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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, DECEMBER 19, 2023 AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M.

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

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE SBPC #2551-12-23

Summary No. 4152
Administration on 12/19/23

AN **EMERGENCY ORDINANCE** TO AUTHORIZE THE RETENTION OF BLUE WILLIAMS, L.L.P., TO PROVIDE LEGAL REPRESENTATION FOR ST. BERNARD PARISH GOVERNMENT IN THE CASE OF DONALD BOURGEOIS, JR. V ST. BERNARD PARISH GOVERNMENT, 34th JDC 23-1254, DIVISION "E".

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 Blue Williams, L.L.P. to represent their interests in the above matters.

ST. BERNARD PARISH COUNCIL DOES HEREBY ORDAIN:

SECTION 1. The St. Bernard Parish Council, the Governing Authority, does hereby approve and authorize the hiring of private counsel, Blue Williams L.L.C., to represent St. Bernard Parish Government in the case of Donald Bourgeois, Jr. v St. Bernard Parish Government, 34th JDC 23-1254, Division "E" and any matters related thereto.

SECTION 2. Compensation. The compensation shall be pursuant to the legal service fee schedule published by the Louisiana Attorney General's office.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon authorizing signature by the Parish President. If the proposed ordinance is not signed or vetoed by the Parish President within Twelve (12) hours after receipt it shall be considered adopted. As an emergency ordinance, the provisions shall remain valid for a time period of sixty (60) days.

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 this Ordinance with the invalid portions omitted.



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December 19, 2023

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

YEAS: McCloskey, Moran, Luna, Alcon, Everhardt, Callais

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

The Council Chair, Mr. Lewis, cast his vote as **YEA**.

And the motion was declared **adopted** on the 19th day of December, 2023.

ROXANNE ADAMS
CLERK OF COUNCIL

RICHARD "RICHIE" LEWIS
COUNCIL CHAIR

Delivered to the Parish President

12/19/2023 6:45pm

Date and Time

Received by

Approved

Vetoed

Guy McInnis

Parish President

Returned to Clerk of the Council

12/19/2023 6:47pm

Date and Time

Received by