

2020-0253

INTRODUCED BY: MATTHEW JEWELL, PARISH PRESIDENT

ORDINANCE NO. 20-10-4

An ordinance to approve and authorize the execution of Amendment No. 1 to the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement by and between St. Charles Parish and St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc., Ordinance No. 10-11-17, to extend the Agreement for the term of the Millage for Public Health Unit facilities.

WHEREAS, St. Charles Parish in conjunction with the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, Office of Public Health and the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Primary Care are working jointly through the St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc. to provide Public Health Services to the citizens of St. Charles Parish; and,

WHEREAS, it is the desire of St. Charles Parish and St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc. to extend the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for use of the Public Health Unit at 843 Milling Avenue in Luling and to provide health care services to the citizens of our Parish, regardless of their ability to pay, at Health Center facilities including Luling and Norco; and,

WHEREAS, on November 6, 2018 the voters of St. Charles Parish renewed the dedicated Millage for Public Health Unit facilities and services for the period 2020 – 2029, which services St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc. has agreed to continue providing to the citizens of St. Charles Parish.

THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION I. That Amendment No. 1 to Ordinance No. 10-11-17, the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement by and between St. Charles Parish and St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc., is hereby approved and accepted.

SECTION II. That the Parish President is hereby authorized to execute said Amendment No. 1 to Ordinance No. 10-11-17, the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement by and between St. Charles Parish and St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc. on behalf of St. Charles Parish.

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
- NAYS: NONE
- ABSENT: FISHER-PERRIER

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

CHAIRMAN: [Signature]
 SECRETARY: Michelle Dupont
 DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: October 6, 2020
 APPROVED: DISAPPROVED:
 PARISH PRESIDENT: Matthew Jewell
 RETD/SECRETARY: October 7, 2020
 AT: 3:48 pm RECD BY: [Signature]

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO
COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN ST. CHARLES PARISH
AND
ST. CHARLES COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, INC.**

BE IT KNOWN, that on the days and date hereinafter stated,

ST. CHARLES PARISH, a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana, herein represented by Matthew Jewell, its Parish President, appearing herein pursuant to Ordinance No. 20-10-4, adopted by the St. Charles Parish Council on the 5th day of October, 2020, a certified copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, whose mailing address is P. O. Box 302, Hahnville, LA 70057;

AND

ST. CHARLES COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, INC., represented herein by Mark F. Keiser, MBA, MHA, MPH, its Chief Executive Officer, 843 Milling Avenue, Luling, LA 70070

HEREBY AGREE THAT:

The Cooperative Endeavor Agreement by and between St. Charles Parish and St. Charles Community Health Center, Inc. (Ordinance No 10-11-17) is hereby amended in Section II. Term., by adding the following sentence at the end of the section:

This Agreement is hereby extended, effective January 1, 2021
and shall terminate on December 31, 2030.

All other provisions of said Cooperative Endeavor Agreement shall remain as first written.

ST. CHARLES PARISH

BY: Matthew Jewell
Matthew Jewell
Parish President

WITNESS: Deborah C Champagne
10/01/2020
DATE

**ST. CHARLES COMMUNITY
HEALTH CENTER, INC.**

BY: Mark F Keiser
Mark F. Keiser, MBA, MHA, MPH
Chief Executive Officer

WITNESS: Timothy J Vial
October 12, 2020
DATE