



## LSC MILESTONES

- January 2020** Marie Constantin began 15-month cleanup of Capitol Lake
- June 2020** Pensacola, FL, visit to observe stormwater management program
- Baton Rouge Area Foundation (BRAAF) convenes city and state stakeholders to discuss stormwater solutions for Capitol Lake
- January 2021** Business Report Cover Story: “This is Where You Live”
- February 2021** Louisiana Stormwater Coalition officially forms
- Capitol Lake cleanup efforts halted due to lack of stormwater equipment in place
- March 2021** Establish social media presence and Donor Advisor Fund at BRAAF
- April 2021** Pass SR 24 calling for a stormwater feasibility study
- July 2021** Initiate Bayou Fountain demonstration project; install litter boom to create city’s first litter-free paddle trail

- September 2021** Facilitate production of an award-winning trash opera for Opera Louisiana
- January 2022** Awarded EPA Trash-Free Waters Grant to support LSC stormwater demonstration sites -- LSU Burden and Capitol Lake
- January 2022** Featured *In Register Magazine*: “Women with a Cause”
- January 2022** Gov. Edwards announces Louisiana Task Force on Litter; Marie Constantin invited to be a member
- May 2022** HB 713 passes; Louisiana declares stormwater to be a utility
- June 2022** Gov. Edwards signs HB 713 into law (Act 228) making Louisiana the 42<sup>nd</sup> state to declare stormwater to be a utility providing a local option to cities and towns to permanently fund stormwater management programs to address litter and flooding issues
- June 2022** Phase 1 cleanup of LSU Burden borrow pit completed
- October 2022** Recipient of Keep Louisiana Beautiful’s Innovative Program Award
- November 2022** Co-sponsored the first Louisiana Stormwater Summit
- Recipient of Federation of GBR Civic Associations “2021 Service Recognition Award”

**December 2022**

**Phase 2 cleanup of LSU Burden borrow pit completed;  
Burden demonstration site midway complete**

**Capitol Lake demonstration site work initiated**