

The following resolution was offered by _____ and seconded
by _____:

RESOLUTION

A resolution providing for canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the special election held in the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana, on Saturday, March 29, 2025, to authorize the renewal of a special tax therein.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana (the "City"), that:

SECTION 1. Canvass. This Governing Authority does now proceed in open and public session to examine the official tabulations of votes cast at the special election held in the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana, on Saturday, March 29, 2025, to authorize the renewal of a special tax therein, and said Governing Authority does further proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the special election.

SECTION 2. Election Results. According to the official certified tabulation of votes cast at said Election, there was a total of **1,035** votes cast **IN FAVOR OF** the Proposition and a total of **1,177** votes cast **AGAINST** the Proposition, resulting in a majority of **142** votes cast **AGAINST** the Proposition. The Proposition was therefore duly **DEFEATED** by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified electors voting at the Election.

SECTION 3. Promulgation of Election Result. The results of said election shall be promulgated by publication in the manner provided by law, after receipt from the Secretary of State's office of the actual costs of the election, as required by §18:1292 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended.

SECTION 4. Declaration. The foregoing results of the Election are hereby declared by this Governing Authority and shall be published as required by law.

SECTION 5. Procès Verbal. A *Procès Verbal* of the canvass of the returns of said election shall be made and a certified copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Secretary of State, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, who shall record the same in her office; another certified copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Clerk of Court and *Ex-Officio* Recorder of Mortgages in and for the Parish of Lafourche, who shall record the same in the Mortgage Records of said Parish; and another copy thereof shall be retained in the archives of this Governing Authority.

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

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

And the resolution was declared adopted on this, the 6th day of May, 2025.

/s/ Jennifer Morvant
Council Administrator

/s/ Chad Mire
President

PROCÈS VERBAL OF THE CANVASS OF THE VOTES CAST AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD
IN THE CITY OF THIBODAUX, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ON SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 2025.

BE IT KNOWN AND REMEMBERED that on Tuesday, May 6, 2025, at 5:00 p.m., at its regular meeting place, the City Hall, 310 W. 2nd Street, Thibodaux, Louisiana, the City Council of the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana (the "City"), and being the authority ordering the special election held therein on Saturday, March 29, 2025, with a quorum being present did, in open and public session, examine the official certified tabulations of votes cast at the said election, and did examine and canvass the returns of said election, there having been submitted at said election the following proposition to wit:

PROPOSITION
(TAX RENEWAL)

Shall the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana (the "City"), continue to levy and collect a special tax of 5 mills (the "Tax") on all the property subject to taxation within the City (an estimated \$645,400 reasonably expected at this time to be collected from the levy of the Tax for an entire year) for a period of 10 years, beginning with the year 2027 and ending with the year 2036, for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, improving and maintaining the City's fire protection facilities and emergency rescue service facilities, vehicles and equipment, including both movable and immovable property, provided that a portion of the Tax proceeds is required to be contributed to state and statewide retirement systems as provided in R.S. 11:82?

There was found by said count and canvass that there was a total of **1,035** votes cast **IN FAVOR** OF the Proposition and a total of **1,177** votes cast **AGAINST** the Proposition, as hereinabove set forth, and it was further found and determined that there was a majority of **142** votes cast **AGAINST** the Proposition as hereinabove set forth.

Therefore, the Governing Authority did declare and proclaim and does hereby declare and proclaim in open and public session that the Proposition as hereinabove set forth was duly **DEFEATED** by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified electors voting at the said special election.

Results by precinct are available from the Council Administrator of this Governing Authority during regular business hours or via the Louisiana Secretary of State's website (voterportal.sos.la.gov).

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Thibodaux, Louisiana, on this, the 6th day of May, 2025.

ATTEST:

_____/s/ Chad Mire
President

_____/s/ Jennifer Morvant
Council Administrator

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF LAFOURCHE

I, the undersigned Council Administrator of the City of Thibodaux, State of Louisiana (the "City"), do hereby certify that the foregoing pages constitute a true and correct copy of the proceedings and *Procès Verbal* made by the City Council on May 6, 2025, providing for canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the special election held in the City on Saturday, March 29, 2025, to authorize the renewal of a special tax therein.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature at Thibodaux, Louisiana, on this, the 6th day of May, 2025.

Council Administrator