

Louisiana Blue /Gold Star Markers

Updated: October 20,2025

| DISTRICT I | | | |
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| Feb. 25 | 1955 | Fort Pike State Park Off Hwy. 90, New Orleans Highway Marker | New Orleans Federated Council of Garden Clubs |
| Nov. 14 | 1972 | Chef Menteur Hwy. (Hwy. 90) at Michoud Blvd. Highway Marker | Les Belles Fleurs Garden Club of New Orleans |
| Dec. 2 | 1972 | Gen. De Gaulle Dr. In median at Mardi Gras Blvd. (West Bank) Highway Marker | Algiers Garden Club Aurora Garden Club Buena Vista Garden Club |
| Nov. 14 | 1972 | Gentilly Blvd. (Hwy. 90) In median at Gentilly Woods Shopping Center Highway Marker | Pontchartrain Garden Club of New Orleans |
| May 27 | 1974 | Canal St. at Broad (Missing - only a post) New Orleans | Lakeview Botany Guild |
| March 2 | 1996 | St. Bernard Hwy., Chalmette (La.46) Dela Ronde Home Ruin (lost in Katrina - August 2005) Highway Marker | Green Thumb Garden Club, St. Bernard Clean Parish Assoc, DLV Chapter No 4 Auxiliary |
| March 2 Nov 6 | 1996 2016 | St. Bernard Hwy., Arabi, La. (La.46) Relocated to St. Bernard Civic Center, Corner of W. Judge Perez Dr. & Jean Lafitte Hwy, Chalmette, LA Highway Marker | Green Thumb Garden Club |
| Nov 1 | 1997 | Judge Perez Dr. at Culture Center, Chalmette, La. (lost in Katrina - August 2005) Highway Marker | Green Thumb Garden Club |
| April 26 | 2002 | BY-WAY MARKER - City Park Botanical Gardens by the Flag Pole | Federated Council of New Orleans Garden Clubs |
| Oct. 19 | 2008 | MEMORIAL MARKER - Hwy 23/Belle Chasse Hwy Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base (NAS/JRB) | District I & II |
| | 2010 | MEMORIAL MARKER - The National WWII Museum, 1001 Magazine St., New Orleans Moved and rededicated May 20, 2023 | "Freedom Isn't Free" Project LGCF, Inc. |
| Nov. 11 | 2010 | MEMORIAL MARKER - Hwy 23/Belle Chasse | LGCF, Inc., Creative Planters Garden Club |
| Feb. 22 | 2015 | Medal of Honor Park, Hwy 23/Barrier Rd., Belle Chasse, LA | Creative Planters Garden Club |
| May 21 | 2015 | NASJRB, Belle Chasse, LA | LGCF, Inc., District I & II Garden Clubs, Plaquemines Parish Government NASIR |

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| Dec 7 | 2016 | Paris Road, Chalmette, LA (Old site of Pearl Harbor Memorial Park) Park was moved to West Judge Perez in Arabi, but marker still on Paris Rd. | GreenThumb Garden Club, LGCF Dist. I, Civic Beautification Assoc 1959- 2013 |
| May 29 | 2021 | Thomas Jefferson Park, 9100 River Rd, Waggaman, LA | LGCF, Inc, Waggaman Civic Assoc., Waggaman Community Foundation |
| Jan 5 | 2023 | 8606 W. St. Bernard Hwy, Chalmette, LA | St. Bernard Tourist Commission |

DISTRICT II

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| Apr 11 | 1961 | Memorial: International Airport New Orleans, Airline Drive (Missing) | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| Oct 6 | 2011 | Replaced with Memorial Marker, 800 Block Airline Dr., Kenner, LA | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| May 26 | 1973 | Memorial: Jefferson Hwy & Labarre Rd, Jefferson, LA (Missing) | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| May 26 May 21 | 1973 2021 | Memorial: Traffic Circle, Hwy 90, Bridge City, LA RELOCATED to Hwy 90, River Rd., Bridge City, LA (Was in storage 13 yrs.) | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| Nov 11 | 1996 | Memorial: Franklin Ave at Stumpf Blvd, Gretna, LA – Highway Marker | Twilight Gardeners Garden Club |
| Sept 11 | 2002 | By-Way Marker: Parterre Memorial Garden, Lafrenière Park, Metairie, LA | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| Nov 6 | 2010 | Highway: (Hwy 3134) Intersection with Barataria Blvd, Marrero LA | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| Nov 6 | 2010 | Highway: (Hwy 3134) Intersection with Jean Lafitte Blvd, Jean Lafitte, LA | Better Swamps and Garden Club |
| Apr 6 | 2011 | Memorial: Kenner Veterans Park, Kenner, LA | Chateau Estates Garden Club |
| May 6 | 2011 | Memorial: Argonne Street and Transcontinental Dr, Metairie, LA | Petals of North Bridgedale Garden Club |
| Nov 10 | 2011 | Memorial: Veterans Memorial Blvd. and Causeway Blvd, Metairie, LA | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |
| Mar 20 | 2012 | Memorial: 400 Block of Terry Parkway, Terrytown, LA | Terrytown Garden Club |
| Apr 26 | 2013 | Memorial: Intersection of Colonial Club Drive and 10th Street, Harahan LA | Colonial Garden Club |
| May 13 | 2013 | Memorial: 400 Block of Greta Blvd, Gretna, LA | Twilight Gardeners Association |

