

2016-0227

INTRODUCED BY: PAUL J. HOGAN, PE, COUNCILMAN-AT-LARGE, DIVISION B

A resolution requesting that the St. Charles Parish Hospital Service District Board of Commissioners hold their meetings in the evening after 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

WHEREAS, the knowledge and participation of the citizenry in matters of public importance ensures the maximum possible degree of transparency and assists in maintaining good government practices; and,

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the public to provide accessibility to the vast majority of citizens who are not able to otherwise attend morning meetings due to work; and,

WHEREAS, in respect to the working citizens of St. Charles Parish and recognizing that citizen participation is a valuable asset to all government entities; meetings should be conducted at a time when more citizens can attend and participate in discussions of public importance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, requests that the St. Charles Parish Hospital Service District Board of Commissioners hold their meetings in the evening after 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

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

YEAS: HOGAN

NAYS: BENEDETTO, WILSON, CLULEE, GIBBS, WOODRUFF, BELLOCK, FLETCHER, FISHER-PERRIER

ABSENT: NONE

PROPOSED RESOLUTION FAILED FOR LACK OF A FAVORABLE MAJORITY ON JUNE 6, 2016.

2016-0227 Failed RESOL - RQST FOR HSD HOLD EVENING MEETINGS (5-18-16) (L_6-6-16)