

MINUTES
WEST BATON ROUGE PARISH COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
GOVERNMENT BUILDING

880 North Alexander Avenue, Port Allen Thursday,
October 10, 2024
5:30 PM

The Following Minutes Are Summarized For Brevity, For Precise Meeting Information Please Refer To Meeting Audio Or Video.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER & REQUEST ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES BE SILENCED

A Regular Meeting of the West Baton Rouge Parish Council was held on Thursday, October 10, 2024 and called to order at 05:30 PM. Council Chairman Carey Denstel asked that all electronic devices be placed on silent.

2. OPENING PRAYER

Councilman Atley Walker Jr. led everyone in an opening prayer.

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chairman Denstel recognized Councilman Atley Walker Jr. who led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. LOG ATTENDANCE

The following members were recorded as being present: Messrs. Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre.

Absent: Mr. Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph

Also present were, Mr. Jason Manola, Parish President, Mr. Phillip Bourgoyne, Executive Assistant, Mr. Chance Stephens, Director of Finance, Mr. Brandon Bourgoyne, Director of Public Works, Ms. Kristen Canezaro, Special Legal Counsel, and Mrs. Michelle Tullier, Council Clerk.

5. MINUTES APPROVAL

A. Approval of Minutes from the Regular Council Meeting of September 26, 2024.

A motion was made by Council Member Alan Crowe, seconded by Council Member Kenneth Gordon to approve the Minutes from the Regular Council Meeting of September 26, 2024.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0 (None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

6. CONSIDER ANY AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

There were no items to consider at this time.

7. PARISH PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Phillip Bourgoyne was recognized and noted President Manola was out with a procedure being done today, he went on to cover the following items:

Update on garbage pickup as well as can pickup in the Parish; Road

Overlay updates;

Lukeville sign installation update.

Councilman Hotard asked Mr. Bourgoyne to thank Mr. Chad Doiron for his assistance recently.

Mr. Bourgoyne noted there were a few proclamations issued by the Parish President and asked Mrs. Tullier to read them aloud into the meeting record.



Proclamation

WHEREAS, countless families are bereaved by pregnancy and infant loss in West Baton Rouge Parish every year; and

WHEREAS, pregnancy and infant loss includes infant death, miscarriage, stillbirth, sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS), and death of a newborn; and

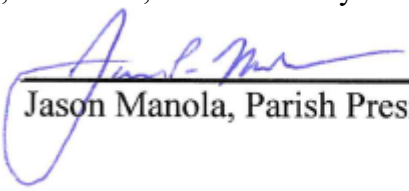
WHEREAS, West Baton Rouge Parish wishes to acknowledge the profound, lifelong • grief and loss these families experience; and

WHEREAS, this month we honor and remember the pregnancies and infants lost and recognize the devastating impact on their families and loved ones whose lives are forever altered; and

WHEREAS, raising public awareness will encourage additional community support for those individuals who have suffered such an unexpected tragedy and promote necessary efforts to prevent further pregnancy and infant loss;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jason P. Manola, President of West Baton Rouge Parish do, hereby proclaim OCTOBER 2024 Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month and OCTOBER 15th, 2024 as Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Day and call upon all citizens, parents, governmental agencies, public & private institutions, businesses and health providers, to support and participate on Tuesday, October 15, 2024 by wearing blue and pink to increase community awareness and community support for all those who have suffered.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Parish of West Baton Rouge, in the City of Port Allen, Louisiana, on this 9th Day of October 2024.


