natural Resources.
3. Adjust, alter or remove any structure or other physical evidence of the permitted use if, in the opinion of the Department of Natural Resources, it proves to be beyond the scope of the use as approved or is abandoned.
4. Provide, if required by the Department of Natural Resources, an acceptable surety bond in an appropriate amount to ensure adjustment, alteration, or removal should the Department of Natural Resources determine it necessary.
5. Hold and save the State of Louisiana, the local government, the department, and their officers and employees harmless from any damage to persons or property which might result from the use, including the work, activity, or structure permitted.
6. Certify that the use has been completed in an acceptable and satisfactory manner and in accordance with the plans and specifications approved by the Department of Natural Resources. The Department of Natural Resources may, when appropriate, require such certification to be given by a registered professional engineer.
7. All terms of the permit shall be subject to all applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
8. This amended permit, or a copy thereof, shall be available for inspection at the site of work at all times during operations.
9. The applicant will notify the Office of Coastal Management of the date on which initiation of the permitted activity described under the "Coastal Use Description" began. The applicant shall notify the Office of Coastal Management by entering a commencement date through the online system, or by mailing said information to OCM.
10. Unless specified elsewhere in this amended permit, this amended permit authorizes the initiation of the coastal use described under "Coastal Use Description" for two (2) years from the date of the signature of the Secretary or his designee on the original permit which was December 28, 2015. If the coastal use is not initiated within this two (2) year period, then this amended permit will expire and the applicant will be required to submit a new application. Initiation of the coastal use, for the purposes of this permit, means the actual physical beginning of the use of activity for which the permit is required. Initiation does not include preparatory activities, such as movement of equipment onto the coastal use site, expenditure of funds, contracting out of work, or performing activities which by themselves do not require a permit. In addition, the permittee must, in good faith, and with due diligence, reasonably progress toward completion of the project once the coastal use has been initiated.
11. The following special conditions must also be met in order for the use to meet the guidelines of the Coastal Resources Program:
 - a. This amended permit does not convey any property rights, mineral rights, or exclusive privileges; nor does it authorize injury to property.



- b. The water bottom shall not be disturbed during access to the proposed work location, other than that authorized and shown on the attached project plats, whether it be by dredging, wheel washing, propwashing, jetting, mucking, plowing, bull dozing or any other means of moving bottom material. Powered vessels shall be operated so as not to disturb the water bottom by propeller or jet action.
- c. That permittee shall insure that any habitable structure (i.e. home, camp, trailer, etc.) existing at the site (or subsequently anticipated as a result of these property improvements) has been provided (or shall be appropriately provided, upon such structure siting) with an individual-type domestic waste disposal system (i.e. septic tank, oxidation pond, mechanical plant, etc.) for which local health unit approval shall have been secured, as is required by the State Sanitary Code. Should such not have been accomplished, it will be necessary for Permittee to contact those appropriate personnel of the local governing health unit in order that such be accomplished.
- d. The area where the project is located is all part of the aboriginal homelands of the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana. As such, large villages, burial sites, and sacred sites were in place in that entire area. If at any time during the course of the work, any traditional cultural properties are discovered, Permittee shall immediately contact Kimberly S. Walden (Cultural Director) or Melanie Aymond (Research Coordinator) at (337) 923-9923 or (337) 923-4395. Office hours are Monday through Thursday from 7:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. and on Friday between 7:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. If traditional cultural properties are discovered on the weekend or after business hours, the notification shall be made the next business morning.
- e. All structures built under the authorization and conditions of this permit shall be removed from the site within 120 days of abandonment of the facilities for the herein permitted use, or when these structures fall into a state of disrepair such that they can no longer function as intended. This condition does not preclude the necessity for revising the current permit or obtaining a separate Coastal Use Permit, should one be required, for such removal activities.
- f. Structures must be marked/lighted in accordance with U. S. Coast Guard regulations.
- g. Applicant shall not discharge any drilling and/or workover effluent except for flocculated filtered water.

