

ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO.: 26-

PROVIDED BY: FINANCE

SECONDED BY: _____

ORDINANCE LEVYING MILLAGE RATES FOR THE GENERAL FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026

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:

Parish Government	Millage Tracking	Millage
Parish Alimony (Rural)	1069002	2.89
Parish Alimony (Cities)	1069003	1.44

REPEAL: All ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

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

SECONDED BY: _____

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-.

ATTEST:

CHERYL TANNER, COUNCIL CHAIR

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

General Alimony is a millage authorized by the constitution of the state of Louisiana. This millage is critical to supporting the Parish General Fund, which is the only funding source for state-mandated costs of the public safety agencies.

Parish Government	2025 Levy	2026 Maximum Authorized Levy	2026 Levy	Estimated Cost to a \$300K Home at 2026 Levy
Alimony 1 (Rural Only)	2.89	2.89	2.89	\$65.03
Alimony 2 (Cities Only)	1.44	1.44	1.44	\$32.40

Millage Type	Property Taxable Value, 2025 roll*	Tax Payer Tax, 2025 roll*	Revenue recorded in 2025	%	2026 Budget
Alimony 1	\$ 2,338,475,608	\$ 6,752,175	\$ 6,655,172		
Alimony 2	\$ 828,469,200	\$ 1,192,129	\$ 1,163,116		
Total General Fund	\$ 3,166,944,808	\$ 7,944,305	\$ 7,818,288	98.4%	\$ 7,786,900

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