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EXTRACT OF THE OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE ST. BERNARD PARISH GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, 8201 WEST JUDGE PEREZ DRIVE, CHALMETTE, LOUISIANA ON TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2020 AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mrs. Alcon, seconded by Mr. Luna, it was moved to **adopt** the following resolution:

RESOLUTION SBPC #2044-05-20

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF A FY2019-2020 LOUISIANA LOCAL GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT FOR THE JUDGE PEREZ SIDEWALKS PROJECT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$165,700.00

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Local Government Assistance Program is a state program designed to provide financial assistance in support of local projects which improve the health, safety, and quality of life of the residents in selected geographical areas; and,

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Local Government Assistance Program is administered by the Louisiana Division of Administration, Office of Community Development; and,

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Office of Community Development issued a call for grant applications and St. Bernard Parish Government submitted an application last November to fund sidewalk improvements along Judge Perez Drive in Chalmette; and,

WHEREAS, the State of Louisiana has approved the Parish's application for the Judge Perez Sidewalks Project; and,

WHEREAS, this grant provides 100% funding with no local matching funds required by St. Bernard Parish; and,

WHEREAS, St. Bernard Parish adopted a new Bikeway and Pedestrian Plan in 2017 that recommends sidewalks along Judge Perez Drive as a priority project in order to facilitate safer pedestrian travel and transit access; and,

WHEREAS, the Parish is currently conducting the Judge Perez Safety Enhancements Feasibility Study in order to evaluate potential improvements for bikeway, pedestrian and transit access along Judge Perez in Chalmette and Arabi; and,



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WHEREAS, the above study is being coordinated by the Regional Planning Commission for Orleans, Jefferson, Plaquemines, St. Bernard, St. Charles, St. John the Baptist, St. Tammany and Tangipahoa Parishes (RPC) with federal funding provided by RPC's Unified Work Program and St. Bernard Parish Government; and,

WHEREAS, the Parish intends to use this study to further refine and inform the scope of pedestrian improvements within the corridor limits originally identified in the Local Government Assistance Program grant application, namely the corridor between Jean Lafitte Parkway and Old Hickory Avenue; and,

WHEREAS, St. Bernard Parish Government wishes to certify acceptance of this grant by adoption of this Council resolution.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the St. Bernard Parish Council does hereby authorize acceptance of the FY2019-2020 Louisiana Local Government Assistance Program Grant for the Judge Perez Sidewalks Project in the amount of \$165,700.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the St. Bernard Parish Council does hereby authorize the President of St. Bernard Parish Government to sign and execute all required grant agreements and any amendments thereof, and all of the necessary reports, assurances, contracts and any other documents required in connection with the Louisiana Office of Community Development Local Government Assistance Program FY2019-2020 Grant for St. Bernard Parish; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the St. Bernard Parish Council does hereby authorize the Chief Administrative Officer of St. Bernard Parish Government, Ronald J. Alonzo, Jr., to certify the signatures of Parish President Guy McInnis and Finance Director Blair Ellinwood on requests for payments as required by the Louisiana Office of Community Development Local Government Assistance Program's administrative procedures.



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The above and foregoing having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereupon resulted as follows:

YEAS: Luna, Alcon, Everhardt, Lewis

NAYS: None

ABSENT: McCloskey, Moran

The Council Chair, Ms. Callais, cast her vote as **YEA**.

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 19th day of May, 2020.

CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a motion adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Council of the Parish of St. Bernard, held at Chalmette, Louisiana, on Tuesday, May 19, 2020

Witness my hand and the seal
of the Parish of St. Bernard on
this 19th day of May, 2020.

ROXANNE ADAMS
CLERK OF COUNCIL