

State of Louisiana



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER JBE 2020 – 4

FLAGS AT HALF-STAFF – DUDLEY ANTHONY “BUTCH” GAUTREAUX, JR.

- WHEREAS,** Dudley Anthony “Butch” Gautreaux, Jr., a former distinguished member of the Louisiana Legislature, died at the age of 72 on Saturday, February 22, 2020;
- WHEREAS,** he is survived by his wife of 51 years, Marilyn, their two sons, Michael and Lee, and seven grandchildren;
- WHEREAS,** he served his nation honorably in the United States Navy from 1968-1972;
- WHEREAS,** he served his state and his home of Morgan City in the Louisiana Legislature for sixteen years, first elected to the House of Representatives in 1995, then to the Senate in 1999, where he served for three terms; and
- WHEREAS,** Dudley Anthony “Butch” Gautreaux, Jr., lived his life with integrity and honor, and his public service as a lawmaker to the State of Louisiana will long be remembered.

NOW THEREFORE, I, JOHN BEL EDWARDS, Governor of the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the authority vested by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby order and direct as follows:

- SECTION 1:** As an expression of respect for Dudley Anthony “Butch” Gautreaux, Jr., the flags of the United States and the State of Louisiana shall be flown at half-staff over the State Capitol until sunset on Thursday, February 27, 2020.
- SECTION 2:** This Order is effective upon signature and shall remain in effect until sunset, Thursday, February 27, 2020.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of Louisiana in the City of Baton Rouge, on this 27th day of February, 2020.



GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA

**ATTEST BY THE
SECRETARY OF STATE**



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