



# St. Bernard Parish Council

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**Ray Lauga, Jr.**  
Councilman  
District A

**Nathan Gorbaty**  
Councilman  
District B

**Richard "Richie" Lewis**  
Councilman  
District C

**Casey W. Hunnicutt**  
Councilman  
District D

**Manuel "Monty"  
Montelongo III**  
Councilman  
District E

**Roxanne Adams**  
Clerk of Council

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 16, 2014 AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mr. Lauga, seconded by Mr. Monty, it was moved to **adopt** the following resolution:

## RESOLUTION SBPC #1272-12-14

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULT OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2014, TO AMEND ARTICLE II, SEC. 2-06 OF THE ST. BERNARD PARISH HOME RULE CHARTER.

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), that:

**SECTION 1. Canvass.** This Governing Authority does now proceed in open and public session to examine the official tabulations of votes cast at the special election held in the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana, (the "Parish"), on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2014, to amend Article II, Sec. 2-06 of the St. Bernard Parish Home Rule Charter, and said Governing Authority does further proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the special election.

**SECTION 2. Procès Verbal.** A *Procès Verbal* of the canvass of the returns of said election shall be made and a certified copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Secretary of State, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, who shall record the same in his office; another certified copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Clerk of Court and *Ex-Officio* Recorder of Mortgages in and for the Parish of St. Bernard, who shall record the same in the Mortgage Records of said Parish; and another copy thereof shall be retained in the archives of this Governing Authority.

**SECTION 3. Promulgation of Election Result.** The result of said election shall be promulgated by publication in the manner provided by law.



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*Councilman  
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The resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon resulted as follows:

**Ray Lauga, Jr.**  
*Councilman  
District A*

**YEAS:** Lauga, Lewis, Hunnicutt, Montelongo, Cavignac

**Nathan Gorbaty**  
*Councilman  
District B*

**NAYS:** None

**ABSENT:** Gorbaty

**Richard "Richie" Lewis**  
*Councilman  
District C*

The Council Chair, Mr. McInnis, cast his vote as YEA.

**Casey W. Hunnicutt**  
*Councilman  
District D*

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

**Manuel "Monty"  
Montelongo III**  
*Councilman  
District E*

**Roxanne Adams**  
*Clerk of Council*

## CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a motion adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, held at Chalmette, Louisiana, on Tuesday, December 16, 2014.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Parish of St. Bernard on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

ROXANNE ADAMS  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

PROCÈS VERBAL AND PROCLAMATION OF THE CANVASS OF THE VOTES CAST AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2014.

BE IT KNOWN AND REMEMBERED that on Tuesday, December 16, 2014, at three o'clock (3:00) p.m., at its regular meeting place, the Council Chambers, 8201 W. Judge Perez Dr., Chalmette, Louisiana, the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), and being the authority ordering the special election held therein on Saturday, December 6, 2014, with the following members present: Lauga, Lewis, Hunnicutt, Montelongo, Cavnignac, and McInnis.

There being absent: Gorbaty

did, in open and public session, examine the official certified tabulations of votes cast at the said election, and did examine and canvass the returns of the said election, there having been submitted at said election the following proposition, to wit:

CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSITION

Shall Article II, Section 2-06(a) of the Home Rule Charter of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana, be amended to read as follows:

- (a) A council member shall hold no other elected public office, appointed position in government service, or be a compensated official or employee of the parish government or any of its political subdivisions during the term for which elected to the council. However, council members may hold the positions of notary public, an officer in the military service, a member of a charter commission, a delegate to a constitutional convention, or a member of a political party committee. No former council member shall hold any compensated appointive office or employment of the parish government or any of its political subdivisions until one (1) year after expiration of the term of office to which elected?

