

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE CALENDAR NO: 5752

ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO: _____

COUNCIL SPONSOR: BELLISARIO/TOLEDANO PROVIDED BY: COUNCIL ATTORNEY

INTRODUCED BY: _____

SECONDED BY: _____

ON THE 2 DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2017

ORDINANCE TO ADOPT THE MOST CURRENT EDITION OF THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION LIFE SAFETY CODE (NFPA 101) AND THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION FIRE CODE (NFPA 1) AND TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN ST. TAMMANY PARISH FIRE DISTRICTS TO ADOPT THE MOST CURRENT EDITION OF NFPA 101 AND NFPA 1.

WHEREAS, in order to establish a reasonable level of fire safety and property protection from the hazards created by fire and explosion, St. Tammany Parish Government desires to adopt the most current edition of the National Fire Protection Association Life Safety Code (NFPA 101) and the National Fire Protection Association Fire Code (NFPA 1) within the boundaries of St. Tammany Fire District No. 1, St. Tammany Fire District No. 4, St. Tammany Fire District No. 5, St. Tammany Fire District No. 8, St. Tammany Fire District No. 9, St. Tammany Fire District No. 11, St. Tammany Fire District No. 12 and St. Tammany Fire District No. 13; and

WHEREAS, in order to further establish a reasonable level of fire safety and property protection, St. Tammany Parish authorizes St. Tammany Fire District No. 1, St. Tammany Fire District No. 4, St. Tammany Fire District No. 5, St. Tammany Fire District No. 8 and St. Tammany Fire District No. 9, St. Tammany Fire District No. 11, St. Tammany Fire District No. 12 and St. Tammany Fire District No. 13 to adopt and enforce the most current edition of NFPA 101 and NFPA 1; and

WHEREAS, the above referenced Fire Districts are further authorized to adopt and enforce the most current editions of NFPA 101 and NFPA 1 as they are amended from time to time; and

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Government authorizes the above referenced Fire Districts to create Fire Prevention Bureaus in order to enforce NFPA 101 and NFPA 1; and

WHEREAS, the above referenced Fire Districts agree that by adopting the NFPA 101 and NFPA 1 pursuant to this ordinance, they will obtain all necessary certifications, and hold harmless and indemnify St. Tammany Parish Government from any liability associated with inspections and enforcement authorized by the adoption of the NFPA 101 and NFPA 1.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY ORDAINS: that it adopts the most current edition of the National Fire Protection Association Life Safety Code (NFPA 101) and the National Fire Protection Agency Fire Code (NFPA 1) within the boundaries of St. Tammany Fire District No. 1, St. Tammany Fire District No. 4, St. Tammany Fire District No. 5, St. Tammany Fire District No. 8, St. Tammany Fire District No. 9, St. Tammany Fire District No. 11, St. Tammany Fire District No. 12 and St. Tammany Fire District No. 13 and authorizes St. Tammany Fire District No. 1, St. Tammany Fire District No. 4, St. Tammany Fire District No. 5, St. Tammany Fire District No. 8, St. Tammany Fire District No. 9, St. Tammany Fire District No. 11, St. Tammany Fire District No. 12 and St. Tammany Fire District No. 13 to adopt and enforce, through the creation of Fire Prevention Bureaus, the most current editions of NFPA 101 and NFPA 1.

REPEAL: All ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SEVERABILITY: If any provision of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions herein which can be given effect without the invalid provision and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective fifteen (15) days after adoption.

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY: _____ SECONDED BY: _____

WHEREUPON THIS ORDINANCE WAS SUBMITTED TO A VOTE AND RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING:

YEAS: _____

NAYS: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: _____

THIS ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED DULY ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL ON THE 2 DAY OF MARCH , 2017 ; AND BECOMES ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO _____.

STEVE STEFANCIK, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK

PATRICIA P. BRISTER, PARISH PRESIDENT

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