

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO. C-7304

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A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE HOLDING OF AN ELECTION IN ST. TAMMANY PARISH DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 4, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026, TO AUTHORIZE A LEVY OF A SPECIAL TAX RENEWAL THEREIN.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of St. Tammany Parish Drainage District No. 4, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of St. Tammany Parish Drainage District No. 4, State of Louisiana (the "District"), plans to call a special election in the District on Saturday, November 3, 2026, to authorize the levy of a special tax renewal therein; and

WHEREAS, the governing authority of the District has requested that this Parish Council, acting as the governing authority of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, give its consent and authority for the District to hold the aforesaid election, and in the event that the election carries for further authority to levy the special tax renewal therein; and

WHEREAS, as required by Article VI, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, it is now the desire of this Parish Council to approve the holding of said election and in the event that the election carries, to authorize the District to levy and collect the special tax renewal provided for therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, acting as the governing authority of said Parish, that:

SECTION 1. In compliance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 15 of the constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, and in accordance with the request of the Board of Commissioners of St. Tammany Parish District No. 4, State of Louisiana, this Parish Council hereby approves the holding of an election in the District, on Saturday, November 3, 2026, at which election there will be submitted the following proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION

(MILLAGE)

Shall Drainage District No. 4 of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana (the "District"), be authorized to renew the existing \$253.00 maintenance and operation tax on each landowner of record within the District in the amount of \$253.00 for each 10,000 square feet of each lot and parcel owned, beginning with the year 2028, and ending with the year 2032, subject to renewal for five year terms by special election, reasonably expected to generate approximately \$300,017.00 annually, to maintain the levee system, pumping station, pumps, holding ponds, construction of pumping stations, acquisition of land therefor, and other matters related thereto, in addition to the operation of the District including cost of the pumping station operation staff, salaries of office staff, utilities and fuels, purchase of equipment necessary for the maintenance or operation of the District, contract services, insurance, personnel, and other matters related thereto or called for by law?

SECTION 2. In the event the election carries, this Parish Council does hereby further consent to and authorize the District to renew and levy and collect the special tax provided for therein.

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 7TH DAY OF MAY, 2026, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

CHERYL TANNER, COUNCIL CHAIR

ATTEST:

KATRINA L. BUCKLEY, COUNCIL CLERK

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY

I, the undersigned Council Clerk of the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, do hereby certify that the foregoing pages constitute a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by said Parish Council on May 7, 2026, approving the holding of an election in St. Tammany Parish Drainage District No. 4, State of Louisiana, to authorize to renew the levy of a special tax therein.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature at Mandeville, Louisiana, on this, the _____ day of _____, 2026.

KATRINA L. BUCKLEY, COUNCIL CLERK