Applicant shall not discharge any human waste which does not meet or exceed the requirements of the Department of Health and Hospitals.

Applicant shall not discharge any produced waters.

Applicant is subject to all applicable state laws related to damages which are demonstrated to have been caused by this proposed action.

Applicant shall use any dredged material beneficially to create/restore emergent wetlands or place the material in open water in such a manner not to decrease the water depth greater than six inches.

Applicant shall provide to the LDWF a water bottom assessment (unless waived by LDWF) that meets LDWF protocol prior to commencement of the activity. A waiver request must be submitted to LDWF in writing and must state the justification for the request. Applicant may, at the request of LDWF and prior written approval of OCM, be required to modify the project if the proposed location unnecessarily impacts oyster reefs.
- h. No impacts to rare, threatened or endangered species or critical habitats are anticipated from the proposed project. No state or federal parks, wildlife refuges, wildlife management areas or scenic rivers are known at the specified site or within ¼ mile of the proposed project.

The Louisiana Natural Heritage Program (LNHP) has compiled data on rare, endangered, or otherwise significant plant and animal species, plant communities, and other natural features throughout the State of Louisiana. LNHP reports



summarize the existing information known at the time of the request regarding the location in question. LNHP reports should not be considered final statements on the biological elements or areas being considered, nor should they be substituted for on-site surveys required for environmental assessments. If at any time LNHP tracked species are encountered within the project area, please contact our biologist at 225-765-2643.

- i. Permittee is subject to all applicable state laws related to damages which are demonstrated to have been caused by this action.
- j. Permittee shall allow representatives of the Office of Coastal Management or authorized agents to make periodic, unannounced inspections to assure the activity being performed is in accordance with the conditions of this permit.
- k. Permittee shall comply with all applicable state laws regarding the need to contact the Louisiana One Call (LOC) system (1-800-272-3020) to locate any buried cables and pipelines.
- l. This amended permit authorizes the initiation of the Coastal Use described under "Coastal Use Description" for two (2) years from the date of the signature of the Secretary or his designee on the original permit which was December 28, 2015. Initiation of the Coastal Use, for purposes of this amended permit, means the actual physical beginning of the use or activity for which the permit is required. Initiation does not include preparatory activities, such as movement of equipment onto the Coastal Use site, expenditure of funds, contracting out of work, or performing activities which by themselves do not require a permit. In addition, Permittee must, in good faith and with due diligence, reasonably progress toward completion of the project once the Coastal Use has been initiated. If the Coastal Use is not initiated within this two (2) year period, an extension may be granted pursuant to the requirements contained in the Rules and Procedures for Coastal Use Permits (Title 43:1.723.D.). Please note that a request for permit extension MUST be made no sooner than one hundred eighty (180) days and no later than sixty (60) days prior to the expiration of the permit.

The expiration date of this amended permit is five (5) years from the date of the signature of the Secretary or his designee on the original permit which was December 28, 2015. If the Coastal Use is not completed within this five (5) year period, an extension may be granted pursuant to the requirements contained in the Rules and Procedures for Coastal Use Permits (LAC 43:1.723(D)).

Upon expiration of this amended permit, a new Coastal Use Permit will be required for completion of any unfinished or uncommenced work items and for any maintenance activities involving dredging or fill that may become necessary. Other types of maintenance activities may also require a new Coastal Use Permit.

- m. This determination does not eliminate the need to obtain a permit from the United States Army, Corps of Engineers or any other Federal, state or local approval that may be required by law. The drawings submitted with your referenced application are attached hereto and made a part of the record.

***** End of Conditions *****

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By accepting this amended permit the applicant agrees to its terms and conditions.

I affix my signature and issue this amended permit this 23rd day of May, 2016.

THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Karl L. Morgan, Administrator
Office of Coastal Management

This agreement becomes binding when signed by Administrator of
the Office of Coastal Management Permits/Mitigation Division, Department of Natural Resources.

