

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS SPONSORED BY COUNCIL MEMBER DISCON AND COUNCIL MEMBER ZUCKERMAN; MOTIONED FOR ADOPTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER ZUCKERMAN, SECONDED FOR ADOPTION BY COUNCIL MEMBER STRONG-THOMPSON_.

RESOLUTION 25-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANDEVILLE EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE RENEWAL OF, AND PARTIAL REDEDICATION OF PROCEEDS FROM, THE 2% SALES TAX OF SALES TAX DISTRICT NO. 3 OF THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY, STATE OF LOUISIANA

WHEREAS, since 1986, Sales Tax District No. of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, has levied a 2% sales tax within the bounds of the District; and

WHEREAS, since the last renewal of that tax in 2006, the proceeds of same have been used exclusively for roads, streets, bridges, and drainage improvements that benefit the District; and

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish enjoys the reputation of being a tight-knit and safe community that supports its various branches of law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, in order for the Parish to meet its state mandated funding obligations to certain entities in the Parish that fulfill essential law enforcement functions, the Parish, through the District, will propose at a March 29, 2025 election to: (i) renew the long-standing District sales tax; and (ii) rededicate a portion of same to help fund said entities; and

WHEREAS, this renewal and rededication proposition appears both reasonable and necessary; and

WHEREAS, the proposition, if passed, will not result in new taxes, only a renewal and partial rededication of an existing tax; and

WHEREAS, should the proposition fail, the Parish will likely be unable to meet its law enforcement related funding obligations, and affected entities may be forced to reduce staff and/ or cut operations, thereby jeopardizing public safety in St. Tammany Parish.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council for the City of Mandeville, that it does, in the interest of public safety, hereby express support for the upcoming proposition of Sales Tax District No.3 of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana to: (i) renew it's long standing sales tax and (ii)

rededicate a portion of same to meet Parish funding obligations to certain law enforcement related entities in the Parish.

With the above resolution having been properly introduced and duly seconded, the vote was as follows:

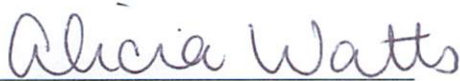
AYES: Zuckerman, Lane, Strong-Thompson, Vogeltanz, Discon

NAYS: 0

ABSTENTIONS: 0

ABSENT: 0

and the resolution was declared adopted this 13th day of March, 2025.



Alicia Watts
Clerk of Council



Scott Discon
Council Chairman