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Abstract: Authorizes the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government to expropriate property by a declaration of taking for integrated coastal protection projects.

Present law authorizes the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government to expropriate by a declaration of taking property needed for street, parish road or highway, drainage, flood protection, utility, and sewerage projects.

Present law provides for notice and procedures for expropriation by a declaration of taking.

Proposed law retains present law and adds integrated coastal protection projects to the list of projects for which the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government may expropriate property by a declaration of taking.

Proposed law defines "integrated coastal protection project" as projects intended to provide hurricane protection or coastal conservation or restoration as provided by R.S. 49:214.2(11).

(Amends R.S. 19:271(A) and (D); Adds R.S. 19:271(E))