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| Sept 7 | 2013 | Memorial: Intersection of Victory Drive and Hwy 90, Westwego, LA | Better Swamps and Garden Club |
| Sept 7 | 2013 | Memorial: Intersection of Louisiana Street and Hwy 90, Westwego, LA | Better Swamps and Garden Club |
| Nov 14 | 2013 | Memorial: Intersection of Veterans Memorial Blvd and West Wm David Parkway, Metairie, LA | Civic Beautification Association, LGCF Districts I and II 1959-213 |
| May 27 | 2015 | Lafrenière Park, 3000 Downs Blvd, Metairie LA | Civic Beautification Association of Jefferson |
| Feb 1 | 2019 | River Ridge Library, 8825 Jefferson Hwy, River Ridge, LA | Garden Clubs of River Ridge, River Ridge Community Assoc. |
| June 6 | 2019 | Sainte Mere Eglise, France First Gold Star Marker to be placed on foreign soil. Memorial marker was also placed under the gold star in remembrance of Simone Renaud, the Mother of Normandy | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs, LGCF, Inc. |
| Jan 17 | 2025 | Bucktown Harbor 325 Metairie-Hammond Highway, Metairie LA | Jefferson Parish Council of Garden Clubs |

DISTRICT III

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| Dec 3 | 1966 | Hwy 90 at Brashear Ave., Morgan City, LA. In median with Eternal Flame | Morgan City Garden Club |
| March 11 | 1967 | Evangeline Thru-way at Tourist Information Center | LAFAYETTE Garden Club |
| Nov. | 1966 | Hwy. 90/182, New Orleans Blvd., Houma, LA | Terrebonne Garden Club of Houma, La. |
| May 25 | 1998 | Hwy. 90 at South-East Blvd., Bayou Vista, LA | Bayou Vista Garden Club |
| April 24 | 1999 | LA 1 at Nicholls State University, Thibodaux, LA | Thibodaux Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 1999 | Hwy. 90 at Hwy. 182, Entrance to City at Tourist Center, Patterson, LA | Patterson Garden Club |
| June 28 | 2000 | Hwy. 90/Service Road, St. Mary Parish Tourist Center, Franklin, LA | Franklin Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 2000 | LA. Hwy. 96, 301 West Port St., St. Martinville Parish Government Bldg. (damaged) | St. Martinville Garden Club |
| June 4 | 2002 | BY-WAY MARKER - Jackson St. at West 10th St. Chaisson Park, Thibodaux, LA | Thibodaux Garden Club |
| May 27 | 2002 | BY-WAY MARKER – Sugar City Plaza, 1010 Main St., Jeanerette, LA | New Iberia Garden Club |

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| Nov. 13 | 2003 | Iberia Parish - Convention & Visitors Bureau, 2513 LA Hwy. 14, New Iberia, LA | New Iberia Garden Club |
| Nov 10 | 2004 | BY-WAY MARKER - Patterson City Hall, Highway 182, Patterson, LA | Patterson Garden Club |
| July 4 | 2004 | BY-WAY-MARKER - Veterans Park - Berard St., Breux Bridge, LA | Breux Bridge Garden Club |
| May 9 | 2005 | BY-WAY-MARKER - Loreauville, LA - City Hall | Azalea Garden Club |
| May 29 | 2005 | BY-WAY-MARKER - City Hall Grounds on Main Street, Gueydan, LA | Gueydan Garden Club |
| | | BY-WAY MARKER - Dedication due to be scheduled | Thibodaux |
| April 26 | 2009 | Hwy 182, 300 Patti Drive, Berwick Civic Center | Berwick Garden Club |
| May 30 | 2016 | Blue By-Way -LA Hall of Fame & Military Museum, 911 Revis Sermon Loop, Abbeville, LA | Abbeville Garden Club |
| May 30 | 2016 | Blue Memorial - National Guard Armory of Abbeville, 3415 Charity St., Abbeville, LA | Abbeville Garden Club |
| May 30 | 2016 | Gold By-Way - Vermillion Parish War Memorial, 100 Concord St., Abbeville, LA | Abbeville Garden Club |
| May 29 | 2021 | Gold Star Families Memorial Marker Jim Bowie Park, 940 Bayou Drive, Houma, LA | Terrebonne Garden Club, LGCF, Inc, Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Gov. |
| Jan 25 | 2025 | LA. Hwy. 96, 301 West Port St., St. Martinville Parish Government Bldg. New BSMM replaced damaged marker | St. Martinville Garden Club |

