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LOUISIANA LaFOURCHE PARISH CHACKBAY — RACELAND LOCKPORT COMPANY CANAL BRIDGE **THIBODAUX MATHEWS** HWY 1 LOCKPORT LAROSE **CUT OFF** GALLIANO LaFOURCHE **PARISH LOCKPORT**

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LOCATION MAP

Latitude: 29.644639 North

Longitude: -90.544389 West

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The Lockport Company Canal Bridge (Bridge Recall No. 000930), designed by the Louisiana Department of Highways and constructed in 1959, is significant as an intact representative example of a tower-drive vertical lift bridge, a subtype within the vertical lift bridge subtype. The bridge's variation is demonstrated in the location of a separate motor and drive mechanism on each tower. The motor and drive mechanisms power the two sheaves on each tower. The Lockport Company Canal Bridge was determined eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places in 2013 under Criterion C: Design/Engineering at the state level of significance.

This documentation was prepared to fulfill Stipulation IX.5 of the Programmatic Agreement Among the Federal Highway Administration, the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and the Louisiana State Historic Preservation Officer Regarding Management of Historic Bridges in Louisiana, dated August 18, 2015 and executed September 21, 2015. The Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (LADOTD) retained Mead & Hunt to prepare this document. It was prepared by Timothy S. Smith, Cultural Resource Specialist, and Justin Duffie, Design Technician, of Mead & Hunt. Dietrich Floeter completed the photography.

The measured drawings were prepared based on a site visit to the bridge to confirm as-built plans and perform selective hand measuring in the field to verify measurements.