Jason Manola, Parish President

State of Louisiana
Parish of West Baton Rouge
In the Name and By the Authority of the People of the
Parish of West Baton Rouge

Proclamation

WHEREAS, October is recognized as Breast Cancer Awareness Month, a time to promote education and support for those affected by breast cancer and to highlight the importance of early detection and treatment; and

WHEREAS, breast cancer affects countless individuals, regardless of age, gender, or background, and is the second leading cause of cancer death among women; and

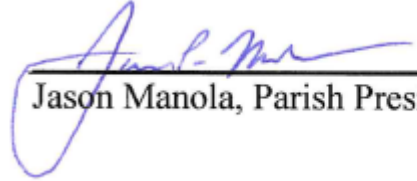
WHEREAS, the fight against breast cancer requires collective efforts, education, and support, fostering a community that encourages early screening, healthy lifestyle choices, and emotional support for those affected; and

WHEREAS, we honor the courage of those battling breast cancer, remember those we have lost, and recognize the tireless efforts of healthcare professionals, researchers, and advocates dedicated to combating this disease; and

WHEREAS, the West Baton Rouge Parish community is committed to raising awareness of breast cancer;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jason P. Manola, do hereby proclaim OCTOBER 2024 as Breast Cancer Awareness Month in our West Baton Rouge Parish. I encourage all residents to take part in awareness activities, support those affected by breast cancer, and advocate for continued research and education. In particular, I ask all community members to show their support by wearing pink on Thursday, October 17th, 2024.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Parish of West Baton Rouge, in the City of Port Allen, Louisiana, on this 9th Day of October 2024.


Jason Manola, Parish President

8. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no comments to consider at this time.

9. COMMUNICATIONS WITH COUNCIL MEMBERS AND/OR ELECTED OR APPOINTED OFFICIALS

- A. Consider Addition of New Job Description Classification for Coroner Administrative Assistant Mr. Phillip Bourgoyne was recognized and explained the need for the additional position in the Coroners Office, noting this will not result in an increase for salaries in that department.

A motion was made by Council Member Brady Hotard, seconded by Council Member Kirk Allain to approve Addition of the New Job Description Classification for Coroner

Administrative Assistant.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0
(None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

10. OLD BUSINESS

There were no items to consider at this time.

11. COUNCIL MEETING AS BOARD OF REVIEW TO HEAR ANY AND ALL PROTESTS FROM TAXPAYERS ON THE 2024 TAX ASSESSMENTS

The Council at this time met as the Board of Review in order to hear all appeals and protests as well as the 2024 Tax assessment Report.

**A. Appeal to the Board of Review for 2024 Tax Assessment of:
64545 Highway 1 South Brusly, La 70719 for Cerniglia Enterprises LLC. Assessment
Number 204700004600**

The Chairman opened a public hearing for the purpose of receiving comment regarding the aforementioned item.

Mr. Louis Barcelona Jr. of Cerniglia Enterprises LLC., was recognized and explained to the Council his reason for requesting the appeal to the new fair market value of the aforementioned property.

No public comments for or against said ordinance were presented. No written protests opposing the ordinance were received. The Council Chairman at this point declared the Public Hearing closed.

A motion was made by Board Member Alan Crowe, seconded by Board Member Atley Walker to uphold the 2024 fair market value as presented by the WBR Assessor for 4545 Highway 1 South Brusly, La 70719 for Cerniglia Enterprises LLC. Assessment Number 204700004600.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0
(None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

**Appeal to the Board of Review for 2024 Tax Assessment of:
220 N. Alexander Ave. Port Allen, La 70767 for Selma Square Louisiana LLC. Assessment
Number 030360022400.**

The Chairman opened a public hearing for the purpose of receiving comment regarding the aforementioned item.

Mr. Zachary Whitaker, representing Walgreens was recognized and explained to the Council his reason for requesting the appeal to the new fair market value of the aforementioned property

No public comments for or against said ordinance were presented. No written protests opposing the ordinance were received. The Council Chairman at this point declared the Public Hearing closed.

