



**LIAISON MEMORANDUM  
NUMBER 21-05**

**To:** Agency Liaison Officers  
**From:** Cindy Rougeou  
Executive Director  
**Re:** Six Active Member Candidates Announced for 2021 Board Election  
**Date:** July 28, 2021

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Six candidates are running for three active member seats in the 2021 LASERS Board of Trustees Election. A random drawing was held Monday, July 19 to determine ballot positions for the candidates.

The six candidates for the three active positions, in ballot order, are:

- **Catherine Herman**, Louisiana State University
- **Reggie P. Dupre, Jr.**, Terrebonne Levee & Conservation District
- **Amy A. Mathews**, Department of the Treasury
- **Theresa Delafosse**, Department of Environmental Quality
- **Byron P. Decoteau, Jr.**, Louisiana State Civil Service
- **Ternisa Hutchinson**, Division of Administration, Office of Planning & Budget

Active members will be able to cast their votes by mail, phone, or the Internet beginning September 24, 2021. [Click here to view all candidate platforms and qualifications.](#)

For additional information about the 2021 LASERS Board Election, contact Public Information Director Tonja Normand at [tnormand@lasersonline.org](mailto:tnormand@lasersonline.org) or 225.922.1131.

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Cindy Rougeou, Executive Director