STATE OF LOUISIANA

CITY OF WEST MONROE

ORDINANCE NO	MOTION BY:
	SECONDED BY:

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF A COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT WITH THE OUACHITA PARISH POLICE JURY WITH RESPECT TO THE OPERATION OF THE WEST MONROE RECYCLING CENTER; AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City of West Monroe has undertaken the establishment and operation of the West Monroe Recycling Center; and

WHEREAS, the Ouachita Parish Police Jury ("OPPJ") has agreed to fund a portion of the operating costs in the amount of \$33,333.33 per year, with the remainder of the operating costs of the project for three (3) years being paid by the City of West Monroe; and

WHEREAS, the OPPJ requires execution of a formal Cooperative Endeavor Agreement between the OPPJ and the City of West Monroe which provides for funding by OPPJ, the necessary documentation to be provided by the City to OPPJ and such other details as are customary in such an agreement; and

WHEREAS, the establishment and operation of the West Monroe Recycling Center is of significant benefit to Ouachita Parish and to the City of West Monroe, and to their respective residents;

NOW, THEREFORE,

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that Staci Albritton Mitchell, as Mayor of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, be and she is hereby authorized to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement ("CEA") with the Ouachita Parish Police Jury ("OPPJ") with respect to funding of a portion of the operations of the West Monroe Recycling Center, and which provides for those particular aspects as set forth above in a format similar to the example agreement attached as Exhibit "A", with that CEA to provide for such further terms, conditions and provisions as may be reasonable and appropriate for the receipt of those funds by the City from OPPJ as provide above.

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that Staci Albritton

Mitchell, as Mayor of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, be and she is hereby further authorized to undertake further modification to that example Cooperative Endeavor Agreement attached as she determines necessary or appropriate, and to take any and all further documents and to execute any and all further actions as she deems either necessary or proper in order to obtain the funds described above for the Ouachita Parish Police Jury.

The above Ordinance was read and considered by Sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in regular and legal session convened, voted on by yea or nay vote, passed and adopted the 1st day of July, 2025, the final vote being as follows:

YEA:	
NAY:	
NOT VOTING:	
ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	
	APPROVED THIS 1ST DAY OF JULY, 2025
ANDREA PATE, CITY CLERK CITY OF WEST MONROE	STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL, MAYOR CITY OF WEST MONROE
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