

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO. C-1559

COUNCIL SPONSOR: STEFANCIK/PRESIDENT PROVIDED BY: FINANCE

A RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5'S APPLICATION FOR ASSISTANCE FROM THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVING FIRE PROTECTION

WHEREAS, Fire Protection District No. 5 ("FPD No. 5") provides fire protection to residents in the unincorporated area of St. Tammany Parish around Folsom.

WHEREAS, as an emergency responder FPD No. 5 has had difficulty locating house numbers in the darkness of night when reflective signs are not present. Numerical reflective signs would drastically increase FPD No. 5's response time by enabling the firefighters to locate addresses quickly, thus providing emergency care in the critical time needed.

WHEREAS, a laptop computer with speakers, projector, and screen would enhance FPD No. 5's ability to properly train personnel, as well as facilitate their ability to make educational presentations.

WHEREAS, a water vacuum cleaner would assist FPD No. 5 in loss control mitigation.

WHEREAS, a portable pump would allow FPD No. 5 to access alternative water supplies for fighting fires.

WHEREAS, the addition of a larger water main would greatly enhance water delivery for fire suppression.

WHEREAS, FPD No. 5 seeks grant assistance to purchase numerical signs, pipe, a water vacuum, a portable pump, and a laptop computer with projector and screen.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES to support Fire Protection District No. 5's grant application for assistance from the Governor's Office of Rural Development.

THIS RESOLUTION HAVING BEEN SUBMITTED TO A VOTE, THE VOTE THEREON WAS AS FOLLOWS:

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY \_\_\_\_\_, SECONDED BY \_\_\_\_\_

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

THIS RESOLUTION WAS DECLARED ADOPTED ON THE \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2005 AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

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STEVE STEFANCIK, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

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DIANE HUESCHEN, COUNCIL CLERK