There was found by said count and canvass that the following votes had been cast at the said special election **IN FAVOR OF** and **AGAINST**, respectively, the proposition as hereinabove set forth at the following polling places, to-wit:

POLLING PLACES		VOTE TABULATION	
Precinct	Location	FOR	AGAINST
0010	Arabi Elementary School Cafeteria, 7200 Alexander Avenue, Arabi	87	43
0011	Arabi Elementary School Cafeteria, 7200 Alexander Avenue, Arabi	158	116
0012	Arabi Elementary School Cafeteria, 7200 Alexander Avenue, Arabi	52	68
0013	Arabi Elementary School Cafeteria, 7200 Alexander Avenue, Arabi	144	90
0014	Andrew Jackson Middle School Lobby, 201 Eighth St, Chalmette	87	63
0015	Andrew Jackson Middle School Lobby, 201 Eighth St, Chalmette	10	2

POLLING PLACES		VOTE TABULATION	
Precinct	Location	FOR	AGAINST
0016	Andrew Jackson Middle School Lobby, 201 Eighth St, Chalmette	66	40
0017	Andrew Jackson Middle School Lobby, 201 Eighth St, Chalmette	32	23
0020	Chalmette Elementary School Cafeteria, 75 E. Chalmette Circle, Chalmette	74	58
0021	Chalmette Elementary School Cafeteria, 75 E. Chalmette Circle, Chalmette	68	36
0022	Nunez Community College Gym, 3700 Lafontaine Street, Chalmette	83	51
0023	Chalmette Elementary School Cafeteria, 75 E. Chalmette Circle, Chalmette	31	21
0024	Nunez Community College Gym, 3700 Lafontaine Street, Chalmette	141	114
0025	Nunez Community College Gym, 3700 Lafontaine Street, Chalmette	78	41
0030	Chalmette High School - Lacoste Campus Cafeteria, 1101 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	155	110
0031	Chalmette High School Cafeteria, 1100 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	116	79
0032	Chalmette High School - Lacoste Campus Cafeteria, 1101 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	100	87
0032A	Chalmette High School - Lacoste Campus Cafeteria, 1101 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	106	78
0033	Chalmette High School Cafeteria, 1100 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	94	82
0034	Chalmette High School Cafeteria, 1100 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	27	15
0035	Chalmette High School Cafeteria, 1100 E. Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette	18	8
0040	Joe Davies Elementary School, 4101 Mistrot Drive, Meraux	38	41
0041	Joe Davies Elementary School, 4101 Mistrot Drive, Meraux	106	97
0042	Joe Davies Elementary School, 4101 Mistrot Drive, Meraux	86	122
0042A	Joe Davies Elementary School, 4101 Mistrot Drive, Meraux	122	117
0043	N. P. Trist Middle School, #1 Pirates Cove, Meraux	71	78
0044	N. P. Trist Middle School, #1 Pirates Cove, Meraux	125	150
0045	N. P. Trist Middle School, #1 Pirates Cove, Meraux	51	59
0046	N. P. Trist Middle School, #1 Pirates Cove, Meraux	45	57
0050	W. Smith Elementary School, 6701 E. St. Bernard Hwy., Violet	138	152
0051	W. Smith Elementary School, 6701 E. St. Bernard Hwy., Violet	37	41
0052	W. Smith Elementary School, 6701 E. St. Bernard Hwy., Violet	147	184
0053	W. Smith Elementary School, 6701 E. St. Bernard Hwy., Violet	63	73
0054	J. F. Gauthier Elementary School Cafeteria, 1200 E. La. Hwy 46, St. Bernard	103	127
0055	J. F. Gauthier Elementary School Cafeteria, 1200 E. La. Hwy 46, St. Bernard	207	214
0056	J. F. Gauthier Elementary School Cafeteria, 1200 E. La. Hwy 46, St. Bernard	40	40

POLLING PLACES		VOTE TABULATION	
Precinct	Location	FOR	AGAINST
0057	J. F. Gauthier Elementary School Cafeteria, 1200 E. La. Hwy 46, St. Bernard	10	17
0058	J. F. Gauthier Elementary School Cafeteria, 1200 E. La. Hwy 46, St. Bernard	23	27
	ABSENTEE	1,471	887
	TOTALS	4,583	3,684
	MAJORITY FOR	899	

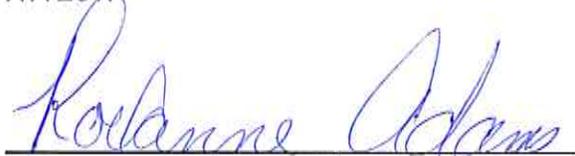
The polling places above specified being the only polling places designated at which to hold the said election, it was therefore shown that there was a total of **4,583** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** the Proposition and a total of **3,684** votes cast **AGAINST** the Proposition, as hereinabove set forth, and that there was a majority of **899** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** the Proposition as hereinabove set forth.

