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**WHEREAS**, a potential flooding event, starting August 11, 2016 around 9 a.m. may cause extensive damage in the Parish of Ascension; and

**WHEREAS**, immediate emergency actions are required to minimize the threat to life and property of the citizens of the Parish; and

**WHEREAS**, the area involved is in need of emergency actions and support to respond to the incident; and

**THEREFORE**, I, Kenny Matassa, President of the Parish of Ascension by the authority vested in me by the Ordinances of the Parish of Ascension, the Louisiana Emergency Assistance and Disaster Act of 1993, and any other acts which may prevail, do hereby proclaim that a State of Emergency exist in the Parish of Ascension. The Parish Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness is hereby designated as the point of contact for this action.

THIS PROCLAMATION ISSUED AT ASCENSION PARISH ON THIS 11 DAY OF AUGUST, 2016 AND EFFECTIVE AT TIME OF ISSUANCE.

*Kenny Matassa*  
Kenny Matassa, Parish President