DISTRICT IV

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| | | Welcome Center at 1-20, Shreveport West | Shreveport Federated Garden Clubs |
| Nov. 11 | 1978 | Highway 1 at entrance to LSU- Shreveport | Pierremont Hills Garden Club |
| | | Highway 71 South 8 miles from Arkansas State Line | Hosston Garden Study Club |
| April 7 | 1974 | Old Minden Road at Benton Road, (Heart of Bossier Shopping Center) | Bossier City Garden Club |
| Oct. 27 | 2003 | By-Way Marker- Turner's Pond by Lake Vies Methodist Church, Lake Shore Drive, Minden, LA | Town & Country Garden Club |
| Nov 11 | 2021 | By-Way Marker - American Rose Center, 8877 Jefferson Page Rd., Shreveport, LA | LGCF, Inc. |
| Oct 11 | 2024 | Blue Star Memorial Marker, NW LA Veterans Cemetery, 7970 Mike Clark Rd, Keithville | Louisiana Garden Club Federation & District V |

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| Oct 18 | 2024 | Blue Star Memorial Marker, Central LA Veterans Cemetery, 3348 University Pkwy, Leesville | Louisiana Garden Club Federation |
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| Unknown | | Hwy 165, Bastrop, LA | Bastrop Garden Club |
| June 1 | 1952 | Roadside Park Hwy. 167 North, Ruston, LA | Ruston Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 1954 | Roadside Park, Highway 15 & Loop Road, Winnsboro, LA | Winnsboro Garden Club |
| March 1 | 1957 | Highway 15, Wisner, LA. | Wisner Garden Club |
| | 1987 | Highway 17, Epps, LA. | Epps Garden Club |
| | 1970's | Highway 17 at Hwy. 80, Delhi, LA. | Delhi Garden Club |
| May 30 | 1968 | Highway 165, West Monroe, LA | Welcome Garden Club |
| May 30 | 1968 | Highway 34 South, Monroe, La. | Monroe Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 1994 | Highway 84 Louisiana, Tourists Center, Vidalia, LA (moved from 1st. location} Rededicated 7/11/2015, Adjacent to Concordia Chamber of Commerce, 1401 Carter St., Vidalia | Vidalia Garden Club |
| May 15 | 2007 | Hwy 84 at Bayou Cocodrie Welcome Sign, Ferriday, LA | Ferriday Garden Club |
| Nov. 6 | 2007 | Hwy 167 South, Jonesboro, LA | Jonesboro Hodge Garden Club |
| May 29 | 2017 | Northeast LA Veterans Cemetery, 2 413 Hwy 425, Rayville, LA | Rayville Garden Club/Town of Rayville, LGCF, Inc. |
| Nov. 11 | 2022 | Corner of Hwy 2 and Glory Road, Farmerville, LA | Farmerville Garden Club |

DISTRICT VI

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| NOT COUNTED | April 25 1953 | Highway 190 at Port Allen [Missing] | West Baton Rouge Garden & Civic Clubs |
| May 15 | 1956 | Old Spanish Trail In median at Pontchartrain Dr. & Carey Street | Bayou Liberty Garden Club-Slidell |
| | 1965 | Florida Blvd. at Airline Hwy.(61) at Cortana Mall (destroyed) | Baton Rouge Garden Club |
| | | Highway 190 at Covington [Missing] | Town & Country Garden Club of West St. Tammany |
| April | 1963 | Highway I-55 Tourist Information Center-Hammond, La. 5 miles south of Miss. State Line | Pine Cone Garden Club |
| Nov | 1989 | BY-WAY MARKER - Cate Square Park | Hammond Garden Club |

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| July 1 | 2006 | BY-WAY MARKER - Independence Blvd. | Baton Rouge Garden Club |
| May 31 | 2004 | BY-WAY MARKER - City Hall, Highway 16 | Stem & Stamen Garden Club |
| July 4 | 2007 | BY-WAY MARKER - Corner of Pine Street and the Railroad | Ponchatoula Gardenettes & Community Garden Club of Ponchatoula, LA |
| Oct 27 | 2007 | Hwy 36/22 St Tammany Fire District 12, Station 124 | Covington Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 2007 | MEMORIAL MARKER - Bayou Plaquemine Waterfront Park | Plaquemine Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 2008 | Hwy Bus 61, 305 River Road S, In front of the USS Kidd | Baton Rouge Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 2008 | Veterans Blvd between Florida Blvd and Range Ave | Denham Springs Garden Club |
| May 7 | 2016 | Hwy 51, Hammond, LA | Hammond Garden Club, LGCF, Inc. |
| Nov. 11 | 2016 | Zemurray Park entrance, 400 S. Oak St. Hammond LA | Hammond Garden Club |
| Jan. 4 | 2020 | Rest area 1-10 West, LA Welcome Ctr., 41300 Crawford Landing Rd., Slidell, LA | Blue Star Mothers of LA Chapter 1, LGCF, Inc. |
| Nov. 9 | 2023 | Southeast Louisiana Veterans Cemetery, 34888 Grantham College Rd, Slidell | Creative Planters Garden Club, Louisiana Garden Club Federation, Inc. |
| Jan. 27 | 2024 | Mt Hermon High School, 36119 Hwy. 38 Mt. Hermon | Mt Hermon Garden Club |