A motion was made by Board Member Alan Crowe, seconded by Board Member Katherine Andre to uphold the 2024 fair market value as presented by the WBR Assessor for 220 N. Alexander Ave. Port Allen, La 70767 for Selma Square Louisiana LLC. Assessment Number 030360022400.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0 (None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

Appeal to the Board of Review for 2024 Tax Assessment of:

21255 Highway 1 South for The Dow Chemical Company. Assessment Number 101110017002.

The Chairman opened a public hearing for the purpose of receiving comment regarding the aforementioned item.

Mr. Matt Zegadi, representing Dow Chemical was recognized and explained to the Council his reason for requesting the appeal to the new fair market value of the aforementioned property.

No public comments for or against said ordinance were presented. No written protests opposing the ordinance were received. The Council Chairman at this point declared the Public Hearing closed.

Councilman Brady Hotard noted that he would abstain from this vote due to being employed by Dow Chemical.

A motion was made by Board Member Alan Crowe, seconded by Board Member Kenneth Gordon to uphold the 2024 fair market value as presented by the WBR Assessor for 21255 Highway 1 South for The Dow Chemical Company. Assessment Number 101110017002.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 6 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:1 (Brady Hotard)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

B. Board of Review Consideration of Approval of 2024 Tax Assessment Report

At this time, the WBR Tax Assessor, Mr. Chris Guerin was recognized to present the 2024 tax assessment values of property as determined by the West Baton Rouge Parish Assessor Mr. Guerin then reviewed and read into the record excerpts from schedules A & B for real estate, personal property & public service for tax year 2023 & 2024 as well as homestead exempted property totals and personal property value changes for the same. Mr. Guerin certified the assessment lists of West Baton Rouge Parish for 2024 to the Board of Review in the amount of

\$829,027,881.00, with the additional total assessment for 2024 Public Service from the Louisiana Tax Commission being \$50,281,900.00 for a, Grand Total of \$879,309,781.00 which is an increase of 10.4% overall.

A motion was made by Council Member Kirk Allain, seconded by Council Member Brady Hotard to certify the 2024 Assessment Lists of West Baton Rouge Parish in the amount of \$829,027,881.00 as presented by WBR Assessor Chris Guerin.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0 (None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

12. PUBLIC HEARING ON PREVIOUSLY INTRODUCED ORDINANCES

A. An Ordinance Of The West Baton Rouge Parish Council Approving An Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Of Up To \$2,500 Of The Assessed Valuation Of Property Receiving Homestead Exemption That Is Owned And Occupied By A Qualified First Responder Pursuant To Article VII, Section 21(O) Of The Louisiana Constitution.

The Chairman opened a public hearing for the purpose of receiving comment regarding the aforementioned item.

Mr. Chris Guerin was again recognized and explained what this Ordinance would mean for the fulltime publicly employed emergency responders of WBR Parish who meet all the State requirements for the aforementioned exemption on yearly property taxes.

No public comments for or against said ordinance were presented. No written protests opposing the ordinance were received. The Council Chairman at this point declared the Public Hearing closed.

A motion was made by Council Member Kirk Allain, seconded by Council Member Kenneth Gordon to approve An Ordinance Of The West Baton Rouge Parish Council Approving An Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Of Up To \$2,500 Of The Assessed Valuation Of Property Receiving Homestead Exemption That Is Owned And Occupied By A Qualified First Responder Pursuant To Article VII, Section 21(O) Of The Louisiana Constitution.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0 (None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

Ordinance 33 Of 2024 can be found at the end of these minutes.

13. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

Mrs. Tullier, Council Clerk read by title the below proposed ordinance/s being introduced and publicized by title, and considered for adoption following a public hearing as specified below, at 5:30 pm in the Council Chambers, located at 880 North Alexander Avenue, Port Allen, La.:

A. An Ordinance Amending Chapter 104 Zoning To Incorporate Amended Zoning Designation Map (Zoning Plan) Under Section 104-3 Establishment Of Districts, Official Zoning Map For

