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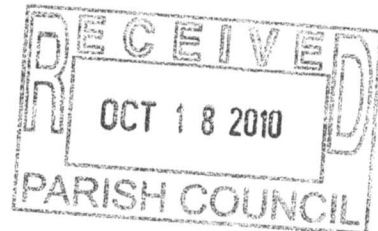
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TO: PAUL J. HOGAN, PE, COUNCILMAN
ST. CHARLES PARISH COUNCIL, DISTRICT V

FROM: LEON C. VIAL, DIRECTOR
DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL SERVICES

RE: Boom Trucks

I found no special or specific code article that authorizes the Parish to utilize its equipment for the purpose of collecting solid waste debris; but since the Parish is the governing authority and directly in control of maintenance of garbage and waste disposal and there is no law by any authority superseding the general law, the general law controls to this situation particularly where no higher authority has already legislated.

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cc Timmy Vial
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