DISTRICT VII

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| NOT COUNTED | March 17 1957 | Highway 190 at Hwy. 171, Roadside Park at Ragley (Missing) | Seventh District Council of Garden Clubs |
| | 1960 | Highway 190 West at Tourist Information Center (Exit 19B from I-49) | Opelousas Garden Club |
| Nov.11 | 1964 | Highway 171 at Washington Street | DeRidder Gardenettes |
| Nov.11 September | 1966 2022 | Highway 27 at Roselawn Cemetery (Exit 20 from I-10), Sulphur, LA Destroyed in Hurricane Laura, Aug. 2020. Replaced and rededicated in 2022 | Sulphur Garden Club Town & Country Garden Club |
| | 1973 | I-10 - [Missing] | Hope & Hoe Garden Club, Jennings, LA |
| May 28 | 1994 | LA. Highway 103 (Exit 25 from I-49) | Washington Garden Club |

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| Nov. 11 | 1998 | LA Highway 383 City Hall Complex, Iowa La. | Iowa Garden Club |
| Nov. 11 | 2000 | LA Highway 90 at Tourist Info. Center (remounted after Hurricane Rita - 2005), Lake Charles, LA | Diggers & Weeders Garden Club of Lake Charles & Lake Charles Garden Club |
| May 15 | 2004 | 250 West Laurel, Hwy. 90 - Post Office, Eunice, LA | Bulb and Blossom Garden Club |
| Oct. 2 | 2004 | Highway 165 - 4th Street at the Gazebo, Kinder, LA | Spade & Hope Garden Club |
| Nov. 10 | 2006 | City Hall, 126 E. Main St. Ville Platte, La | Magnolia Garden Club |
| May 26 | 2007 | SW Intersection of LA Highway 13 and Interstate 10, Crowley, LA | Crowley Garden Club |
| June 4 | 2021 | Vinton Welcome Center, 6212 W I-10, Vinton, LA | LGCF, Inc. |
| Oct. 23 | 2023 | Southwest Louisiana Veterans Cemetery 1610 Evangeline Rd, Jennings | Jennings Garden Club LGCF District VII Garden Clubs, Jennings Kiwanis Club, Jennings Lions Club, American Legion Post 19 and Post 520 |
| June 6 | 2024 | Near the intersection of LA Hwy 10 and 10 th St. Oakdale | Oakdale Garden Club |

DISTRICT VIII

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| Nov. | 1968 | Highway 167/71, MacArthur Drive at Richard Avenue, Alexandria | Alexandria Garden Club and Airview Terrace Garden Club |
| | Nov 5 1967 | Hwy. 165 North over O.K. Allen Bridge Roadside Park [Missing] | Woodland Hills, Rambling Hill, Pineville Garden Club, and Iris Garden Club |
| April 1 | 1996 | BY-WAY MARKER - 101 West Lee Street Leesville La. | Leesville Mayor's Women's Commission- Sponsored by the Alexandria Garden Club |
| Oct. 25 | 2000 | La. Highway 1- Clarence Edwards Park | Marksville Garden Club |
| Dec 7 | 2009 | BY-WAY MARKER - Alexandria Air Force Base | Alexandria Garden Club |
| April 12 | 2011 | By-Way Marker, LGCF, Inc. Headquarters, 1606 Water St., Lecompte Relocated in 2025 | LGCF, Inc. 75th Anniversary (1934 - 2009) |
| Feb 22 | 2015 | I-49 Alexandria LA - 7050 Hwy. 1N. Boyce, LA (To be relocated) Relocated on July 18, 2025 | Alexandria Garden Club, LA Department of Recreation, Culture, Tourism |
| April 7 | 2025 | Bi-Way Marker located at LGCF Headquarters was relocated to Old Lecompte High School and Museum and rededicated. | Louisiana Garden Club Federation |
| July 18 | 2025 | I-49 LA - 7050 Hwy. 1N. Boyce, LA Blue Star Memorial Marker was relocated to between Jefferson Hwy. and Hwy. 165, Pineville, LA | Alexandria Garden Club, LA Department of Recreation, Culture, Tourism |

