# TOWN OF HOMER STATE OF LOUISIANA ORDINANCE NO. #14-002

#### HOMER TOWN COUNCIL DISTRICTS (2014)

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING BOARD OF SELECTMEN DISTRICTS IN AND FOR THE TOWN OF HOMER, LOUISIANA

BE IT ORDAINED that the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer, in order to cooperate with the Department of Elections and Registrations, does hereby establish the following Town of Homer Council Districts to become effective on June 9, 2014 or upon preclearance by the United States Department of Justice, whichever date shall be later.

SECTION 1. The boundaries of each of the Town of Homer, Louisiana Board of Selectmen Districts are hereby established utilizing Town of Homer corporate limits, visible features, and extensions of visible features, all of which are recognized by the U. S. Census Bureau, as follows:

#### DISTRICT 1

Beginning at the intersection of Louisiana Highway 146 (Beardsley Avenue) and the southern corporate limits of the Town of Homer, thence proceed northerly on Beardsley Avenue to its intersection with East 5th Street, thence proceed southerly on East 5th Street to the its intersection with South 4th Street, thence proceed westerly on South 4th Street to its intersection with Owens Street, thence proceed northerly on Owens Street to its intersection with Beardsley Avenue, thence proceed westerly on Beardsley Avenue to its intersection with East 4th Street, thence proceed northerly on East 4th Street to its intersection with South 2nd Street, thence proceed westerly on South 2nd Street to its intersection with East 3rd Street. thence proceed southerly on East 3rd Street to its intersection with Beardsley Avenue, thence proceed westerly on Beardsley Avenue to its intersection with East Main Street, thence proceed southerly on East Main Street to its intersection with South 6th Street, thence proceed westerly on South 6th Street to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed first westerly then southwesterly on U.S. Highway 79 to its intersection with Ferguson Street, thence proceed southerly on Ferguson Street to its intersection with Pearl Street, thence proceed westerly on Pearl Street to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed southwesterly on U.S. Highway 79 to its intersection with Starlight Street, thence proceed first northerly then westerly on Starlight Street to its intersection with Mayfield Street, thence proceed northerly on Mayfield Street to its intersection with Pearl Street, thence proceed westerly on Pearl Street to its intersection with Magnolia Street, thence proceed southerly on Magnolia Street to its intersection with Lawhorn Street, thence westerly on Lawhorn Street to its intersection with

Memphis Street, thence proceed northerly on Memphis Street to its intersection with Arther Street, thence proceed westerly on Arther Street to its intersection with western corporate limits of the Town of Homer, thence proceed first southerly, then westerly, northerly, westerly, southeasterly, westerly, northeasterly, southwesterly, southerly, easterly northerly, easterly, southerly, easterly, southwesterly, westerly, southerly, easterly, northerly, easterly, northeasterly, easterly, southerly, easterly, southerly, easterly, northerly, easterly, the corporate limits of the Town of Homer to its intersection with Louisiana Highway 146 (Beardsley Avenue), the point of beginning.

#### DISTRICT 2

Beginning at the intersection of West 4th Street and U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed southwesterly on U.S. Highway 79 to the intersection with Ferguson Street, thence proceed southerly on Ferguson Street to its intersection with Pearl Street, thence proceed westerly on Pearl Street to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed southwesterly on U.S. Highway 79 to its intersection with Starlight Street, thence proceed first northerly then westerly on Starlight Street to its intersection with Mayfield Street, thence proceed northerly on Mayfield Street to its intersection with Pearl Street, thence proceed westerly on Pearl Street to its intersection with Magnolia Street, thence proceed southerly on Magnolia Street to its intersection with Lawhorn Street, thence westerly on Lawhorn Street to its intersection with Memphis Street, thence proceed northerly on Memphis Street to its intersection with Arther Street, thence proceed westerly on Arther Street to its intersection with western corporate limits of the Town of Homer, thence proceed first northerly, then westerly, northwesterly, northeasterly, southeasterly, southwesterly easterly then northerly on the corporate limits of the Town of Homer to the intersection with Jefferson Avenue, thence proceed easterly on Jefferson Avenue to its intersection with Mayfield Street, thence proceed northerly on Mayfield Street to its intersection with Adams Avenue, thence proceed westerly on Adams Avenue to its intersection with Magnolia Street, thence proceed northerly on Magnolia Street to its intersection with Norton Street, thence proceed easterly on Norton Street to its intersection with Caney Creek, thence proceed first northwesterly then northeasterly on Caney Creek to its intersection with Dutchtown Road, thence proceed easterly on Dutchtown Road to its intersection with West 6th Street, thence proceed northerly on West 6th Street to its intersection with South Main Street, thence proceed easterly on South Main Street to its intersection with West 4th Street, thence proceed southerly on West 4th Street to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79, the point of beginning.