Rezoning Request Of Kerry LeBlanc. Regarding Property located at 5861 Andre Lane. Port Allen, La 70767. File #2024-15: Described by the WBR Assessor as: TRACT T-1 CONT 0.970 AC IN SEC 13 T6S R10E 6A-

56. and TRACT T-2 CONT 10.35 AC. Rezoning From AG-1 (Agricultural Small Scale) and AG-3 (Agricultural Large Scale) to AG-2 (Agricultural Moderate Scale). Master Plan Change Public Hearing Date: November 14, 2024

- B.** An Ordinance Amending Chapter 104 Zoning To Incorporate Amended Zoning Designation Map (Zoning Plan) Under Section 104-3 Establishment Of Districts, Official Zoning Map, And Section 111-78 (Special, Conditional Use Requirements And Procedures) For Rezoning Request Of Mullins PA, LLC. Located at 2421 Commercial Drive Port Allen, LA 70767. Described by the WBR Assessor as: TRACT F1-A1 CONT 3.00 AC & TRACT F1-A2-A CONT 1.647 AC IN SEC 93 T7S R12E. Rezoning From I-1 (Light Industrial) to I-1 (Light Industrial) With A Special Use Permit For Warehouse, Storage, and Distribution; Heavy. Public Hearing Date: November 14, 2024

14. CONSIDER STATUS REPORT, CHANGE ORDER AND/OR OTHER MATTERS AS REQUIRED ON CURRENT PROJECTS

There were no items to consider at this time.

15. RESOLUTIONS

- A. Resolution Adopting the Adjusted Millage Rate After Reassessment for General Alimony For all Property Subject to Taxation In West Baton Rouge Parish For 2024 Tax Year**

The Chairman opened a public hearing for the purpose of receiving comment regarding the aforementioned item.

Mr. Chance Stephens was recognized and explained the reason for this resolution and answered a few questions from the Council for clarification.

No public comments for or against said ordinance were presented. No written protests opposing the ordinance were received. The Council Chairman at this point declared the Public Hearing closed.

A motion was made by Council Member Alan Crowe, seconded by Council Member Brady Hotard to approve the Resolution Adopting the Adjusted Millage Rate After Reassessment for General Alimony For all Property Subject to Taxation In West Baton Rouge Parish For 2024 Tax Year.

The vote was recorded as follows:

YEAS: 7 (Kirk Allain, Atley Walker, Brady Hotard, Kenneth Gordon, Carey Denstel, Alan Crowe, Katherine Andre)

NAYS: 0 (None)

ABSENT: 2 (Daryl "Turf" Babin, Gary Joseph) ABSTAIN:0 (None)

As a result of the votes, the motion Passed.

Resolution 24 Of 2024 can be found at the end of these minutes.

16. CONSIDER SUBDIVISION PLATS, CONDEMNATIONS, WAIVERS AND MATTERS RELATED THERETO

There were no items to consider at this time.

17. CORRESPONDENCE REPORT

Correspondence Report from Council Clerk, Mrs. Michelle Tullier included the following items:

- Household Hazardous Materials Collection Day, Saturday, October 26, 2024, at Alexander Park in Brusly from 8am to 12 noon;

- Early voting for the Nov. 5 Election will be held Friday, Oct. 18 through Tuesday, Oct. 29 from 8:30 am until 6:00 pm. Both locations (Registrar of Voters' office and the Brusly Early Voting office) will be open.
- Planning & Zoning Meeting Tuesday, October 15, 2024, a 5:30pm;
- Fire Board Meeting Thursday, October 24, 2024, at 5:00pm;
- Next Council Meeting is Thursday, October 24, 2024, at 5:30pm.

18. ADJOURN

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Kirk Allain and was adopted by acclamation at 6:23pm.


