

Upon motion of Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, duly seconded by Mr. Minos Broussard, and unanimously carried, the following resolution was adopted:

**RESOLUTION
2002-R-4**

WHEREAS, the sugar mills have adopted a policy which provides weight tickets to sugar cane farmers which limits the gross weight shown on the tickets to 100,000# which is the maximum allowed to be carried under the state requirements; and

WHEREAS, the sugar cane farmers are not advised how much weight above the 100,000# that was delivered, even though the mills know that amount and therefore are not able to adjust their loads to be below the limit.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Vermilion Parish Police Jury, that the sugar mills be requested to show the actual gross weight on the tickets, but not pay the farmer for any weight above the 100,000# limit, except as may be provided in the mill policy at the end of the grinding season.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that any continuous weight violations be reported to the proper authority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the American Sugar Cane League, Louisiana Farm Bureau, The Vermilion Parish Sugar Cane Advisory Committee and the Louisiana Police Jury Association for review, discussion, consideration, and further action as may be warranted.

CERTIFICATE

I, Michael J. Bertrand, Secretary-Treasurer, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of resolution adopted by the Vermilion Parish Police Jury on the 19th day of February of 2002 at which time a quorum was present and voting.

MICHAEL J. BERTRAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
VERMILION PARISH POLICE JURY