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**INTRODUCED BY: MATTHEW JEWELL, PARISH PRESIDENT
(DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND WASTEWATER)**

ORDINANCE NO. 20-12-7

An ordinance to amend the St. Charles Parish Code of Ordinances, Chapter 25 – Stormwater Management and Erosion and Sedimentation Control, Article IV, Section 25-52. – Post construction stormwater standards and requirements, paragraph (b)(2) to provide downstream overbank flood and property protection for a 25-year, 24-hour storm event.

WHEREAS, Chapter 25 currently requires downstream overbank flood and property protection to be provided by requiring development sites to control the post-development peak discharge rate to the pre-development rate for a 10-year, 24-hour storm event; and,

WHEREAS, the St. Charles Parish Council wishes to increase this to post-development peak discharge rate to the pre-development rate for a 25-year, 24-hour storm event.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE ST PARISH COUNCIL ORDAINS:

SECTION I. That the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 25 – Stormwater Management and Erosion and Sedimentation Control, Article IV, Section 25-52. – Post construction stormwater standards and requirements, paragraph (b)(2), is amended as follows, with additional text in underline and deleted text in ~~strikethrough~~:

Sec. 25-52. - Post construction stormwater standards and requirements.

(b) Post-development stormwater management performance criteria.

(2) *Overbank flooding protection of bayous and waterways.*
Downstream overbank flood and property protection shall be provided by controlling the post-development peak discharge rate to the pre-development rate for the ~~ten~~25-year, ~~twenty-four~~24-hour return frequency storm event.

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

YEAS: DONALDSON, FONSECA, DARENSBOURG GORDON, CLULEE, GIBBS, DUFRENE, BELLOCK, FISHER, FISHER-PERRIER
NAYS: NONE
ABSENT: NONE

And the ordinance was declared adopted this 7th day of December, 2020 to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

CHAIRMAN: [Signature]
SECRETARY: Michelle Spadato
DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: December 8, 2020
APPROVED: DISAPPROVED:

PARISH PRESIDENT: Math Jewell
RETD/SECRETARY: December 8, 2020
AT: 1:20pm RECD BY: [Signature]