ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-7395

COUNCIL SPONSOR: MR. LAUGHLIN PROVIDED BY: ENGINEERING

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES WITHIN THE BELAIR SUBDIVISION UNDER THE ST. TAMMANY PARISH TRAFFIC CALMING PROGRAM, SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDING.

WHEREAS, the St. Tammany Parish Traffic Calming Program was developed to help mitigate speeding and roadway safety concerns on Parish-maintained residential roadways; and

WHEREAS, the goals of the St. Tammany Parish Traffic Calming Program are to increase the quality of life of residents, create safe and attractive residential streets, and reduce the undesirable effects of vehicular traffic on residential neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of appropriate traffic calming measures is intended to reduce excessive vehicle speeds, reduce the frequency and severity of collisions, and improve the overall safety of Parish-maintained residential roadways; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Calming Program provides for the collection and evaluation of data, which may include, but is not limited to, traffic counts, speed studies, traffic turning movement counts, crash reports, roadway geometrics, existing regulatory signage, and other site-specific information that may contribute to identified traffic concerns; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Calming Program requires an applicant receiving preliminary approval to provide supporting documentation, including a resident petition, letters of support from the St. Tammany Parish Sheriff's Office and the Fire Chief of the applicable local fire district, and a letter of support from the applicable homeowners association; and

WHEREAS, the residents of the **Belair Subdivision** have submitted the required documentation in accordance with the St. Tammany Parish Traffic Calming Program and have expressed their desire to proceed with the implementation of appropriate traffic calming measures within the subdivision; and

WHEREAS, implementation of traffic calming measures within the **Belair Subdivision** shall remain subject to the results of the Parish's evaluation, applicable engineering and traffic standards, approval of the appropriate Parish departments, and the availability of funding.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the St. Tammany Parish Council hereby supports the request of the **Belair Subdivision** to move forward through the St. Tammany Parish Traffic Calming Program and to pursue the implementation of appropriate traffic calming measures, subject to the completion of all applicable Parish requirements and procedures.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any traffic calming improvements approved for the **Belair Subdivision** shall be implemented only as funding becomes available and shall be subject to applicable engineering requirements, site conditions, and approval by the appropriate Parish departments.

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 5TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2026 AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

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CHERYL TANNER, COUNCIL CHAIR

ATTEST:

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KATRINA L. BUCKLEY, CLERK OF COUNCIL