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INTRODUCED BY: HOLLY FONSECA, COUNCILWOMAN-AT-LARGE, DIVISION B

RESOLUTION NO. 6825

A resolution nominating and electing a St. Charles Parish Council voting member representative to the Local ITEP Committee.

WHEREAS, Article 7, Section 21(F) of the Louisiana Constitution provides for the Board of Commerce and Industry, with the approval of the Governor, to approve contracts for the exemption of ad valorem taxes of a new manufacturing establishment or an addition to an existing manufacturing establishment, on such terms and conditions as the board, with the approval of the Governor, deems in the best interest of the State; and,

WHEREAS, Governor Landry, through Executive Order JML 24-23, has set forth the conditions for his approval of Industrial Tax Exemption Program (ITEP) contracts, and affirmed that those conditions are in the best interest of the State of Louisiana; and,

WHEREAS, Title 13 Section 549(A) of the ITEP Rules authorizes local governmental entities, which include the School Board, Parish Council, and Sheriff, to establish a Local ITEP Committee to provide input to the Governor or Board of Commerce and Industry on pending Project Applications; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Executive Order JML 24-23, the St. Charles Parish Council believes it is in the best interest of the Parish to participate in a Local ITEP Committee and utilize the authority granted to it under the newly established ITEP Rules to elect a voting member representative to serve on the Local ITEP Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, agree it is in the best interest of the Parish to participate in a Local ITEP Committee and to elect a voting member representative to serve on the Local ITEP Committee;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, upon consideration of the foregoing, and the public discussion held this day, that **WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL,** do hereby elect Parish President Matthew Jewell to the **LOCAL ITEP COMMITTEE** as the St. Charles Parish Council voting member representative.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the term of said voting member representative shall be effective **IMMEDIATELY** and shall expire **JANUARY 9, 2028**.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the St. Charles Parish Council that a copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Board of Commerce and Industry, LED, the St. Charles Parish Sheriff, and St. Charles Parish School Board.

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

YEAS: MOBLEY, FONSECA, WILSON, SKIBA, PILIE, COMARDELLE,
O'DANIELS, FISHER, DEBRULER

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

And the resolution was declared adopted this 7th day of April, 2025, to become effective immediately upon adoption.

CHAIRMAN: Holly Fonseca

SECRETARY: Michelle Dupontato

DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: April 8, 2025

APPROVED: ✓ DISAPPROVED:

PARISH PRESIDENT: Matt Jewell

RETD/SECRETARY: April 8, 2025

AT: 2:57pm RECD BY: [Signature]