

State of Louisiana

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION NUMBER 95 JBE 2020

MUNICIPALITY OF CLAYTON – CHANGE IN CLASSIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Board of Alderman of the Town of Clayton has sent a Resolution to the Governor requesting a change in classification of Clayton from “Town” to “Village,” in accordance with La. R.S. 33:342;

WHEREAS, Louisiana Revised Statute 33:341 describes three classes of municipal corporations: those with five thousand inhabitants or more are cities; those with less than five thousand, but more than one thousand inhabitants are towns; and those with one thousand or fewer inhabitants are villages;

WHEREAS, the Governor has investigated the facts, in accordance with La. R.S. 33:342, through the U.S. Census Bureau 2010 Census Data; and

WHEREAS, the certified results from the 2010 Census show that the municipality of Clayton has a population of 711 inhabitants.

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

SECTION 1: The municipal classification of the Town of Clayton is hereby reclassified from a Town to a Village, in accordance with La. R.S. 33:341 and La. R.S. 33:342.



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 23rd day of July, 2020.

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GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA

**ATTEST BY
THE GOVERNOR**

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SECRETARY OF STATE