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Washington, DC 20585

RE: Docket No. 23-87-LNG
Lake Charles Exports, LLC, Application

Dear Mrs. Sweeney:

The following is a certified copy of a resolution which was adopted by the Calcasieu Parish Police Jury on October 5, 2023, expressing support for an application by Lake Charles Exports, LLC, for long-term authorization to export liquified natural gas to non-Free Trade Agreement countries from the existing Lake Charles Terminal in Calcasieu Parish and encouraging expedited consideration and approval.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

CHRIS E. LANDRY
Police Jury President

s/jrw

cc: Mr. Jeffrey K. Brightwell, Energy Transfer

PARISH OF  CALCASIEU
State of Louisiana
RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF AN APPLICATION BY LAKE CHARLES EXPORTS, LLC, TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY FOR LONG-TERM AUTHORIZATION TO EXPORT LIQUIFIED NATURAL GAS (LNG) TO NON-FREE TRADE AGREEMENT (FTA) COUNTRIES FROM THE EXISTING LAKE CHARLES TERMINAL IN CALCASIEU PARISH.

WHEREAS, the Lake Charles Exports, LLC, project will have a significant positive impact on Louisiana in upcoming years, with nearly 3,000 estimated construction jobs during peak construction and billions of dollars of overall construction expenditures, and upon completion, will generate hundreds of high-quality jobs related to LNG operations, tug operations, and ancillary services;

WHEREAS, the Lake Charles LNG export facility will utilize significant existing infrastructure at the Lake Charles Terminal, thereby limiting environmental impacts from construction, with both the Department of Energy and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission concluding the project complies with applicable Federal environmental laws and that the project will satisfy acceptable and prudent environmental standards;

WHEREAS, expedited consideration and application approval are vital for the economic well-being of Calcasieu Parish, the State of Louisiana, and the United States as a whole.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE POLICE JURY OF CALCASIEU PARISH, LOUISIANA, convened in Regular Session on the 5th day of October, 2023, that it does hereby support the Application by Lake Charles Exports, LLC, to the U.S. Department of Energy for long-term authorization to export Liquified Natural Gas (LNG) to non-Free Trade Agreement (FTA) countries from the existing Lake Charles Terminal in Calcasieu Parish.

THUS PASSED AND ADOPTED on this, the 5th day of October, 2023.

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF CALCASIEU

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original resolution as adopted by the Calcasieu Parish Police Jury in Regular Session convened on the 5th day of October, 2023.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the seal of the Parish of Calcasieu, Louisiana, on this the 6th day of October, 2023.


Kathy P. Smith, Parish Secretary