



St. Bernard Parish Council

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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, FEBRUARY 18, 2020 AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Moran, it was moved to **adopt** the following ordinance:

ORDINANCE SBPC #2230-02-20

Summary No. 3786

Introduced by: Administration on 2/4/20
Public Hearing held on 2/18/20

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE RETENTION OF GREGORY NOTO OF NOTO LAWFIRM, LLC TO PROVIDE LEGAL REPRESENTATION FOR ST. BERNARD PARISH GOVERNMENT IN CONNECTION WITH CASE # 19-1769 DAVID C. JARRELL V. ZOMO, LLC.

WHEREAS, the St. Bernard District Attorney's Office cannot represent St. Bernard Parish Government in this particular matter, as the Plaintiff is an Assistant District Attorney; and,

WHEREAS, St. Bernard Parish Government believes it to be in the best interest of the citizens of St. Bernard Parish and St. Bernard Parish Government to retain Gregory Noto to represent their interests in the above matters.

ST. BERNARD PARISH COUNCIL DOES HEREBY ORDAIN:

SECTION I. The St. Bernard Parish Council, the Governing Authority, does hereby approve and authorize the hiring of private counsel, Gregory Noto, to represent St. Bernard Parish Government solely in the matter of Case # 19-1769 David C. Jarrell v. ZoMo LLC, filed in the 34th Judicial District Court, and any matters related thereto.

SECTION 2. Compensation. The compensation shall be pursuant to the contract attached as **Exhibit A**.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon authorizing signature by the Parish President. In the event of a presidential veto this ordinance shall become effective upon a two-thirds favorable vote of the total membership of the Council pursuant to Sections 2-11 and 2-13 of the St. Bernard Parish Home Rule Charter.



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SECTION 4. Severability. If any section, clause, paragraph, provision or portion of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect any other section, clause, paragraph, provision or portion of this ordinance, the St. Bernard Parish Council hereby expresses and declares that it would have adopted the remaining portion of this Ordinance with the invalid portions omitted.

SECTION 5. The Parish President is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for legal services as provided in the attached contract and in accordance with section 4-02 (b) of the Home Rule Charter.

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

YEAS: Moran, Alcon, Everhardt, Lewis

NAYS: None

ABSENT: McCloskey, Luna

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

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 18th day of February, 2020.


ROXANNE ADAMS
CLERK OF COUNCIL

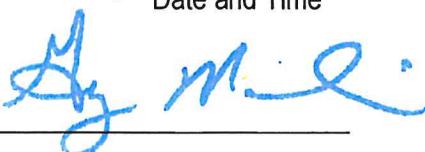

KERRI CALLAIS
COUNCIL CHAIR

Delivered to the Parish President

2/21/2020 8:43am

Date and Time

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Approved ✓

Vetoed _____


Guy McInnis

Parish President

Returned to Clerk of the Council

2/21/2020 8:45am
Date and Time

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State of Louisiana

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
CIVIL DIVISION
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Jeff Landry
Attorney General

February 8, 2016

TO: ALL INTERESTED PARTIES
FROM: JEFF LANDRY, ATTORNEY GENERAL
SUBJECT: MAXIMUM HOURLY FEE SCHEDULE

This is to advise all interested persons that the approved Maximum Hourly Fee Schedule of this office for professional legal services, effective this date, shall be as follows:

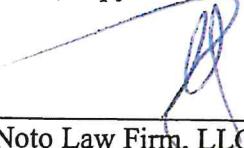
\$225.00	PER HOUR FOR ATTORNEYS HAVING EXPERIENCE OF TEN YEARS OR MORE IN THE PRACTICE OF LAW
\$175.00	PER HOUR FOR ATTORNEYS HAVING EXPERIENCE OF FIVE TO TEN YEARS IN THE PRACTICE OF LAW
\$150.00	PER HOUR FOR ATTORNEYS HAVING EXPERIENCE OF THREE TO FIVE YEARS IN THE PRACTICE OF LAW
\$125.00	PER HOUR FOR ATTORNEYS HAVING EXPERIENCE OF LESS THAN THREE YEARS IN THE PRACTICE OF LAW
\$60.00	PER HOUR FOR PARALEGAL SERVICES
\$40.00	PER HOUR FOR LAW CLERK SERVICES

JL/arg

RETAINER AGREEMENT

Re: David C. Jarrell, et al v. Zo Mo, L.L.C.
No. 19-1769, Div. E, 34th Judicial District Court

The Noto Law Firm, LLC hereby agrees to represent St. Bernard Parish Government, its officers, executives, employees, departments, board and commissions in the above-referenced matter at the rates set forth in the most recent Attorney General Fee Schedule dated February 8, 2016, copy attached.


Noto Law Firm, LLC

Gregory J. Noto

Date: _____


St. Bernard Parish Government

Guy McInnis, President

Date: 1/27/20