

***PABI General Membership Meeting  
January 23, 2013  
Bayou Barriere Golf Club***

The January 2013 PABI General Membership luncheon was held at Bayou Barriere Golf Club in Belle Chasse. The keynote speaker was Plaquemines Parish President, Billy Nungesser, who presented his annual “State of the Parish” address. Points of interest for the coming year for President Nungesser are coastal restoration, Baptiste Collette, Federal levees, Belle Chasse bridge and tunnel replacement, exorbitant flood insurance premium hikes, ferry landing closings, raising Highway 23 and railroad expansion and relocation. In reference to the Point-a-la-Hache ferry, President Nungesser stated that the landing would reopen to light traffic within one to two weeks. He also commented that funding was in place for the raising of Hwy 23 and plans were underway to have that project completed before the next hurricane season.



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