## ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

## **ORDINANCE**

ORDINANCE CALENDAR NO: <u>5817</u> ORDINANCE COUNCIL SERIES NO: \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL SPONSOR: STEFANCIK/BRISTER PROVIDED BY: LEGAL DEPARTMENT

INTRODUCED BY: MR. THOMPSON SECONDED BY: MR. DEAN

ON THE 4 DAY OF MAY , 2017

ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RESTATING ORDINANCE CALENDAR NO. 5416 AUTHORIZING THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY, THROUGH THE OFFICE OF THE PARISH PRESIDENT, TO ACQUIRE CERTAIN RIGHTS OF WAY AND/OR SERVITUDES FOR THE BEN THOMAS DETENTION POND PROJECT (WARD 9, DISTRICT 14).

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Council approved Ordinance Calendar No. 5416, authorizing the Parish of St. Tammany ("Parish"), through the Office of the Parish President, to acquire certain right(s) of way and/or servitudes for the Ben Thomas Detention Pond Project (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, there is a need and public purpose for the acquisition of certain right(s) of way and/or servitudes for the Project, which Project will involve the construction of an on-line detention pond in the Bayou Vincent Basin (W-13) north of Ben Thomas Road, and will serve to substantially reduce downstream flows and improve drainage in the subject area; and

WHEREAS, at this time, Parish desires to amend and restate Ordinance Calendar No. 5416 to attach an additional survey more clearly depicting the pertinent temporary construction servitude and permanent maintenance servitude, and/or other right(s) of way, to be acquired for the Project, a copy of which survey is attached hereto as Exhibit "B"; and

WHEREAS, Parish desires to acquire the aforementioned right(s) of way and/or servitudes, and authorizes the Office of the Parish President to do whatever is necessary to acquire the same.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY ORDAINS: that it hereby amends and restates Ordinance Calendar No. 5416 with this Ordinance.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Parish of St. Tammany, through the Office of the Parish President, is authorized to acquire, by purchase, donation or otherwise, all right(s) of way and/or servitudes described and depicted in Exhibits "A" and "B."

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to all applicable provisions of law, the Office of the Parish President is directed and authorized to do whatever is necessary to acquire said right(s) of way and/or servitudes.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that, if purchased, the purchase price shall not exceed fair market value of the right(s) of way and/or servitudes as evidenced by an appraisal obtained or supplied to the Parish plus fees and cost.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Office of the Parish President is authorized to exercise its discretion in acquiring the right(s) of way and/or servitudes, together with all agreements and all transactions necessary to carry out the intent of this Ordinance; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that any and all actions previously taken by the Office of the Parish President in furtherance of the actions contemplated herein are ratified and accepted accordingly.

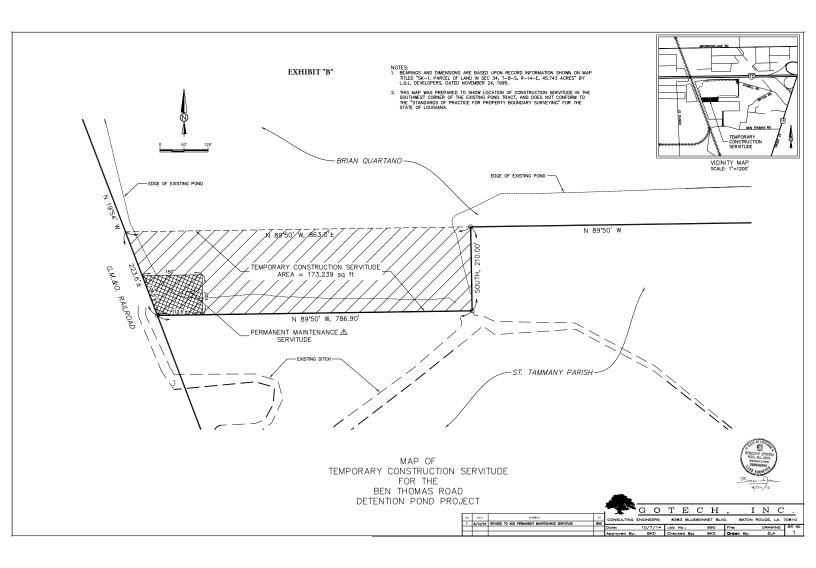
REPEAL: All ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

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:
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	STEVE STEFANCIK, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN
ATTEST:	
THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK	
	PATRICIA P. BRISTER, PARISH PRESIDENT
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EXHIBIT "A"



## **Ordinance Administrative Comment**

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Parish seeks to acquire certain right(s) of way and/or servitudes for the purpose of the construction and future maintenance of drainage improvements. The Parish intends to pay no more than appraised value or less, plus closing costs and fees for any right(s) of way and/or servitudes acquired.

Parish seeks to amend the Original Ordinance to attach an additional survey more clearly depicting the immovable property interests to be acquired for the subject project.