Carey Denstel, Chairman


Michelle Z. Tullier, Council Clerk

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Christopher P. Guerin, CLA



LISA H. TATE, CLDA
CHIEF DEPUTY

ASSESSOR-----

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October 7, 2024

West Baton Rouge Parish Council
Post Office Pox 757
Port Allen, Louisiana 70767

Dear Council Members:

Pursuant to Louisiana Revised Statute 47:1992, this is to advise you that I have prepared the assessment lists of real and personal property in and for the Parish of West Baton Rouge and that said lists have been exposed daily for inspection by the taxpayers and other interested parties for a period of fifteen calendar days which began August 30, 2024 and ended September 15, 2024 (notice of exposure was published in the August 8, and August 22, 2024 editions of the West Side Journal).

Now that the exposure period is over and the lists have been corrected where

necessary for any clerical or assessment errors, I hereby certify the assessment lists of West Baton Rouge Parish for 2024 to you as the Board of Review in the Amount of \$829,027,881.

A period of fifteen days, beginning September 23 and ending October 3, 2024 has been set up for the Board of Review to receive any protest. Any taxpayer desiring to be heard must file their protest by October 3, 2024 which is seven (7) days prior to the final Board of Review meeting. October 10, 2024 being the fifteenth day, is set for the Board of Review to meet and review this year's assessments (notice of the fifteen-day protest period and date the Parish Council will meet as the Board of Review has been published in the September 26, & October 3, 2024 editions of the West Side Journal).

Christopher P. Guerin, CLA

Assessor

CPG/lt

Attachments

CC: Louisiana Tax Commission

RECEIVED:


West Baton Rouge Parish Council
October 7, 2024

Christopher P. Guerin, CLA



ASSESSOR

Assessment Schedule A and B For the Tax Year 2024 & 2023

2024 Schedule A

The schedule below shows a comparison of assessed values determined by the Assessor for 2024 and the net value of the 2023 Assessment Roll. Also shown are the 2024 and 2023 Public Service assessments as determined by the Louisiana Tax Commission.

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>Increase</u> <u>{Decrease}</u>	<u>% Increase</u> <u>{Decrease}</u>
Real Estate (H/E & T/P)	\$ 304,697,681	\$ 258,150,790	\$ 46,546,891	18.0%
Personal Property	524,330,200	492,025,750	32,304,450	<u>6.6%</u>
Total	(1) 829,027,881	750,176,540	78,851,341	10.5%
Public Service	(2) 50,281,900	46,006,490	4,275,410	<u>9.3%</u>
Grand Total	\$ 879,309,781 (3)	\$ 796,183,030	\$ 83,126,751	10.4%

Notations:

- (1) \$829,027,881 is the total assessed value of the 2024 assessment list determined by the Assessor and certified to the West Baton Rouge Parish Council as the Board of Review.
- (2) \$50,281,900 is the total of assessed value for 2024 Public Service assessments as determined by the Louisiana Tax Commission.
- (3) Assessment roll adjusted for 2023 change orders.

2024 Schedule 8

The schedule below shows the breakdown of assessments for 2024 and 2023 showing homestead exempted property and taxpayer's property.

	<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>	Increase {Decrease}	% Increase {Decrease}
Homestead Exempt	\$ 56,430,926	\$	55,282,239	\$ 1,148,687	2.1%
Taxpayer	(1) 822,878,855		740,900,791	81,978,064	11.1%
Grand Total	\$ 879,309,781	(2) \$	796,183,030	\$ 83,126,751	10.4%

Notations:

- (1) Taxpayer liability base.
- (2) Assessment roll adjusted for 2023 change orders.

