## ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

## RESOLUTION

**RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-4533** 

YEAS:

ATTEST:

COUNCIL SPONSOR: DEAN/BRISTER PROVIDED BY: PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PARISH PRESIDENT TO OBTAIN SPECIAL COUNSEL FOR PERSONNEL MATTERS.

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish recognizes the necessity to retain special counsel to take direct responsibility to handle specific legal matters; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative to have special counsel with experience in the areas of general personnel matters; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to employ and/or contract with special counsel in regards to general personnel matters and St. Tammany Parish recommends the appointment of Richard Stanley of Stanley, Reuter, Ross, Thornton & Alford, LLC, and associated attorneys, and paralegals. Mr. Stanley is an experienced attorney, with the requisite experience to render special counsel services and represent the Parish, its employees and the Parish's interest regarding existing and/or future general personnel matters.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES that a necessity exists for the employment of special counsel and, therefore, the St. Tammany Parish Council authorizes, ratifies and approves the employment of attorney Richard Stanley, and associated attorneys, and paralegals, as special counsel for St. Tammany Parish and its employees where applicable. The compensation authorized to be paid shall be the Louisiana Attorney General's special counsel rates; and

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY FURTHER HEREBY RESOLVES that all acts previously taken by the Office of the Parish President in furtherance of the actions or agreements contemplated herein are hereby ratified and approved.

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

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY: SECONDED BY:

NAYS:				
ABSTAIN:				
ABSENT:				
THIS RESOLUTION WAS DECLARED A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISI PRESENT AND VOTING.		_		
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THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK

## ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENT

March 3, 2016

## President's Office

A necessity exists for the employment of special counsel for general personnel matters, attorney Richard Stanley, and associated attorneys, and paralegals, as special counsel for St. Tammany Parish and its employees where applicable. The compensation authorized to be paid shall be the Louisiana Attorney General's special counsel rates.