Attachments

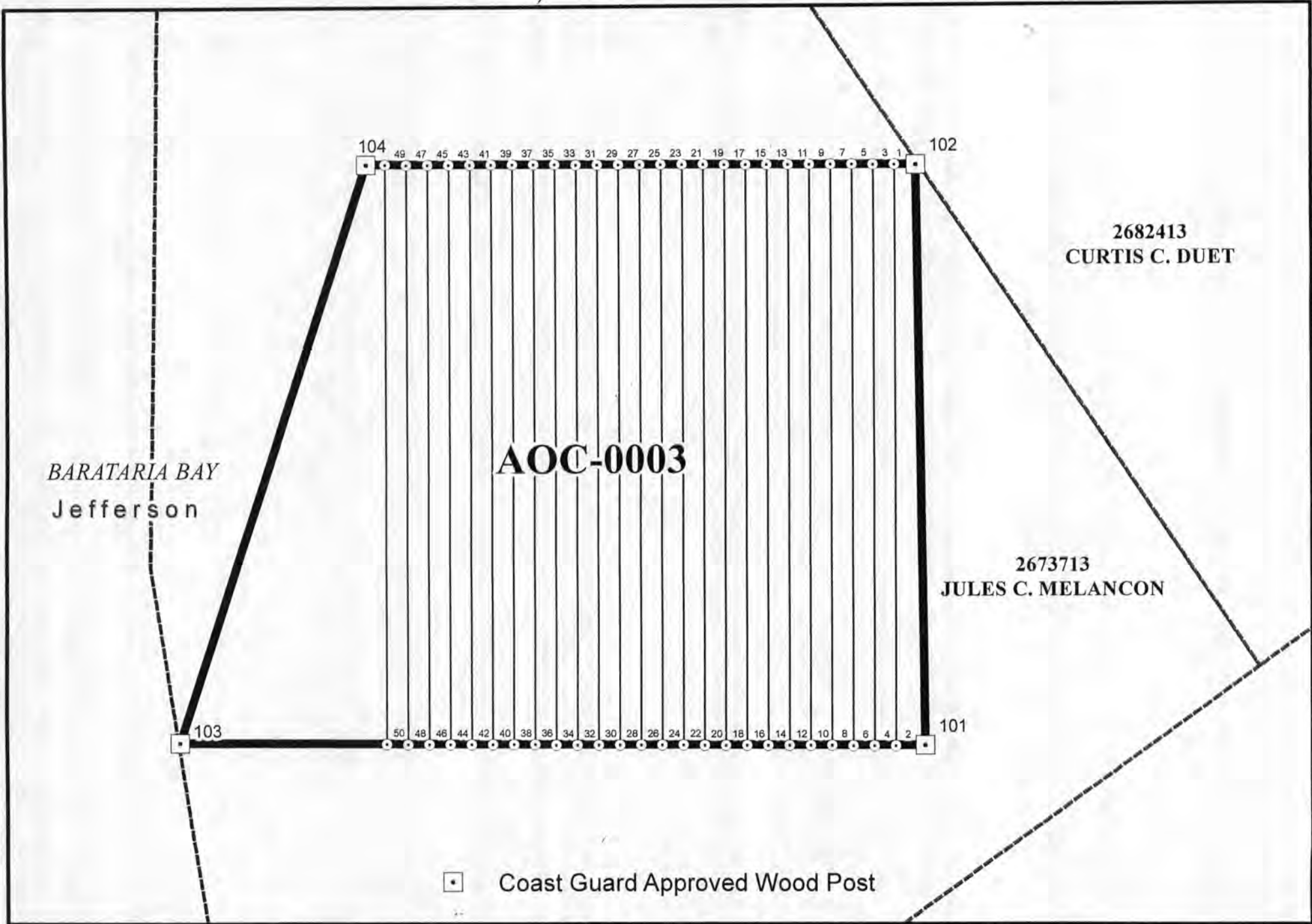
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Final Plats:

