



St. Bernard Parish Council

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EXTRACT OF THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE ST. BERNARD PARISH GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, 8201 WEST JUDGE PEREZ DRIVE, CHALMETTE, LOUISIANA ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2015 AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mr. McInnis, seconded by Mr. Montelongo, it was moved to adopt the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE SBPC #1687-09-15

Summary No. 3283

Introduced by: Councilman Hunnicutt on 9/1/15
Public hearing held on 9/15/15

AN ORDINANCE TO **AMEND** CHAPTER 11; HEALTH AND SANITATION, SECTION 28; STORAGE OF JUNK ON PRIVATE PROPERTY OF THE ST. BERNARD PARISH CODE OF ORDINANCES.

ST. BERNARD PARISH COUNCIL DOES HEREBY ORDAIN:

SECTION 1. The St. Bernard Parish Council does hereby amend (as attached in (Exhibit "A") Chapter 11; Health and sanitation, Section 28; Storage of junk on Private Property of the St. Bernard Parish Code of Ordinances.

SECTION 2. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon authorizing signature by the Parish President. In the event of a presidential veto, this Ordinance shall become effective upon a two-thirds favorable vote of the total membership of the Council pursuant to Sections 2-11 and 2-13 of the St. Bernard Parish Home Rule Charter.

SECTION 3. Severability. If any section, clause, paragraph, provision or portion of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect any other section, clause, paragraph, provision or portion of this Ordinance, the St. Bernard Parish Council hereby expresses and declares that it would have adopted the remaining portion this Ordinance with the invalid portions omitted.

EXHIBIT "A"
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Chapter 11 – Health and Sanitation
Section 28- Storage of junk on Private Property.

Sec 11-28, Storage of junk on Private Property.

(a) No person shall store or offer for sale junked, wrecked or used automobiles or other motor vehicles, or any part thereof, or any junked, discarded or abandoned machinery or other metal, tin, or other discarded items on any vacant lot or any unused portion of any occupied lot that is not properly enclosed on all boundary lines with a proper, suitable and substantial fence not less than seven (7) feet nor more than ten (10) feet high which properly screens such enclosed area from public view, provided that the fence be kept in a constant state of good repair and no sign or other advertising matter shall be placed upon such fence.

(b) The storage of any junked, wrecked, or used automobile or other motor vehicle, or any part thereof, or any junked, discarded or abandoned machinery or other metal, tin, or other discarded items, on private property, in view of the general public, shall constitute a violation.

(c) Notice of a violation shall be posted on the vehicle, junk, or other discarded items. Any vehicle, junk or other discarded items which remains in violation ten (10) days after notice shall be considered public property and will be towed at the property owner's expense.

(d) Any person in violation of the above may be fined a minimum of one hundred (\$100.00) and up to three hundred dollars (\$300.00) per such vehicle in addition to any towing or impound fees as set forth by the Louisiana Towing and Recovery Act, or any other costs to Parish Government attributable to impoundment of any such vehicles.