## ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

## **RESOLUTION**

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-4504

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RESOLUTION TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE AUTHORITY, PURSUANT TO HOME RULE CHARTER SECTIONS 1-04, 1-06, 3-01 AND 3-09 FOR THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY, THROUGH THE OFFICE OF THE PARISH PRESIDENT, TO EXECUTE AN ENTITY/STATE AGREEMENT WITH THE LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION A CURVE REALIGNMENT AND A TUNNEL AT THE INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAY 59 AND THE TAMMANY TRACE (WARD 4, DISTRICT 5).

WHEREAS, the State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development seeks to construct or have constructed a curve realignment and tunnel at or near the intersection of Highway 59 and the Tammany Trace; and

WHEREAS, the curve realignment and tunnel construction will be funded with a mix of Federal, State and/or Parish funds; and

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Government desires that the State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development construct the curve realignment and tunnel to improve traffic flows and pedestrian/cyclist safety through the intersection.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES that the Parish of St. Tammany, through the Office of the Parish President, pursuant to Home Rule Charter sections 1-04, 1-06, 3-01 and 3-09 is authorized to enter into an Entity/State Agreement, which meets or exceeds all requirements of Louisiana law and jurisprudence, with the State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development, for construction of a curve realignment and a tunnel at the intersection of Highway 59 and the Tammany Trace and to take any and all actions necessary to enter into the Entity/State Agreement in support of the construction.

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 4 DAY OF FEBRUARY , 2016, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

	MARTY DEAN, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN
ATTEST:	
THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK	

## **Resolution Administrative Comment**

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DOTD is pursuing this agreement to define the project and address allocation of Federal, State and/or Parish monies used towards the project.