## ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

## ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE CALENDAR NO.: 7742

INTRODUCED BY:

COUNCIL SPONSOR: CORBIN/COOPER

ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO.: 24-

PROVIDED BY: <u>CAO</u>

SECONDED BY:

ON THE  $7^{TH}$  DAY OF <u>NOVEMBER</u>, 2024

ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 2-9(d), 2-183(b)(2), 2-462(c)(14), AND 2-463(c)(15) OF THE ST. TAMMANY PARISH CODE OF ORDINANCES TO REPLACE REFERENCES TO "CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER"

WHEREAS, the Parish President has submitted an Administrative reorganization ordinance which removes references to the Chief Financial Officer; and

WHEREAS, in order to prevent confusion and inaccurate references, the Code of Ordinances must be amended to replace references to "Chief Financial Officer"; and

WHEREAS as a companion ordinance to the Administrative reorganization ordinance, the Parish President submits the following amendments to the Parish Code to the Parish Council.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY ORDAINS that the Parish Code of Ordinances, Chapter 2, Section 2-9(d), 2-183(b)(2), 2-462(c)(14), and 2-463(c)(15) be amended and restated as follows:

Sec. 2-9. Audit and minutes of meetings to be furnished to parish council.

(d) Responsibility for compliance with this section insofar as the audit provision is concerned shall rest with the chief financial officer <u>or Finance Director</u> of the particular department, office, agency, board or commission receiving the audit or having the audit performed.

Sec. 2-183. Duties of departments.

(b)(2) The department of finance, under the direction of the <u>chief financial officer Director of Finance</u>, shall provide such administrative and technical support to ensure that the finances of the parish are maintained and fiscally sound. This department shall maintain all parish accounting, budgeting, collection of funds, financial reporting, investing and maintenance of indebtedness; distribution of parish funds shall be included in the powers and duties of this department. Custodian of securities for developmental obligations to this parish shall likewise be the responsibility of this department. Said duties shall include, but not be limited to, any and all actions necessary to carry out the functions of the department.

Sec. 2-462. Rooms To Go St. Tammany Economic Development District.

(c)(14) CFO <u>Director of Finance</u> certification. The chief financial officer <u>Director of the Department of Finance</u> of the parish has issued and executed a certificate certifying as to the accuracy of the initial annual baseline collection rate and monthly baseline collection rate, which was previously published one time in the St. Tammany Farmer, the official journal of the parish.

Sec. 2-463. Colonial Pinnacle Nord Du Lac Economic Development District.

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REPEAL: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SEVERABILITY: If any provision of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions herein which can be given effect without the invalid provision and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

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EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective January 1, 2025.

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

WHEREUPON THIS ORDINANCE WAS SUBMITTED TO A VOTE AND RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

THIS ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED DULY ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL ON THE  $5^{TH}$  DAY OF <u>DECEMBER</u>, 2024; AND BECOMES ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO. <u>24</u>-

ARTHUR A. LAUGHLIN, COUNCIL CHAIR

ATTEST:

KATRINA L. BUCKLEY, COUNCIL CLERK

MICHAEL B. COOPER, PARISH PRESIDENT

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