#### **District 3**

Beginning at the intersection of the western corporate limits of the Town of Homer and Jefferson Avenue, thence proceed easterly on Jefferson Avenue to its intersection with

Mayfield Street, thence proceed northerly on Mayfield Street to its intersection with Adams Avenue, thence proceed westerly on Adams Avenue to its intersection with Magnolia Street, thence proceed northerly on Magnolia Street to its intersection with Norton Street, thence proceed easterly on Norton Street to its intersection with Caney Creek, thence proceed first northwesterly then northeasterly on Caney Creek to its intersection with Dutchtown Road, thence proceed easterly on Dutchtown Road to its intersection with West 6th Street, thence proceed northerly on West 6th Street to its intersection with South Main Street, thence proceed easterly on South Main Street to its intersection with West 4th Street, thence proceed northerly on West 4th Street to its intersection with North Main Street, thence proceed westerly on North Main Street to its intersection with Park Drive, thence proceed northerly then easterly on Park Drive to its intersection with East College Street, thence proceed northerly on East College Street to its intersection with Edgewood Drive, thence proceed northwesterly on Edgewood Drive to its intersection with Johnston Road, thence proceed northwesterly on Johnston Road to its intersection with the corporate limits of the Town of Homer, thence proceed first westerly, then southerly, westerly, southerly, easterly, southerly, westerly, southerly, easterly, then southerly on the corporate limits of the Town of Homer to the intersection with Jefferson Avenue, the point of beginning.

#### **DISTRICT 4**

Beginning at the intersection of U.S. Highway 79 and West 4th Street, thence proceed northerly on West 4th Street to its intersection with North Main Street, thence proceed westerly on North Main Street to its intersection with Park Drive, thence proceed northerly then easterly on Park Drive to its intersection with East College Street, thence proceed northerly on East College Street to its intersection with Edgewood Drive, thence proceed northwesterly on Edgewood Drive to its intersection with Johnston Road, thence proceed northwesterly on Johnston Road to its intersection with the corporate limits of the Town of Homer, thence proceed first easterly, then northerly, westerly, northwesterly, southwesterly, northwesterly, northerly, northwesterly, northeasterly, southeasterly, southwesterly, southeasterly, easterly, southwesterly, easterly, southerly, then easterly on the corporate limits of the Town of Homer to its intersection with the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, thence proceed southeasterly on the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad to its intersection with a branch located approximately 1,000 feet from the corporate limits of the Town of Homer, measured along the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, thence proceed westerly then southerly along said branch to its intersection with a Claiborne Electric utility right-of-way, thence proceed southeasterly along the utility right of way to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79 (which is also West Main Street), thence proceed southerly on West Main Street to its intersection with the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, thence proceed southeasterly, southerly, then southwesterly on the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad to its intersection with East 3rd Street, thence proceed

southerly on East 3rd Street to its intersection with Beardsley Avenue, thence proceed westerly on Beardsley Avenue to the intersection with East Main Street, thence proceed southerly on East Main Street to its intersection with South 6th Street, thence proceed westerly on South 6th Street to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79, thence proceed first westerly then southwesterly on U.S. Highway 79 to its intersection with West 4th Street, the point of beginning.

#### **District 5**

Beginning at the intersection of the northern corporate limits of the Town of Homer and the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, thence proceed southeasterly on the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad to its intersection with a branch located approximately 1,000 feet from the corporate limits of the Town of Homer, measured along the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, thence proceed westerly then southerly along said branch to its intersection with a Claiborne Electric utility right-of-way, thence proceed southeasterly along the utility right of way to its intersection with U.S. Highway 79 (which is also West Main Street), thence proceed southerly on West Main Street to its intersection with the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, thence proceed southeasterly, southerly, then southwesterly on the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad to its intersection with East 3rd Street, thence proceed southerly on East 3rd Street to its intersection with South 2nd Street, thence proceed easterly on South 2nd Street to its intersection with East 4th Street, thence proceed southerly on East 4th Street to its intersection with Louisiana Highway 146 (which is also Beardsley Avenue), thence proceed easterly on Beardsley Avenue to its intersection with Owens Street, thence proceed southerly on Owens Street to its intersection with South 4th Street, thence proceed easterly on South 4th Street to its intersection with East 5th Street, thence proceed northerly on East 5th Street to its intersection with Beardsley Avenue, thence proceed southeasterly then southerly on Beardsley Avenue to its intersection with the southern corporate limits of the Town of Homer, thence proceed first easterly, then northerly, northwesterly, northeasterly, northerly, westerly, northerly, westerly, southerly, easterly, southerly, easterly, southerly, then westerly on the corporate limits of the Town of Homer to its intersection with the Louisiana and Northwest Railroad, the point of beginning.

