OFFERED BY: Mr. C. Chauvin. SECONDED BY: Mr. T. Callahan.

ORDINANCE NO. 5155

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 9 OF THE PARISH CODE, TERREBONNE PARISH, LOUISIANA, ESTABLISHING A SECTION TO INCORPORATE A REQUIREMENT OF STRUCTURAL NUMBERING IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ENHANCED 911 EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM; AND TO ADDRESS OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO.

SECTION I

BE IT ORDAINED by the Terrebonne Parish Council, on behalf of the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government, that Article II of Chapter 9 of the Parish Code, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, is amended to establish the following:

Sec. 9-___. Structural Numbering in Conjunction With 911.

A. The 911 Enumerator on staff with the Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government Department of Planning & Economic Development shall be responsible for designating property addresses and confirming existing addresses.

B. Property Numbers.

- (1) Numbers on a structure shall be a minimum of 3 inches, but sizable to be seen from the street/roadway, and shall be displayed on the structure on a background of a contrasting color below the outside light or in a prominent space, but not on the lawn or door, and shall be visible from the road.
- (2) If the entrance of a structure is not seen from the street, addressing number(s) shall be located on the front of the building.
- (3) When a structure is some distance from a road, or when view of the structure is blocked by trees or shrubs, addressing number(s) shall be on a sign attached to a tree, fence, gate, or lawn stake.
- (4) On a corner lot, the number(s) shall face the street named in the address.
- (5) In a rural area the address shall be on the mailbox as well as the structure.
- (6) Addressing number(s) shall be easily visible at night.
- (7) Addressing number(s) shall be plain block numerals, not script or written numbers.
- (8) Upon sale, purchase or redivision of property without structures situated upon it, the address shall be visible upon a tree, fence, gate or lawn stake.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that a copy of this ordinance shall be submitted to the Terrebonne Parish Communications District Board, the local U.S. Postal Services, the fire districts, the Acadian Ambulance, the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff's Office, and any other appropriate agency.

SECTION II

If any word, clause, phrase, section or other portion of this ordinance shall be declared null, void, invalid, illegal, or unconstitutional, the remaining words, clauses, phrases, sections and other portions of this ordinance shall remain in

full force and effect, the provisions of this ordinance hereby being declared to be severable.

SECTION III

This ordinance shall become effective upon approval by the Parish President or as otherwise provided in Section 2-13(b) of the Home Rule Charter for a Consolidated Government for Terrebonne Parish, whichever occurs sooner.

This ordinance, having been introduced and laid on the table for two weeks, was voted upon as follows:

THERE WAS RECORDED:

YEAS: N. Bergeron, Jr., C. Chauvin, J. Collins, Jr., M. Black, D. LeBoeuf, T. Callahan, L. Kimbrell, Dr. J. Butler, Jr., D. Theriot, Jr., J.B. Breaux and A. Alridge.

NAYS: None.

NOT VOTING: R. Dupre, Jr.

ABSENT: J. Winston English, R. Boudreaux, Jr. and P. Gabriel, Sr.

The Chairman declared the ordinance adopted this 1st day of December, 1993.

REGGIE DUPRE, JR., CHAIRMAN TERREBONNE PARISH COUNCIL

PAUL A. LABAT, COUNCIL CLERK TERREBONNE PARISH COUNCIL

> Date and Time Delivered to Parish President

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12-2-93 11:00 am PM

Approved/Vetoed:

Barry P. Bønvillain, Parish President

Terrebonné Parish Consolidated

Government

Date and Time Received from Parish President

12-3-93 11:30 am PR

I, PAUL A. LABAT, Clerk of the Terrebonne Parish Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the Assembled Council in Regular Session on December 1, 1993 at which meeting a quorum was present.

THIS 3 GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF OFFICE DAY OF DOCUMEN, 1993.

PAUL A. LABAT, COUNCIL CLERK