

**OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF THIBODAUX  
CITY HALL  
THIBODAUX, LOUISIANA  
DECEMBER 2, 2008**

The City Council of the City of Thibodaux assembled in special session at its regular meeting place, City Hall, 310 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Thibodaux, Louisiana, on Tuesday, December 2, 2008 at 5:27 P.M.

There were present: Councilmen Hebert, Richard, Taylor, Badeaux and Mire.

There were also present: Mayor Charles Caillouet and Debbie Daigle, Finance Director.

Councilman Eddie Hebert, District "A", did not have any questions or amendments to the 2009 Budget.

Councilman Gene Richard, District "B", did not have any questions or amendments to the 2009 Budget.

Councilman Varick Taylor, District "C", did not have any questions or amendments to the 2009 Budget. His questions were answered prior to this meeting.

Councilman Lloyd "Chip" Badeaux, District "D", stated that although his questions were answered prior to the meeting he still wanted clarification on the budget summary, expenditures and revenue.

Debbie Daigle, Finance Director, explained the procedure and determination of funds for revenue and expenditures. She explained that the Budget is balanced and is based largely on projections and estimates.

Councilman Badeaux then thanked the Administration for putting together an excellent budget.

Councilman Chad Mire, District "E", stated that all of his questions were answered prior to the meeting and he had no amendments to the Budget. He did discuss one line issue in regards to expenditures on tires that will be corrected in the Mid-Year Supplemental Appropriation.

Councilman Hebert also thanked the Administration for doing an excellent job with the Budget.

On motion of Councilman Hebert, seconded by Councilman Taylor, the Council voted to adopt the Appropriation Ordinance for the Year 2009. On roll call the vote was as follows:

**YEAS: Councilmen Hebert, Richard, Taylor, Badeaux, Mire  
NAYS: None  
ABSTAINED: None  
ABSENT: None**

***ORDINANCE NO. 2434***

***APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR THE YEAR 2009***

***BE IT ORDAINED*** by the City Council of the City of Thibodaux in regular session assembled, that:

**WHEREAS**, Section 1B of Article VI of the Thibodaux City Charter reads in part as follows:

**"Part III shall contain the proposed complete drafts of the appropriation ordinance, the tax levying ordinance and any other ordinance required to adopt the budget."**

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** that in accordance with Section 1 of Article VI of the Thibodaux City Charter, the 2009 Budget shall contain appropriations of the expenditures listed on Exhibit "A" (Budget Document) which is attached to this ordinance and made a part hereof.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the adoption of the foregoing appropriations is exclusive of the 5.02 Mill General Alimony tax which is authorized to be levied under the law and also exclusive of the 2.74 Mill Street Maintenance tax, the 1.83 Mill Fire Department Maintenance tax and the 4.57 Mill Fire Department Maintenance Tax.

The Assessment Rolls show the taxable assessment of the corporation of the City of Thibodaux for the year of 2008 to be \$86,326,680.

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

**YEAS: Councilmen Hebert, Richard, Taylor, Badeaux, Mire**

**NAYS: None**

**ABSTAINED: None**

**ABSENT: None**

And the above ordinance was declared adopted this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 2008.

**/s/ Jennifer Morvant**  
**Jennifer Morvant, Council Adm.**

**/s/ Chad J. Mire**  
**Chad J. Mire, President**

**There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.**

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**Jennifer Morvant, Council Adm.**

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**Chad J. Mire, President**

