## OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS CITY OF MORGAN CITY SPECIAL MEETING OCTOBER 6, 2020

The Mayor and City Council of Morgan City, Louisiana, met at 3:00 9m in special session, this date, in the Conference Room, City Hall, 512 First Street, Morgan City, Louisiana.

There were present: Honorable Frank P. Grizzaffi, Mayor; and Council Members Ron Bias, Steve Domangue, Tim Hymel, Mark Stephens and Louis J. Tamporello, Jr.

Absent: None

Also present was Mr. Marcus Folse, Chief Administrative Officer.

The public notice, posted on the principal front door of the meeting place was read (copy on file).

Mayor Grizzaffi stated that an emergency ordinance needed to be passed in connection with the threat of Hurricane Delta; whereupon,

This emergency ordinance was introduced on October 6, 2020.

Pastor Bias offered the following ordinance, who moved for its adoption.

## **ORDINANCE NUMBER 20-07**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MORGAN CITY DECLARING A "STATE OF EMERGENCY" AND AUTHORIZING ANY EXPENDITURES AND/OR CONTRACTS DEEMED NECESSARY IN CONNECTION WITH HURRICANE DELTA.

WHEREAS, the current forecast of Hurricane Delta indicates a definite threat to the coast of Louisiana, and

WHEREAS, the City of Morgan City is a coastal City and exposed to high winds, tidal surges, and heavy rain creating a threat to the health and safety of the Citizens of Morgan City.

## **SECTION 1**

BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council, the governing authority of the City of Morgan City, Louisiana, that:

- (1) A state of emergency is hereby declared.
- (2) Any expenditures necessary in connection with expenses incurred due to Hurricane Delta are hereby authorized.
- (3) The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate and execute any contracts deemed necessary, in carrying out the intent and purpose of this ordinance.
- (4) That this ordinance shall take effect immediately and remain in effect for as long as necessary in lieu of the sixty (60) days provided for in Section 2-12, sub-section (c) of the Charter.

## **SECTION 2**

Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase be declared unconstitutional or repealed for any reason, the remainder of the ordinance shall not be

affected hereby. That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall take effect immediately after its passage within the time prescribed by law.

Mr. Tamporello seconded the motion.

The vote thereon was as follows:

AYES: Bias, Tamporello, Domangue, Hymel, Stephens

NAYS: None ABSENT: None

Certified approved and adopted this 6th day of October, 2020.

Delivered to Mayor Grizzaffi at 3:30 pm, this 6th day of October, 2020.

<u>/s/ Debbie Harrington</u> Debbie Harrington, Clerk

Approved this 6th day of October, 2020.

/s/ Frank P. Grizzaffi, III Frank P. Grizzaffi, III, Mayor

Received from Mayor Grizzaffi at 3:45 pm on October 6, 2020.

/s/ Debbie Harrington Debbie Harrington, Clerk

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There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

/s/ Debbie Harrington Debbie Harrington Clerk /s/ Frank P. Grizzaffi, III Frank P. Grizzaffi, III Mayor