.SECTION 2. A copy of this ordinance shall be published in one issue of the official journal of the Town of Homer, as required by law.

SECTION 3. All Ordinances or Resolutions that are in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby expressly repealed. If any part of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional, then the balance of said ordinance shall be valid.

This Ordinance having been offered by Councilwoman Carlette Sanford seconded by Councilwoman Linda Mozeke, with recorded vote as follows:

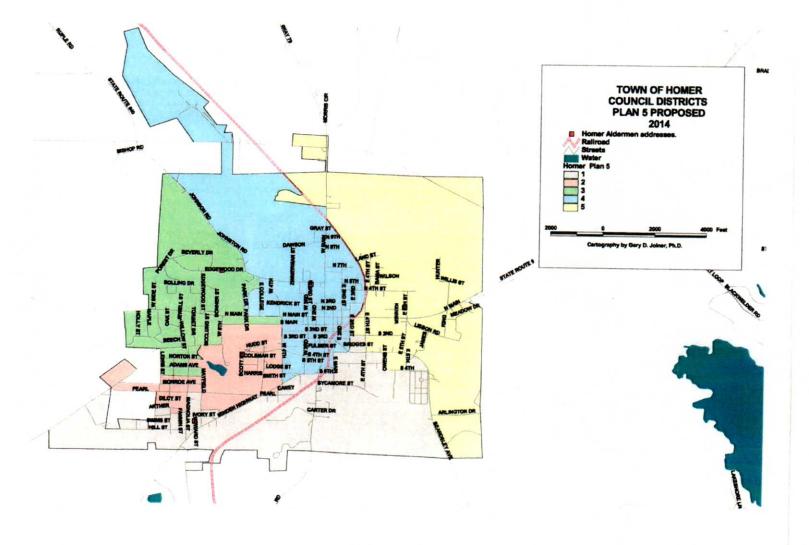
YEAS: 5 NAYS: 0 ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 0

And the Ordinance was declared adopted this 9th day of June, 2014.

I, Lori Kirkpatrick, Clerk for the Town of Homer, Louisiana, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer in regular session on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014, at which a quorum was present.

GIVEN UNDER MY OFFICIAL Signature and seal this, the 9th day of June, 2014.

on ORI KIRKPATRICK, CLERK TOWN OF HOMER



### **STATE OF LOUISIANA**

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### **PARISH OF CLAIBORNE**

The following Ordinance was introduced by Councilwoman Carlette Sanford, who

moved for its adoption, and was seconded by Councilwoman Patricia Jenkins:

### ORDINANCE NO. #14-003\_ TOWN OF HOMER, PARISH OF CLAIBORNE, STATE OF LOUISIANA

An Ordinance providing for the levy within the Town of Homer, Parish of Claiborne, State of Louisiana, effective January 1, 2015, of a one percent (1.0%) sales and use tax (the "Tax") upon the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for use or consumption, of tangible personal property and upon the sale of services in said Town, levying and providing for the assessment, collection, payment and dedication of the proceeds of such Tax and the purpose for which the proceeds of the Tax may be expended, such Tax having been authorized at a special election held in the Town on November 4, 2014.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Article VI, Section 29(B) of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, and other constitutional and statutory authority and an election held on November 4, 2014, the Town of Homer, Parish of Claiborne, State of Louisiana (the "Town"), acting through its Mayor and Board of Selectmen, as its governing authority (the "Governing Authority"), is authorized to levy and collect within the Town a one percent (1.0%) sales and use tax (the "Tax") from and after January 1, 2015, upon the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for use or consumption, of tangible personal property and upon the sale of services as provided by law, pursuant to the following proposition which was approved at said election held on November 4, 2014:

### TOWN OF HOMER PROPOSITION (1.0% SALES TAX)

Shall the Town of Homer, Parish of Claiborne, State of Louisiana (the "Town"), under the provisions of Article VI, Section 29 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, and other constitutional and statutory authority, be authorized to levy and collect a tax of one percent (1.0%) (the "Tax"), upon the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for use or consumption, of tangible personal property and on sales of services in the Town, all as defined by law, for an infinite period beginning January 1, 2015, the levy of the Tax for the first year is expected to

collect approximately \$505,000, with the proceeds of the Tax (after paying costs of collecting and administering the Tax), to be dedicated and used primarily for regular residential garbage collection with any remaining proceeds used for maintenance, improvements, equipment and materials for the Town's public works as follows: 1/3 for public streets and parks; 1/3 for water/sewer utility system; and 1/3 for public safety and law enforcement, and for further authority to fund a portion of the avails of the Tax into Bonds in the manner provided by law?

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WHEREAS, in compliance with the aforesaid constitutional and statutory authority and said special election of November 4, 2014, it is the desire of this Governing Authority to provide for the levy and collection of the Tax and to provide for distribution of the proceeds thereof and other matters in connection therewith as hereinafter provided in this Ordinance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Board of Selectmen, acting as the governing authority of the Town of Homer, Parish of Claiborne, State of Louisiana, thereof, that:

**SECTION 1.** <u>Imposition</u>. Pursuant to the authority of a special election held in the Town on November 4, 2014, a tax is hereby levied upon the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for use or consumption, of tangible personal property, and upon the lease or rental of tangible personal property and on the sales of services in the Town (the "Tax"), as defined by law. The Uniform Local Sales Tax Code, as enacted by Act 73 of the 2003 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature and as it may be amended, shall apply in the assessment, collection, administration and enforcement of the Tax, the provisions of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

**SECTION 2.** <u>Rate</u>. The Tax is levied at the rate of one percent (1.0%) of the sales price of each item or article of tangible personal property when sold at retail in the Town, the Tax to be computed on gross sales for the purpose of remitting the amount of tax due to the Town, and to include each and every retail sale. The Tax is levied at the rate of one percent (1.0%) of the cost price of each item or article of tangible personal property when the same is not sold but is used, consumed, distributed, or stored for use or consumption in the Town, provided there shall be no duplication of the Tax. The Tax is levied at one percent (1.0%) of the gross proceeds derived from the lease or rental of tangible personal property, as defined by law, where the lease or rental of such property is an established business, or part of an established business, or the same is incidental or contracted or agreed to be paid by lessee or rentee to the owner of the tangible personal property. The Tax is levied at the rate of one percent (1.0%) of the amount paid or charged for taxable services, as defined by law, performed in the Town.

SECTION 3. Effective Date. The Tax shall be effective on January 1, 2015.

SECTION 4. Expiration Date. The tax has perpetual term.

**SECTION 5.** <u>Purposes</u>. The proceeds of the Tax shall be used for the purposes set forth in the proposition approved by the voters in the special election held in the Town on November 4, 2014, which proposition is set forth in the preamble hereto.

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**SECTION 6.** <u>Vendor's Compensation</u>. For the purpose of compensating the dealer in accounting for and remitting the Tax levied by this Ordinance, each dealer shall be allowed one half of one percent (.5%) of the amount of Tax due and accounted for and remitted to the Town's collector in the form of a deduction in submitting his report and paying the amount due by the dealer, provided the amount due was not delinquent at the time of payment, and provided the amount of any credit claimed for taxes already paid to a wholesaler shall not be deducted in computing the commission allowed the dealer hereunder.

**SECTION 7.** <u>Exclusions and Exemptions</u>. The Governing Authority adopts none of the optional exclusions or exemptions allowed by State sales and use tax law, nor does the Governing Authority adopt any exclusions or exemptions authorized by legislation enacted under Article VI, Section 29 (D)(1) of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, that are not allowed as an exclusion or exemption from State sales and use tax. Included within the Tax base is every transaction, whether sales, use, lease or rental, consumption, storage or service, with no exclusions or exemptions except for those mandated upon political subdivisions by the Constitution or statutes of the State of Louisiana, including the Act.</u>

**SECTION 8.** <u>Interest</u>. The interest on unpaid taxes provided for by La. R.S. 47:337.69 shall be at the rate of one and one-fourth percent  $(1\frac{1}{4}\%)$  per month.