Therefore, the Governing Authority did declare and proclaim and does hereby declare and proclaim in open and public session that the Proposition as hereinabove set forth was duly **CARRIED** by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified electors voting at the said special election held in the Parish on Saturday, December 6, 2014.

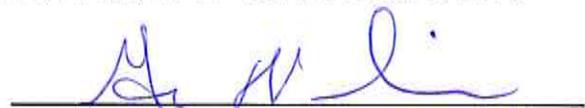
**Exhibit "A"** attached hereto and made a part of this *Procès Verbal* is a copy of the Notice of Special Election and proof of publication thereof.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Chalmette, Louisiana, on this, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

ATTEST:



Roxanne Adams  
Clerk of Council




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Guy McInnis  
Council Chairman

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance adopted by the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), on September 2, 2014, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held within the Parish on **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2014**, and that at the said election there will be submitted to all registered voters in the Parish qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSITION

Shall Article II, Section 2-06(a) of the Home Rule Charter of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana, be amended to read as follows:

- (a) A council member shall hold no other elected public office, appointed position in government service, or be a compensated official or employee of the parish government or any of its political subdivisions during the term for which elected to the council. However, council members may hold the positions of notary public, an officer in the military service, a member of a charter commission, a delegate to a constitutional convention, or a member of a political party committee. No former council member shall hold any compensated appointive office or employment of the parish government or any of its political subdivisions until one (1) year after expiration of the term of office to which elected?

The said special election will be held at the following polling places situated within the Parish, which polls will open at seven o'clock (7:00) a.m. and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 18:541, to-wit:

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The polling places set forth above are hereby designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-in-Charge and Commissioners, respectively, shall be those persons designated according to law.

The said special election will be held in accordance with the applicable provisions of Chapter 5, Chapter 6-A and Chapter 6-B of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, and other constitutional and statutory authority, and the officers appointed to hold the said election, as provided in this Notice of Special Election, or such substitutes therefor as may be selected and

designated in accordance with La. R.S. 18:1287, will make due returns thereof to said Governing Authority, and NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Governing Authority will meet at its regular meeting place, the Council Chambers of St. Bernard Parish Government Complex, 8201 West Judge Perez Drive, Chalmette, Louisiana, on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2014, at THREE O'CLOCK (3:00) P.M.**, and shall then and there in open and public session proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said special election. All registered voters of the Parish are entitled to vote at said special election and voting machines will be used.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Chalmette, Louisiana, on this, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2014.

ATTEST:

  
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Clerk of Council

  
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Council Chair

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STATE OF LOUISIANA  
PARISH OF ST. BERNARD

Before me, the undersigned authority, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the above Parish and State, personally came and appeared:

Norris J. Babin, Jr., Legals Clerk



That as Legals Clerk of *The St. Bernard Voice*, the official journal of the Parish of St. Bernard, attests that the attached copy of **LEGAL NOTICE**

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Was published in the newspaper in the issues of:

September 19, 2014

September 26, 2014

October 3, 2014

October 10, 2014

Sworn to and subscribed before me

This 10th day of October, 2014



NOTARY PUBLIC  
EDWIN M. ROY, JR.  
NOTARY #009258



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## PROCLAMATION

I, the undersigned Chairman of the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana, the governing authority of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), do hereby declare, proclaim and announce that the proposition submitted at the special election held in the Parish on Saturday, December 6, 2014, was **CARRIED** by a majority of the votes cast at the said special election, all as described and set out in the above *Procès Verbal*.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Chalmette, Louisiana, on this, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
December, 2014.



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Guy McInnis  
Council Chairman



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STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF ST. BERNARD

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Parish Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), the governing authority of the Parish of St. Bernard, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), do hereby certify that the foregoing pages constitute a true and correct copy of the proceedings and *Procès Verbal* made by said Governing Authority on Tuesday, December 16, 2014, providing for canvassing the returns and declaring the result of the special election held in the Parish on Saturday, December 6, 2014, to amend Article II, Sec. 2-06 of the St. Bernard Parish Home Rule Charter.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature of the Parish at Chalmette, Louisiana, on this, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

  
Clerk of Council