

The following Ordinance was introduced by _____
seconded by _____ and duly adopted.

ORDINANCE NO.
08-02-A

EXTENDING AND ENLARGING THE LIMITS AND BOUNDARIES
OF THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE
AND INCLUDING THEREIN AN AREA KNOWN AS
THE TRAHAN PROPERTY ANNEXATION
TO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE VILLAGE
AND DEFINING THE ENTIRE BOUNDARIES OF
THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE
AS CHANGED BY SAID ADDITION

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice that:

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Act 315 of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana for the Year 1946 (R.S. 33:171 et seq.) a petition containing the written assent of a majority of the registered voters and a majority in number of the resident property owners as well as twenty-five percent (25%) in value of the property of the resident property owners within the area proposed to be included in the corporate limits as designated in said petition and hereinafter defined, has been presented to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen requesting that the said area be included in the Village of Maurice, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the said petition was accepted by the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice on the 19th day of December, 2007 and said petition has been continuously on file more than ten days preceding the final passage of this ordinance; and

WHEREAS, certification by the Assessor of Vermilion Parish that a majority of the resident property owners and the resident property owners with twenty-five percent (25%) in assessment value of the property within the area proposed to be included in the corporate limits of the Village of Maurice executed said petition was given on the 10th day of December , 2007.

WHEREAS, certification by the Registrar of Voters of Vermilion Parish that over fifty percent (50%) of the registered voters reside within the area proposed to be included in the corporate limits of the Village of Maurice executed said petition was given on the 29th day of October, 2007.

WHEREAS, notice of the filing of said petition was given by publication on the 17th day of January , 2008 in the Abbeville Meridional, a newspaper having a general circulation in the

Village of Maurice, Louisiana, and that ten days have elapsed since the date of publication of said notice;

NOW, THEREFORE,

Section 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice in regular session convened, that the limits and boundaries of the Village of Maurice, Louisiana are hereby enlarged and extended so as to include in the corporate limits of said Village the following described properties and territories, to-wit:

Beginning at a point along the existing corporate limits boundary line of the Village of Maurice, said point being the intersection of the line dividing the west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East and the centerline of the Granges Coulee; said point being the point of beginning; thence southwesterly along the centerline of the Granges Coulee to its intersection with the south right-of-way line of Louisiana Highway 92 (West Lafayette Street); thence due south along a line to its intersection with the south property line of the Giles P. Trahan heirs property; thence easterly along the south property line of the Giles P. Trahan heirs property and continuing easterly along the south property line of Loubert Trahan to its intersection with the line dividing the west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East, thence northerly along said line dividing the west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East to its intersection with the centerline of the Granges Coulee, said point being the point of beginning.

Section 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the boundaries of the Village of Maurice as enlarged and extended by the inclusion of the properties described in Section 1 hereof, are hereby defined and declared to be as follows:

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the Parishes of Vermilion and Lafayette (being the centerline of Coulee Ile Des Cannes) at the extreme northern end of the section line dividing Section 1 and irregular Section 38, Township 11 South, Range 3 East; thence easterly along said Parish boundary line to its intersection with the west property line of the Steve Broussard property; thence southerly along the west property line of the Steve Broussard property and continuing along the west property line of the Lily Broussard property and continuing along the west property line of Lula Mae Broussard, et. al. property to the southwest corner of said property; thence northwesterly along the south property line of the Lula Mae Broussard, et. al. property to its intersection with the west property line of the Grace Broussard property; thence southerly along said west property line and continuing along an extension of said property line to its intersection with east property line of the Dowell-Schlumberger property; thence southerly along said east property line of the Dowell-Schlumberger property to its intersection with the north right-of-way line of Soop Road; thence easterly along the north right-of-way line of Soop Road to its intersection with the line dividing Range 3 East and Range 4 East in Township 11 South; thence southerly along said line dividing Range 3 East and Range 4

East to its intersection with the south right-of-way line of Louisiana Highway 92; thence northwesterly along the south right-of-way line of Louisiana Highway 92 to its intersection with the line between the west and east halves of Section 12, Township 11 South, Range 3 East; thence southerly along said line between the west and east halves of Section 12, Township 11 South, Range 3 East to a point on the southern right-of-way of East Etienne Street; thence westerly along said southern right-of-way of East Etienne Street and continuing along the southern right-of-way line of West Etienne Street to a point on the extreme southern end of the line dividing the west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East; thence northerly along the said dividing line between said west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East and continuing along the dividing line between the west and east halves of Section 2, Township 11 South, Range 3 East to its intersection with the south property line of Giles P. Trahan heirs property; thence west along said south property line to its intersection with a line running due south from the intersection of the south right-of-way line of La. Hwy. 92 (West Lafayette Street) and the centerline of Granges Coulee; thence north along said line to its intersection with the south right-of-way line of La. Hwy. 92 and the centerline of Granges Coulee; thence northeasterly along the centerline of Granges Coulee to its intersection with the dividing line between the west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East; thence northerly along the said dividing line between the west and east halves of Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 3 East to a point at the extreme northern end of said line on the boundary line between the Parishes of Vermilion and Lafayette; thence easterly following the boundary line between the Parishes of Vermilion and Lafayette and the centerline of Coulee Ile Des Cannes to its intersection with the section line dividing Section 1 and irregular Section 38, Township 11 South, Range 3 East, said being the point of beginning.

Section 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all ordinances, motions and resolutions whatsoever in conflict herewith be and they are hereby repealed to the extent that they do conflict herewith as effectively as is specifically herein.

Section 4. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall not become operative or effective until thirty days after it has been published once in a newspaper having general circulation in the Village of Maurice, Louisiana.

The above ordinance was read section by section and was submitted to a vote, the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAHS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

The above ordinance was introduced on the 19th day of December, 2007 and declared adopted on this 20th day of February, 2008.

MELANIE DENAIS, VILLAGE CLERK

ROBERT FERGUSON, MAYOR