THE TANGIPAHOA PARISH COUNCIL MET AT A SPECIAL MEETING ON NOVEMBER 9, 2022, AT 6:00 P.M. AT THE TANGIPAHOA PARISH GORDON A BURGESS GOVERNMENTAL BUILDING, 206 EAST MULBERRY STREET, AMITE, LOUISIANA

## MINUTES OF THE TANGIPAHOA PARISH COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING NOVEMBER 9, 2022 MEETING

The Tangipahoa Parish Council met on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 2022 in a Special Session and was called to order by Mrs. Brigette Hyde, Chairwoman at 6:00pm. The Chair asked that all cell phones be muted or turned off.

The Invocation was given by Mr. Jeff McKneely and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Wells The following members were <u>PRESENT</u>: Trent Forrest, John Ingraffia, Louis Joseph, Carlo Bruno, Buddy Ridgel, Joey Mayeaux, Lionell Wells, David Vial, Brigette Hyde, Kim Coates

## **REGULAR BUSINESS**

- 1. Redistricting Matters Strategic Demographics, LLC
  - Dan Garrett presented Redistricting Plan A to the Council. After a lengthy discussion and concerns regarding some precincts moved in District 4 and District 5, an amendment was agreed to be made and presented on November 14, 2022.
  - Mr. Garrett presented Redistricting Plan B (minority plan). After a brief discussion the plan was deemed unfavorable by the council.
- 2. **PUBLIC HEARING** and INTRODUCTION of T.P. Ordinance No. 22-76 An Ordinance to Redistrict the Parish Council Districts of Tangipahoa Parish in Accordance with the Year 2020 Decennial Census Plan A No one from the public asked to speak during the Public Hearing of T.P. Ordinance No. 22-76 The chair asked for a motion to TABLE T.P. Ordinance No. 22-76 for the amending of the precincts and set for Public Hearing and Introduction on Monday, November 14, 2022 at 5:30pm. Motion made by Mr. Ridgel, seconded by Mr. Joseph to TABLE. Roll call vote as follows: YEA: Mr. Forrest, Mr. Ingraffia, Mr. Joseph, Mr. Bruno, Mr. Ridgel, Mr. Mayeaux, Mr. Wells, Mr. Vial, Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Coates
- 3. **PUBLIC HEARING** and INTRODUCTION of T.P. Ordinance No. 22-77 An Ordinance to Redistrict the Parish Council Districts of Tangipahoa Parish in Accordance with the Year 2020 Decennial Census Plan B-No one from the public asked to speak during the Public Hearing of T.P. Ordinance No. 22-77 The chair asked for a Motion to REJECT the Introduction of T.P. Ordinance No. 22-77 Plan B of the Redistricting. Motion made by Mr. Joseph, seconded by Mr. Forrest to REJECT T.P. Ordinance No. 22-77 Redistricting Plan B. Roll call vote as follows: YEA: Mr. Forrest, Mr. Ingraffia, Mr. Joseph, Mr. Bruno, Mr. Ridgel, Mr. Mayeaux, Mr. Wells, Mr. Vial, Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Coates

With no further discussion a motion was made by Mr. Wells to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Ridgel.

S/Jill DeSouge, Council Clerk Tangipahoa Parish Council S/Brigette Hyde, Chairwoman Tangipahoa Parish Council