ORDINANCE 33 OF 2024

An Ordinance Of The West Baton Rouge Parish Council Approving An Ad Valorem Tax Exemption Of Up To \$2,500 Of The Assessed Valuation Of Property Receiving Homestead Exemption That Is Owned And Occupied By A Qualified First Responder Pursuant To Article VII, Section 21(O) Of The Louisiana Constitution

WHEREAS, in its 2023 Regular Session, the Louisiana Legislature passed Act No.179 which proposed an amendment to the Louisiana Constitution to authorize the local governing authority of a parish to provide an ad valorem tax exemption for qualified first responders (as defined therein); and

WHEREAS, the electors of the State of Louisiana at the statewide election held on November 18, 2023, approved the proposed constitutional amendment which added Article VII, Section 21(O); and

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 21(O)(3) provides that the ad valorem tax exemption for qualified first responders “shall only apply in a parish if it is approved by the parish governing authority;” and

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, the West Baton Rouge Parish Council, as the governing authority for the Parish of West Baton Rouge, does hereby approve and make applicable in the Parish of West Baton Rouge an ad valorem tax exemption of up to \$2,500 (two thousand five hundred dollars) of the assessed valuation of property receiving the homestead exemption that is owned and occupied by a qualified first responder pursuant to Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Louisiana Constitution.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the West Baton Rouge Parish Council that this ordinance shall become to be effective starting the 1st day of January 2025.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the West Baton Rouge Parish Council, that all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed in their entirety.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Parish Council of the Parish of West Baton Rouge, Louisiana, that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or applications of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE AFTER HAVING BEEN SUBMITTED TO A PUBLIC HEARING WAS CONSIDERED, AND UPON MOTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER KIRK ALLAIN, WHICH WAS SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER KENNETH GORDON. THE ORDINANCE WAS SUBMITTED TO A VOTE AND RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING:

YEAS: 7 (MRS. ANDRE, MESSRS. ALLAIN, GORDON, WALKER, DENSTEL, CROWE, HOTARD)

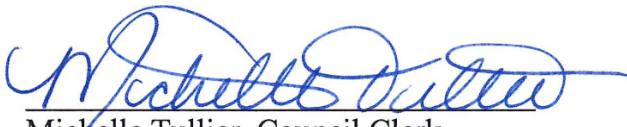
NAYS: 0 (NONE)

ABSENT: 2 (MESSRS. BABIN, JOSEPH)

ABSTAIN: 0 (NONE)

WHEREUPON the ordinance was declared adopted on the 10th Day of October, 2024.

ATTEST:


Michelle Tullier, Council Clerk

RESOLUTION 24 OF 2024

Resolution Adopting the Adjusted Millage Rate After Reassessment for General Alimony For all Property Subject to Taxation In West Baton Rouge Parish For 2024 Tax Year

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following millage(s) are hereby levied on the 2024 tax roll on all property subject to taxation by West Baton Rouge Parish:

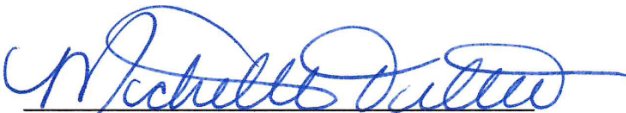
MILLAGE

General Alimony (1078004): 3.190 mills

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the proper administrative officials of the Parish of West Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for the year 2024, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the taxing authority, according to law, and that 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.

The Foregoing Resolution Was Read In Full, And, After Public Discussion, A Motion To Approve Was Made By Council Member Alan Crowe, Which Was Seconded By Council Member Brady Hotard.

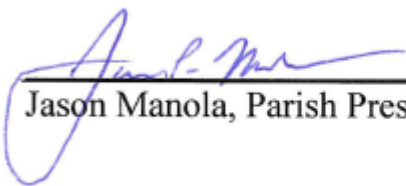
YEAS: 7 (Mrs. Andre, Messrs. Crowe, Hotard, Allain, Walker, Denstel, Gordon)
NAYS: 0 (None)
ABSTAIN: 0 (None)
ABSENT: 2 (Messrs. Babin, Joseph)
ATTEST:


Michelle Tullier, Council Clerk

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the resolution adopted at the board meeting held on October 10th, 2024, at which meeting a quorum was present and voting.

Port Allen, Louisiana, this 10th day of October, 2024.


Jason Manola, Parish President

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