On motion of Mr. Templet, seconded by Mr. Walker, the following ordinance was offered:

SUMMARY NO. 26111 ORDINANCE NO. 26605

An ordinance amending Section 2-886 of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances regarding Council District Improvement/Assistance funds. (Parishwide)

THE JEFFERSON PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. That Section 2-886(f)(G) of the Jefferson parish Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2-886. - Council district improvement/assistance funds.

(f) (G) In addition to the special revenue funds identified above, there shall be an allocation of the portion of the American Rescue Plan Act Funds allocated to the General Fund of Jefferson Parish in the total approximate amount of Eighty-Four Million Dollars (\$84,000,000.00) to the council district improvement/assistance funds and shall be allocated as follows:

> (1) The first Sixty-Two Million Dollars (\$62,000,000) shall be allocated in equal portions to Council Districts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 [an amount of Twelve Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$12,400,000.00)] to be expended in accordance with the American Rescue Plan Act requirements.

> (2) Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) of that portion of the American Rescue Plan Act Funds allocated to the General Fund of Jefferson Parish shall be allocated in equal portions to Council At-Large Division A and Council At Large Division B to be expended in accordance with the American Rescue Plan Act requirements.

(3) The remainder of that portion of the American Rescue Plan Act Funds allocated to the General Fund of Jefferson Parish after the dedications as stated in subsections 2-886 (f)(G)(1) and (f)(G)(2) above [an amount of approximately Twenty Million Dollars (20,000,000)] shall be allocated to two (2) projects, Fifteen Million Dollars (\$15,000,000.00) to the property located at 6000 Airline Drive, Metairie and Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) to the property located at 2000 Segnette Boulevard, Westwego, to be expended in accordance with the American Rescue Plan Act requirements.

(G) In addition to the special revenue funds identified above, there shall be an allocation of the General Fund of Jefferson Parish in the total approximate amount of Eighty-Four Million Dollars (\$84,000,000.00) to the council district improvement/assistance funds and shall be allocated as follows:

(1) The first Sixty-Two Million Dollars (\$62,000,000) shall be allocated in equal portions to Council Districts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 [an amount of Twelve Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$12,400,000.00)]. Each Council District shall only spend their allocation within their Council District.

(2) Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) of that portion allocated to the General Fund of Jefferson Parish shall be allocated in equal portions to Council At- Large Division A and Council At Large Division B.

(3) The remainder of that portion allocated to the General Fund of Jefferson Parish after the dedications as stated in subsections 2-886 (f)(G)(1) and (f)(G)(2) above [an amount of approximately Twenty Million Dollars (20,000,000)] shall be allocated to two (2) projects, Fifteen Million Dollars (\$15,000,000.00) to the property located at 6000 Airline Drive, Metairie and Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) to the property located at 2000 Segnette Boulevard, Westwego.

(4) These funds shall be used for projects related to: infrastructure, improvements to government owned facilities, recreation, criminal justice, fire services, law enforcement services, emergency medical services, tourism or economic development.

(5) These funds shall not be spent on recurring costs and/or salaries.

The foregoing ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: 6 NAYS: None ABSENT: (1) Bonano The ordinance was declared to be adopted on this 26th day of April, 2023, and shall become effective as follows; if signed forthwith by the Parish President, ten (10) days after adoption, thereafter upon signature by the Parish President, or if not signed by the Parish President, upon expiration of the time for ordinances to be considered finally adopted without the signature of the Parish President, as provided in Section 2.07 of the Charter. If vetoed by the Parish President and subsequently approved by the Council, this ordinance shall become effective on the day of such approval.

> THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED TO BE A TRUE & CORRECT COPY

EULAA. LOPEZ / PARISH CLERK JEFFERSON PARISH COUNCIL