ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-6076

COUNCIL SPONSOR: <u>BLANCHARD/</u> PROVIDED BY: <u>COUNCIL OFFICE</u> BELLISARIO

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE DEDICATION TO THE HARBOR CENTER OF A ONE DOLLAR INCREASE TO THE CURRENT HOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATIONAL BUDGET OF THE HARBOR CENTER.

WHEREAS, the Harbor Center seeks the addition of a one dollar per occupant day per room tax to the current one dollar per occupant day per room Hotel Occupancy Tax, to support the operational budget of the Harbor Center; and

WHEREAS, the Northshore Lodging Association and hotels representing Wards 8 and 9 in Slidell, Louisiana reached a unanimous decision to support the Harbor Center and their proposed one dollar per occupant day per room Hotel Occupancy Tax; and

WHEREAS, the Harbor Center is an important resource in St. Tammany Parish, and promotes tourism and economic activity in Wards 8 and 9; and

WHEREAS, the Parish Council supports the efforts of the Harbor Center and the proposed addition of a one dollar per occupant day per room Hotel Occupancy Tax.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES that St. Tammany Parish Council supports the Harbor Center and their proposed one dollar per occupant day per room Hotel Occupancy Tax, in addition to the current one dollar per occupant day per room Hotel Occupancy Tax, in support of the operational budget of the Harbor Center.

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 $\underline{7}$ DAY OF \underline{MARCH} , 2019, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

ATTEST:

THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK