

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE ST. MARTIN PARISH COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING - OCTOBER 20, 2017**

The St. Martin Parish Council met in Special Session pursuant to the following Notice of Special Meeting:

**POSTED: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2017**

**NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING**

Chairman Jason Willis has called a **Special Meeting** of the St. Martin Parish Council for 8:30 A.M., Friday, October 20, 2017, Carroll J. Fuselier Meeting Room, St. Martin Parish Annex Building, 301 West Port Street, St. Martinville, Louisiana, in accordance with the Provisions of the St. Martin Parish Home Rule Charter, Section 2.07, Council Meetings and Rules, Paragraph C, to consider the following items:

- 1) CALL TO ORDER
- 2) INVOCATION
- 3) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 4) ROLL CALL
- 5) SPECIAL BUSINESS:  
None.
- 6) ORDINANCE INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND PUBLIC MEETING:  
  
SUMMARY NO. 1196-OR (Introduced by Jason Willis, District 3)  
Adoption of Ordinance No. 1196-OR, an Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 17-06-1175-OR, adopted by the St. Martin Parish Council on June 6, 2017, providing for the adoption of Millage Rate(s) for the Tax Year 2017.
- 7) RESOLUTIONS:  
None.
- 8) ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLICATION:  
None.
- 9) ADJOURNMENT.

*NOTE: According to the Home Rule Charter, Section 2.07, Paragraph C, "the power of the Council to act at a special or emergency meeting shall be limited, under penalty of nullity, to the objects specifically enumerated in the call."*

**ST. MARTIN PARISH COUNCIL  
LACI LAPEROUSE  
CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**

Laci Laperouse, Clerk of the Council  
St. Martin Parish Council  
301 West Port Street  
St. Martinville, Louisiana 70582  
337-394-2200

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The meeting was called to order by Chairman Jason Willis.

The Invocation was read by Brooke Gillespie, and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Dean LeBlanc.

The following members were present: Lisa Nelson, Jason Willis, Neil Thibodeaux, Albert Menard (arrived at 8:44 a.m.), Dean LeBlanc and Daniel Richard, Jr. Members absent: Byron Fuselier (excused), Chris Tauzin (excused) and Jill Hebert (excused).

A motion was made by Lisa Nelson and seconded by Neil Thibodeaux to open the Public Hearing and Public Meeting to obtain public comments regarding the ordinance being considered for final adoption.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Lisa Nelson, Jason Willis, Neil Thibodeaux, Dean LeBlanc and Daniel Richard, Jr.

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: None.

ABSENT AT VOTING: Albert Menard.

ABSENT: Byron Fuselier (excused), Chris Tauzin (excused) and Jill Hebert (excused).

And the motion was declared adopted this 20th day of October, 2017.

Chairman Jason Willis asked for public comments regarding the proposed ordinance being considered for final adoption.

Assistant Clerk of the Council Brooke Gillespie read the Ordinance Summary.

A motion was made by Lisa Nelson and seconded by Daniel Richard, Jr. that the Public Hearing and Public Meeting be closed.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Lisa Nelson, Jason Willis, Neil Thibodeaux, Dean LeBlanc and Daniel Richard, Jr.

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: None.

ABSENT AT VOTING: Albert Menard.

ABSENT: Byron Fuselier (excused), Chris Tauzin (excused) and Jill Hebert (excused).

And the motion was declared adopted this 20th day of October, 2017.

A motion was made by Dean LeBlanc and seconded by Lisa Nelson that the following ordinance be adopted:

### **ORDINANCE NO. 17-10-1196-OR**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 17-06-1175-OR, ADOPTED BY THE ST. MARTIN PARISH COUNCIL ON JUNE 6, 2017, PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF MILLAGE RATE(S) FOR THE TAX YEAR 2017.**

BE IT ORDAINED that the St. Martin Parish Council does hereby amend Millage Rate(s) on the assessment rolls for the year 2017 on said Ordinance as follows:

	MILLAGE
<u>add</u>	
PARISHWIDE BOND SINKING FUND	4.41 mills

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon approval of the St. Martin Parish Council and the signature of the Parish President.

This Ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Lisa Nelson, Jason Willis, Neil Thibodeaux, Dean LeBlanc and Daniel Richard, Jr.  
NAYS: None.  
ABSTAIN: None.  
ABSENT AT VOTING: Albert Menard.  
ABSENT: Byron Fuselier (excused), Chris Tauzin (excused) and Jill Hebert (excused).

And the Ordinance was declared adopted this 20th day of October, 2017.

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*(Albert Menard arrived at 8:44 a.m.)*

A motion was made by Lisa Nelson and seconded by Albert Menard that the St. Martin Parish Council does hereby adjourn. Motion was unanimously approved.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING TO BE EXACT AND TRUE:



LACLAPROUSE  
CLERK OF THE COUNCIL