1) P20151037 Final Plats 05/20/2016

cc: Martin Mayer, COE w/attachments
Dave Butler, LDWF w/attachments
Les Rosso, State Land w/attachments
Jessica Diez, OCM w/attachments
Frank Cole, OCM/FI w/attachments
Jefferson Parish w/attachments



BOUNDARY COORDINATES		
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING
101	293,679.239	3,726,488.670
102	294,440.729	3,726,477.813
103	293,682.341	3,725,503.851
104	294,443.138	3,725,752.148

LOGLINE COORDINATES		
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING
1	294,440.822	3,726,449.814
2	293,678.645	3,726,449.800
3	294,440.915	3,726,421.814
4	293,678.738	3,726,421.801
5	294,441.008	3,726,393.814
6	293,678.831	3,726,393.801
7	294,441.101	3,726,365.814
8	293,678.924	3,726,365.801
9	294,441.194	3,726,337.814
10	293,679.017	3,726,337.801
11	294,441.287	3,726,309.814
12	293,679.110	3,726,309.801
13	294,441.380	3,726,281.815
14	293,679.203	3,726,281.801
15	294,441.473	3,726,253.815
16	293,679.295	3,726,253.802
17	294,441.566	3,726,225.815
18	293,679.388	3,726,225.802
19	294,441.658	3,726,197.815
20	293,679.481	3,726,197.802
21	294,441.751	3,726,169.815
22	293,679.574	3,726,169.802
23	294,441.844	3,726,141.815
24	293,679.667	3,726,141.802
25	294,441.937	3,726,113.815

POINT	NORTHING	EASTING
26	293,679.760	3,726,113.802
27	294,442.030	3,726,085.816
28	293,679.853	3,726,085.802
29	294,442.123	3,726,057.816
30	293,679.946	3,726,057.803
31	294,442.216	3,726,029.816
32	293,680.039	3,726,029.803
33	294,442.309	3,726,001.816
34	293,680.132	3,726,001.803
35	294,442.402	3,725,973.816
36	293,680.225	3,725,973.803
37	294,442.495	3,725,945.816
38	293,680.318	3,725,945.803
39	294,442.588	3,725,917.817
40	293,680.411	3,725,917.803
41	294,442.681	3,725,889.817
42	293,680.503	3,725,889.804
43	294,442.774	3,725,861.817
44	293,680.596	3,725,861.804
45	294,442.867	3,725,833.817
46	293,680.689	3,725,833.804
47	294,442.960	3,725,805.817
48	293,680.782	3,725,805.804
49	294,443.052	3,725,777.817
50	293,680.875	3,725,777.804

COORDINATES REFER TO THE LOUISIANA STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM SOUTH ZONE, NAD 83 AND ARE BASED ON G.P.S. DATA. COORDINATES ARE IN FEET, DIVIDE BY 3.280833333 TO CONVERT TO METERS.

TOPOGRAPHY PLOTTED FROM 2015 NAIP IMAGERY & STATE CLAIMED WATER BOTTOM LAYER CREATED BY THE LOUISIANA STATE LAND OFFICE.



SCALE : 1" = 167 feet

I CERTIFY THAT I APPROVE ON THIS DAY JULY 18, 20 16, FOR ACCOUNT OF JULES C. MELANCON
THE BOUNDARIES AND LIMITS OF A PORTION OF THE BED OR BOTTOM OF BARATARIA BAY FOR
OYSTER BEDDING PURPOSES, CONTAINING 15 SUPERFICIAL ACRE,
SITUATED WITHIN OYSTER LEASE 2673713 IN SECTION 33 T. 20 S., R. 25 E. IN
THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON, LOUISIANA, AND BOUNDED AS SHOWN ABOVE.

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LESSEE : [Signature]
APPROVED BY : [Signature]

QUAD 35

THIS DESKTOP SURVEY DOES NOT REPRESENT A PROPERTY BOUNDARY SURVEY AND IS NOT INTENDED TO FOLLOW THE LOUISIANA MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR PROPERTY BOUNDARY SURVEYS. THIS SURVEY IS FOR OYSTER LEASE PURPOSES ONLY.