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**#19**

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, DECEMBER 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 #1720-12-15**

### **Summary No. 3324**

Introduced by: Councilman McInnis on 12/1/15

Public hearing held on 12/15/15

AN ORDINANCE TO HIRE A CPA FIRM TO CONDUCT A FORENSIC AUDIT ON THE OUTGOING ADMINISTRATION.

ST. BERNARD PARISH COUNCIL DOES HEREBY ORDAIN:

**WHEREAS**, the St. Bernard Parish Council believes it to be in the best interest of the citizens of St. Bernard Parish and St. Bernard Parish Government to hire an independent third party to audit certain financial records of St. Bernard Parish Government.

**WHEREAS**, the St. Bernard Parish Council may hire auditors under sec 2-09 of the Home Rule Charter.

**SECTION 1.** The St. Bernard Parish Council hereby empowers the vice chairman to represent the council in contract negotiations and execute a written contract or agreement with a third party auditor.

**SECTION 2.** The St. Bernard Parish Council hereby empowers the vice chairman to select an independent audit firm to audit, examine, and/or inspect all financial records of St. Bernard Parish.

**SECTION 3.** 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.



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**SECTION 4.** 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.

The above and foregoing having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereupon resulted as follows:

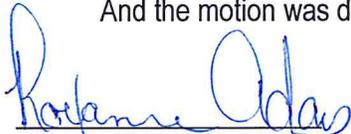
**YEAS:** Lauga, Gorbaty, Lewis, Hunnicutt, Montelongo, McInnis

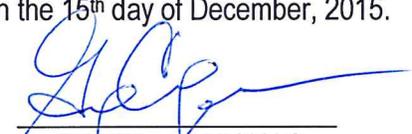
**NAYS:** None

**ABSENT:** None

The Chairman, Mr. Cavnac, cast his vote as **YEA**.

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2015.

  
ROXANNE ADAMS  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

  
GEORGE CAVNAC  
COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

Delivered to the Parish President 12/18/2014 9:45am  
Date and Time

Approved

Vetoed

Parish President

  
David E. Peralta

Returned to Clerk of the Council

1/4/16 10:27am  
Date and Time

Received by

