

1 including Baker Hughes liquefaction systems, Honeywell/UOP pretreatment units, ABB
2 electrical and power systems, and GTT LNG containment systems, demonstrating
3 Louisiana's continued leadership in hosting world-class engineering, manufacturing, and
4 energy-infrastructure innovation; and

5 WHEREAS, the proposed project includes a Louisiana First policy, prioritizing
6 Louisiana manufacturing, Louisiana contracting, Louisiana procurement, Louisiana
7 shipyards, and Louisiana workforce participation, which would maximize direct and lasting
8 benefits to the state and its citizens; and

9 WHEREAS, the project aligns with the economic and workforce development
10 objectives of the Lafourche Parish government, the Greater Lafourche Port Commission,
11 Louisiana Economic Development, the Louisiana Community and Technical College
12 System, Nicholls State University, South Louisiana Community College, and other regional
13 training and industrial-development institutions; and

14 WHEREAS, expanding upstream natural gas development across the Gulf of
15 America region, enhancing Louisiana's midstream infrastructure, improving supply
16 reliability, and reducing transport inefficiencies further strengthens Louisiana's role as the
17 nation's central natural gas distribution hub; and

18 WHEREAS, it is worthy and in the state's strategic interest to pursue a policy of
19 exporting Louisiana-produced LNG exclusively to countries of shared values, meaning
20 nations that uphold democratic principles, adhere to international law, support global energy
21 security, and maintain strategic partnerships with the United States; and

22 WHEREAS, a values-based export policy strengthens alliances, promotes stability
23 among friendly nations, and ensures that Louisiana's natural resources contribute to a secure,
24 principled, and rules-based international order; and

25 WHEREAS, this project represents a generational opportunity to advance Louisiana's
26 energy leadership, strengthen local and regional economies, expand workforce opportunity,
27 and elevate the state's profile in global energy markets.

28 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
29 express full and unequivocal support for the development, construction, and long-term
30 operation of an LNG export facility at the Greater Lafourche Port Commission's Port

1 Fourchon, as a critical component of the state's economic, industrial, and strategic energy
2 future.

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Expresses support for the development, construction, and operation of an LNG facility at Port Fouchon.