

ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-5070

COUNCIL SPONSOR: BLANCHARD/BRISTER PROVIDED BY: FINANCE

RESOLUTION NAMING FOLEY & JUDELL, L.L.P. AS BOND COUNSEL FOR THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY, IN PUBLIC FINANCING AND RELATED MATTERS THAT REQUIRE APPROVAL OF THE STATE BONDCOMMISSION TO INCUR INDEBTEDNESS OR HOLD AN ELECTION; AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING SERVICES WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the Parish Council, acting as governing authority, has determined that it is in the Parish’s best interest to engage Bond Counsel to assist parish government in matters of tax elections, structuring and issuance of bonds, and other public financing concerns; and

WHEREAS, Council Resolution #C-4671, October 6, 2016, called for the selection of a Bond Counsel firm using a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP) process; a Bond Counsel RFP was prepared and advertised in the Official Journal, on the Parish Website and by directly soliciting firms known to be interested in providing the services. The Parish evaluated the responses received according to the stated selection criteria, and selected Foley & Judell, L.L.P. as the firm most advantageous to the Parish with price and all other stated criteria considered.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES, through its Parish Council acting as governing authority and with the purposes, reasons and requirements herein above stated, to engage Foley & Judell, L.L.P. as Bond Counsel to the Parish of St. Tammany in public financing and related matters requiring approval by the State Bond Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Parish President Patricia Brister be authorized to engage the selected firm, Foley & Judell, L.L.P. according to the terms specified and negotiated in the Request for Proposal.

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 6 DAY OF SEPTEMBER , 2018, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

S. MICHELE BLANCHARD, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK

Administrative Comment
Appoint Bond Counsel – September 2018

This resolution authorizes the engagement with the firm Foley & Judell, L.L.P. for Bond Counsel under the terms of the RFP solicited in 2018.