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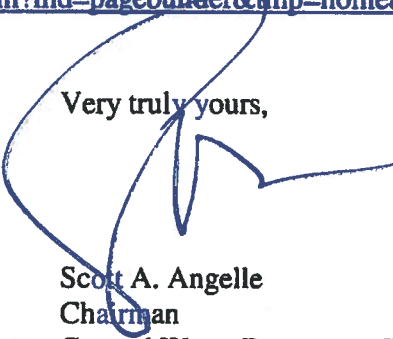
Distinguished Members of the Louisiana Legislature,

It is with great pleasure that I present to you the report entitled "Managing Louisiana's Groundwater Resources." This report comes to you from the Louisiana Ground Water Resources Commission as a result of the Louisiana Legislature's request in HCR 1 of 2010 "to prepare a report on the state's water resources, both ground water and surface water, and to provide recommendations for the optimal management and protection of the state's water resources, both ground water and surface water."

The members of the Louisiana Ground Water Resources Commission are thankful for the opportunity to work with the legislature, our stakeholders and all of the citizens of Louisiana to protect, conserve, and sustain our vital water resources. Please note link below, which will allow you to access the Appendices for this report:

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Very truly yours,



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