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**INTRODUCED BY: ALBERT D. LAQUE, PARISH PRESIDENT
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM**

RESOLUTION NO. 4918

A resolution authorizing the Parish President and the Department of Economic Development & Tourism to accept a \$20,000 grant from the USDA Office of Rural Development.

WHEREAS, in January 2001, the Department of Economic Development & Tourism submitted a \$20,000 grant request to the USDA Office of Rural Development; and,

WHEREAS, said funding will be used to develop and implement a Strategic Plan for St. Charles Parish; and,

WHEREAS, the USDA Office of Rural Development recently approved the funding request; and,

WHEREAS, on May 18, 2001, the Department of Economic Development & Tourism endorsed a grant funding agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL do hereby ratify the funding agreement between the Department of Economic Development & Tourism and the USDA Office of Rural Development.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the St. Charles Parish Council authorizes the Parish President and the Department of Economic Development & Tourism to accept a grant in the amount of \$20,000 from the USDA Office of Rural Development.

The foregoing resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: FAUCHEUX, HILAIRE, FABRE, ABADIE, AUTHEMENT, BLACK, MARINO, MINNICH
NAYS: NONE
ABSENT: RAMCHANDRAN

And the resolution was declared adopted this 21st day of May, 2001, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

CHAIRMAN: *Baury Minnich*
SECRETARY: *Barbara J. Jones*
DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: *May 22, 2001*
APPROVED: *[Signature]* **DISAPPROVED:** *[Blank]*
PARISH PRESIDENT: *Albert D. Laque*
RETD/SECRETARY: *May 22, 2001*
AT: 3:15 **RECD BY:** *[Signature]*