VILLAGE OF MAURICE

ORDINANCE NUMBER 09-04

AN ORDINANCE RE: URINATION AND/OR DEFECATION IN PUBLIC.

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

Louisiana, acting as the governing authority of said Village:

Ordinance Number 09-04 be enacted to read as follows:

- "a. It shall be unlawful for any person to urinate or defecate in public.
- b. Urination in public is the willful and intentional urination by a person in a public place, in a place not intended for such purposes, or in a place open to the public review.
- c. Defecation in public is the willful and intentional defecation by a person in a public place, in a place not intended for such purposes, or in a place open to the public view.
- d. Whoever commits the crime of urination and/or defecation in public shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of up to Five Hundred and No/100 (\$500.00) Dollars, and a term in the parish jail of up to six (6) months, or both.

This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

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

YEAS: Aldermen Darin Desormeaux, Gary Villien and Troy Catalon

NAYS: None

ABSENT OR PRESENT AND NOT VOTING: None

The above Ordinance was declared adopted on this 15th day of April, 2009, at Maurice, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE

BY:__

ROBERT FERGUSON, Mayor

BY:_

MELANIE DENAIS, Clerk

CERTIFICATE

I, **Melanie Denais**, Village Clerk of the Village of Maurice, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of an Ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice duly assembled in Maurice, Louisiana, on the 15th day of April, 2009, at which time a quorum was present and voting.

Signed on this 27th day of April, 2009, at Maurice, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

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BY:__

MELANIE DENAIS, Village Clerk