

BREC TASK FORCE

August 29, 2018

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETING

TO: Members of the BREC Task Force

FROM: Representative Barbara W. Carpenter

The members of the BREC Task Force chaired by Representative Barbara W. Carpenter will meet as follows:

DATE: Wednesday, August 29, 2018

TIME: 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: State Capitol
House Committee Room 1

PURPOSE: The Legislative Task Force which is composed of stakeholders within East Baton Rouge Parish was created to study the issues related to the operation, management, funding, and location of the Zoo. Their report is to be presented to the House Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs by December 31, 2018. Given that BREC receives millions of dollars in funding annually from local property taxes, questions have been raised regarding how and why the Zoo has fallen into disrepair, how and why the Zoo has lost its accreditation thus a reported decline in the number of visitors.