

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO.: C-6875

COUNCIL SPONSOR: LAUGHLIN/COOPER

PROVIDED BY: PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

RESOLUTION TO ACKNOWLEDGE AND CONFIRM THE NOMINATIONS THE ST. TAMMANY PARISH PRESIDENT WILL SUBMIT TO THE GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE ST. TAMMANY LEVEE, DRAINAGE AND CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD.

WHEREAS, according to Act 303 the St. Tammany Levee, Drainage and Conservation District will be governed by a board of commissioners; and

WHEREAS, according to Act 303, commissioners shall serve concurrently with the governor and shall serve at the pleasure of the governor; and

WHEREAS, the Parish President of St. Tammany Parish has chosen Mr. Steve Price, Mr. Derise Morel, and Mr. Bill Newton as nominees to be submitted to the governor to serve, and the St. Tammany Parish Council now wishes to recognize and confirm said nominees.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES the Parish President of St. Tammany Parish has chosen Mr. Steve Price, Mr. Derise Morel and Mr. Bill Newton as nominees to be submitted to the governor to serve, and the St. Tammany Parish Council now wishes to recognize and confirm said nominees.

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 8<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY, 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**

**February 8, 2024**

### **President's Office**

As established by Act No. 303 which created the St. Tammany Levee, Drainage and Conservation District, the governor shall appoint a board of commissioners consisting of nine persons from St. Tammany Parish who meet the requirements of R.S. 38:304(A). The Parish President of St. Tammany Parish shall submit a list of three nominations in writing, subject to ratification by the Parish Council of St. Tammany, and the governor shall appoint two members from such list of nominees.

Mr. Bill Newton and Mr. Steve Price currently serve on the board of commissioners for the STLDCD and perform their duties in a satisfactory manner and have indicated they wish to continue serving. Mr. Derise Morel, at the suggestion of STLDCD Chairwoman, Suzanne Krieger, has also indicated his interest in serving on the board. As such, we will submit the aforementioned nominees to Governor Landry for his selection to the board.