



ST. CHARLES PARISH

PAUL J. HOGAN, PE

COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT IV

MEMORANDUM

DATE: AUGUST 17, 2010
TO: PARISH COUNCIL
FROM: PAUL J. HOGAN, PE
COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT IV

Please review the attached proposed resolution adding Council Rule 40 to the Parish Council Rules Booklet. This proposed resolution will be introduced at the next Parish Council Meeting, August 23rd, and according to the rules will have to lie over and be voted on September 7th.

Please provide me with any comments, concerns, or suggestions regarding this new proposed rule, no later than August 25th.

Thank you.

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**INTRODUCED BY: PAUL J. HOGAN, PE, COUNCILMAN, DISTRICT IV
RESOLUTION NO. _____**

A resolution to amend the Parish Council Rules by adding Rule 40. Use of Electronic Equipment during Parish Council Meetings or Committee Meetings.

THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY RESOLVES TO AMEND THE COUNCIL RULES BY ADDING RULE 40. AS FOLLOWS:

Rule 40.

While official Parish Council Meetings or Committee Meetings are in progress, all Councilmember's shall refrain from reading or sending e-mails from computers or cellular phones while they are present in the Meetings; shall refrain from text messaging via any electronic device while they are present in the Meetings; and shall refrain from searching the internet during the Meetings unless disclosure is first made that a search is being conducted related to the issues presently under consideration or discussion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT WE THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, do hereby amend the Parish Council Rules by adding Rule 40. Use of Electronic Equipment during Parish Council Meetings or Committee Meetings.

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

And the resolution was declared adopted this _____ day of _____, 2010, to become effective five (5) days after publication in the Official Journal.

Add Council Rule 40

CHAIRMAN: _____

SECRETARY: _____

DLVD/PARISH PRESIDENT: _____

APPROVED: _____ DISAPPROVED: _____

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PARISH PRESIDENT: _____

RETD/SECRETARY: _____

AT: _____ RECD BY: _____