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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, JULY 7, 2015 AT SEVEN O'CLOCK P.M.

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

RESOLUTION SBPC #1351-07-15

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE DELTA REGIONAL AUTHORITY'S STATES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$71,000.00 FOR GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEM EQUIPMENT AND TRAINING.

WHEREAS, the Delta Regional Authority (DRA) is a federal-state partnership that is congressionally mandated to help create jobs, build communities, and improve lives in the 252 counties and parishes of the Delta; and,

WHEREAS, the DRA has established the States' Economic Development Assistance Program to invest in projects which meet goals related to public infrastructure, transportation for economic development, business development, and workforce development/job training; and

WHEREAS, this DRA through this grant program has allocated \$1,594,208 to the State of Louisiana and indicated 75% of those funds should be directed toward distressed parishes; and

WHEREAS, St. Bernard Parish is one of 35 eligible distressed parishes in Louisiana and the only distressed parish in the New Orleans region; and

WHEREAS, St. Bernard is the only parish in the metro region that has not established a functional Geographic Information System which coordinates parish databases with regional databases in order to further local recovery efforts and regional development goals; and

WHEREAS, no local matching funds are required for grants from distressed parishes; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the St. Bernard Parish Council, does hereby authorize the submission of a grant application to the Delta Regional



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Authority's States' Economic Development Assistance Program for Geographical Information Systems Equipment and Training in the amount of \$71,000.00; and

BE IT RESOLVED, that the St. Bernard Parish Council, does hereby authorize the President of St. Bernard Parish Government to sign and submit all required grant applications, Cooperative Endeavor Agreements and any amendments thereof, and all of the necessary reports, assurances, contracts and any other documents required in connection with the Delta Regional Authority's States' Economic Development Assistance Program.

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. Cavignac, cast his vote as **YEA**.

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 7th day of July, 2015.

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, July 7, 2015.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Parish of St. Bernard on this 7th day of July, 2015.

ROXANNE ADAMS
CLERK OF COUNCIL