

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO.: C-6947

COUNCIL SPONSOR: SMITH/COOPER

PROVIDED BY: UTILITIES/CIVIL DIVISION ADA

RESOLUTION TO ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT AND REVIEW OF THE 2023 MUNICIPAL WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT REPORT FOR THE TIMBER BRANCH II REGIONAL SEWAGE TREATMENT FACILITY (WARD 1, DISTRICT 1)

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Government owns and operates the Timber Branch II Regional Sewage Treatment Facility; and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (LPDES) permit which authorizes effluent discharge from the Timber Branch II Regional Sewage Treatment Facility mandates the Parish to institute a program directed towards pollution prevention in order to improve operating efficiency and extend the useful life of the treatment facility; and

WHEREAS, as part of Other Conditions, Section I. of LPDES permit LA0122645, the Parish Government must complete an annual Environmental Audit Report for the life of the permit, and a copy of the Environmental Audit Report is attached hereto.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES that the St. Tammany Parish Council acknowledges the receipt of the 2023 Municipal Water Pollution Prevention Environmental Audit Report for the Timber Branch II Regional Sewage Treatment Facility and its findings that no actions are necessary at this time. The expansion of the treatment plant and/or interconnecting to the neighboring treatment facility owned and operated by Utilities Inc. of Louisiana in the near future is being considered.

THIS RESOLUTION HAVING BEEN SUBMITTED TO A VOTE, THE VOTE THEREON WAS AS FOLLOWS:

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY: \_\_\_\_\_ SECONDED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

THIS RESOLUTION WAS DECLARED ADOPTED ON THE 2<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF MAY 2024, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

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ARTHUR LAUGHLIN, COUNCIL CHAIR

ATTEST:

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KATRINA L. BUCKLEY, CLERK OF COUNCIL

**Administrative Comment**

**May 2, 2024**

**Utilities/Civil Division ADA**

Pursuant to the permit authorizing effluent discharge, this Resolution is required to acknowledge the Environmental Audit and identify any compliance actions to be taken. No compliance actions were indicated, but consideration is to be made regarding expansion of existing plant and/or interconnecting to neighboring facilities.