

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE CALENDAR NO.: 8114 ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO.: 26-

COUNCIL SPONSOR: PHILLIPS/IMPASTATO/O'BRIEN/ PROVIDED BY: FINANCE
PRES. COOPER

INTRODUCED BY: _____ SECONDED BY: _____

ON THE 4th DAY OF JUNE, 2026

ORDINANCE LEVYING MILLAGE RATES FOR LIGHTING DISTRICT NO.
6 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026

WHEREAS, the Home Rule Charter for St. Tammany Parish Section, 2-11 (3), requires an ordinance to levy taxes, assessments and charges.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY ORDAINS that in a public meeting held on July 9th, 2026, which meeting was conducted in accordance with the Open Meetings Law and the additional requirements of Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Louisiana Constitution and R.S. 47:1705(B), that the following **millage rates** are hereby levied upon the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property subject to ad valorem taxation within said Parish for the year 2026, for the purpose of raising revenue:

Districts	Millage Tracking	Millage
Lighting District No. 6	1069141	1.94

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY FURTHER ORDAINS that the Assessor of the Parish of St. Tammany, shall extend upon the assessment roll for the year 2026 the taxes herein levied, and the tax collector of said Parish shall collect and remit the same to said taxing authority in accordance with law. The taxes herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on all property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided by law.

REPEAL: All ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.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

EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption and execution.

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY: _____ SECONDED BY: _____

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

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAINING:

ABSENT:

THIS ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL ON THE 9TH DAY OF JULY, 2026, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING; AND BECOMES ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO. 26-.

CHERYL TANNER, COUNCIL CHAIR

ATTEST:

KATRINA L. BUCKLEY, COUNCIL CLERK

MICHAEL B. COOPER, PARISH PRESIDENT

Published Introduction: MAY 27, 2026

Published Adoption: _____, 2026

Delivered to Parish President: _____, 2026 at _____

Returned to Council Clerk: _____, 2026 at _____

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the ordinance adopted at the council meeting held on ____ day of _____ at which meeting a quorum was present and voting.

Mandeville, Louisiana, this ____ day of _____, 2026

Katrina L. Buckley, Clerk of Council
St. Tammany Parish Government

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENT

MILLAGE ORDINANCE – JUNE 2026

The voters approved the levy of 2.15 mills for Lighting District No. 6, with an authorized levy period from 2018-2027, at the November 18, 2017 election. The millage is for the purpose of providing and maintaining electric lights on the streets, roads, highways, alleys, and public places in Lighting District No. 6. This Lighting District is in Council Districts No. 7, No. 10, and No. 5 and includes a portion of Louisiana 1088 right-of-way, in its entirety and including all of the area of its interchange with Highway 59 and proceeding northeast to its intersection with Loretta Drive.

Districts	2025 Levy	2026 Maximum Authorized Levy	2026 Levy	Estimated Cost to a \$300K Home at 2026 Levy
Lighting District No. 6	1.94	2.09	1.94	\$43.65

Millage Type	Property Taxable Value, 2025 roll*	Tax Payer Tax, 2025 roll*	Revenue recorded in 2025	%	2026 Budget
Lighting District No. 6	\$ 82,115,519	\$ 157,187	\$ 155,883	99.2%	\$ 153,200

*Source: St. Tammany Parish Assessor’s Office Grand Recap dated 10/08/2025