

Ord.

2013-0185

INTRODUCED BY: LARRY COCHRAN, COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT V

ORDINANCE NO. 13-5-19

An ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 13-3-14 to direct and mandate that the Parish President execute the Agreement approved therein.

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2013 the St. Charles Parish Council adopted Ordinance No. 13-3-14 approving and authorizing an agreement between Tauzin Consultants, LLC and St. Charles Parish for governmental affairs representation before the state and federal governments; and,

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 13-3-14 was disapproved and returned by the Parish President on April 1, 2013; and,

WHEREAS, On April 8, 2013, Ordinance No. 13-3-14 was presented to the Parish Council, along with the Parish President's Veto Message, and by vote of the St. Charles Parish Council, the Parish President's Veto of Ordinance No. 13-3-14 was overridden; and,

WHEREAS, Section II of said Ordinance authorizes the Parish President to execute its Agreement, nonetheless, the Parish President has refused to follow the express directive contained therein, rejecting the duty to faithfully execute and carry out said Ordinance, in violation of the St. Charles Parish Home Rule Charter; and,

WHEREAS, The St. Charles Parish Council is obligated to enforce its official actions to ensure the integrity of the Charter, therefore

THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION I. That Section II of Ordinance No 13-3-14 is hereby amended to delete the current Section II and replace it as follows:

"SECTION II. That the Parish President is hereby directed and mandated to execute said Agreement on behalf of St. Charles Parish and to perform all obligations of St. Charles Parish under said Agreement."

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

YEAS: FAUCHEUX, WILSON, BENEDETTO, HOGAN, COCHRAN, FLETCHER, FISHER-PERRIER

NAYS: SCHEXNAYDRE, WOODRUFF

ABSENT: NONE

And the ordinance was declared adopted this 20th day of May, 2013, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

CHAIRMAN: *Wesley Benedetto*
 SECRETARY: *[Signature]*
 DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: *5.23.13*
 APPROVED: _____ DISAPPROVED:
 PARISH PRESIDENT: *[Signature]*
 RETD/SECRETARY: *5.23.13*
 AT: *8:51 am* RECD BY: *[Signature]*

THIS ORDINANCE WAS RETURNED BY THE PARISH PRESIDENT ON MAY 23, 2013 AT 8:51 AM AND HAS BEEN DISAPPROVED BY THE PARISH PRESIDENT. THEREFORE, THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL AT ITS NEXT REGULAR MEETING TO BE HELD ON JUNE 3, 2013 AT 6:00 PM.

ORDINANCE RECONSIDERED BY THE PARISH COUNCIL JUNE 3, 2013
VOTE:

YEAS: FAUCHEUX, BENEDETTO, HOGAN, COCHRAN, FISHER-PERRIER
NAYS: SCHEXNAYRE, WOODRUFF, FLETCHER
ABSENT: WILSON

VETO OF THE PARISH PRESIDENT SUSTAINED.

REFERENCE
Ord. 13-3-14

