forced as if such illegal or invalid provisions had not been contained here-in. Any constitutional or statutory provision enacted after the date of this Ordinance which walidates or makes le-gal any provision of this Ordinance which would not otherwise be valid or legal, shall be deemed to apply to this Ordinance. SECTION 18. Uniform Local Sales Tax Code is Controlling. If any provision of this Or-dinance shall be in con-flict with the provisions of the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code, the provisions of the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code, the provisions of the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code, the provisions of the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code, the provisions of the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code shall be controlling. SECTION 19. Effect Upon Prior Sales Tax Ordinances shall be constolled by the City, to provide the Taxes now authorized to be levied in the City shall hereinafter be collected, adminis-tered and enforced in the manner provided by the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code and shall not be construed to rescind and repeal any prior res-olutions or ordinances of the City shall hereinafter be collected, adminis-tered and enforced in the manner provided by the Uniform Local Sales Tax Code and shall not be construed to rescind and repeal any prior res-olutions or ordinances of the City tax shall be effective on July 1, 2024. The levy of the 0.5% Tax shall be effective on Jan-uary 1, 2025. SECTION 20. Effection A copy of this Ordinance shall be duly published in the Lake Charles American Press, the official journal of the City as soon as is rea-tified copy of this Ordi-nance shall be tercorded of Cacasieu Parish. SECTION 22. Publicon A copy of this Ordinance sor orders in conflict and they are hereby re-pealed. Adopted and approved on this 17th day of April, 2024.

/s/ Craig Marks VICE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL /s/ Renee' P. DeVille CLERK OF THE COUNCIL (Other business not pertinent to the present excerpt may be found of record in the official min-ute book.) Upon motion duly made and unanimously car-ried, the meeting was adjourned.

/s/ Craig Marks VICE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL /s/ Renee' P. DeVille CLERK OF THE COUNCIL