**SECTION 9.** <u>Delinquency Penalty</u>. The delinquency penalty, as provided by La. R.S. 47:337.70, shall be five percent (5%) per month on the unpaid amount of the Tax due for each thirty-day period, not to exceed five thirty-day periods.

**SECTION 10.** <u>Penalty for False or Fraudulent Return</u>. Penalty as provided by La. R.S. 47:337.72 shall be fifty percent (50%) of the Tax found to be due.

**SECTION 11.** <u>Negligence Penalty</u>. The penalty provided by La. R.S. 47:337.73 shall be five percent (5%) of the Tax or deficiency found to be due, or ten dollars (\$10.00), whichever is greater.

**SECTION 12.** <u>Penalty for Insufficient Funds Check</u>. The penalty provided in La. R.S. 47:337.74 shall be an amount equal to the greater of one half of one percent (.5%) of the check or twenty dollars (\$20.00).

**SECTION 13.** <u>Attorney Fees</u>. The collector is authorized to employ private counsel to assist in the collection of any taxes, penalties or interest due under this Ordinance, or to represent him in any proceeding under this Ordinance. If any taxes, penalties or interest due under this Ordinance are referred to an attorney at law for collection, an additional charge of attorney fees, in

the amount of ten per centum (10%) of the taxes, penalties and interest due, shall be paid by the tax debtor.

**SECTION 14.** <u>Penalty for Costs Incurred.</u> As provided by R.S. 47:337.75, and under the circumstances set forth therein, a penalty shall be added to the amount of tax due in an amount as itemized by the Collector to compensate for all costs incurred in making an examination of books, records or documents, or an audit thereof, or in the holding of hearings or the subpoenaing and compensating of witnesses.

**SECTION 15.** <u>Distraint Penalty</u>. The penalty as provided by R.S. 47:337.76 in cases where the distraint procedure is used in the collection of the Tax shall be ten dollars (\$10.00).

**SECTION 16.** <u>Limits on Interest, Penalty and Attorney Fees</u>. Should the interest, penalties or attorney fees herein, or the combined interest, penalties and attorney fees be declared to be in excess of limits provided by other law, including relevant jurisprudence, then the maximum interest, penalties and attorney fees allowed by such other law shall apply.

**SECTION 17.** <u>Collector</u>. The Tax levied by this Ordinance is authorized to be collected by a "Collector" which term shall mean the Claiborne Parish School Board, State of Louisiana.

**SECTION 18.** <u>Powers of Collector</u>. The Collector is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to carry into effect the provisions of this Ordinance, to appoint deputies, assistants or agents to assist it in the performance of its duties, and in pursuance thereof to make and enforce such rules as it may deem necessary.

**SECTION 19.** <u>Agreement to Collect Tax on Vehicles</u>. With regard to the collection of the Tax on any motor vehicle, automobile, truck, truck-trailer, trailer, semi-trailer, motor bus, home trailer, or any other vehicle subject to the vehicle registration license tax, this Governing Authority authorizes the Mayor, acting on behalf of the Town and this Governing Authority, to execute an agreement with the Vehicle Commissioner, Department of Public Safety and Corrections for the collection of the Tax on said vehicles, as provided by R.S.47:303(B).

**SECTION 20.** <u>Revenues of Tax</u>. All taxes, revenues, funds, assessments, moneys, penalties, fees or other income which may be collected or come into the possession of the Collector under any provision or provisions of this Ordinance relating to the Tax shall be promptly deposited by the Collector for the account of the Town in a special fund heretofore established and maintained for the deposit of such proceeds, which fund shall be a separate bank account established and maintained with the regularly designated fiscal agent of the Town; provided, however, any amount which is paid under protest or which is subject to litigation may be transferred to a separate account established by the Collector with said fiscal agent pending the final determination of the protest or litigation.

In compliance with the said special election of November 4, 2014, authorizing the Tax, after all reasonable and necessary costs and expenses of collecting and administration of the Tax has been paid as provided for above, the remaining balance in such said special fund shall be available for appropriation and expenditures by the Governing Authority solely for the purposes designated in the proposition authorizing the levy of the Tax.

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**SECTION 21.** <u>Severability</u>. If any or more of the provisions of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance, but this Ordinance shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provisions had not been contained herein. Any constitutional or statutory provision enacted after the date of this Ordinance which validates or makes legal any provision of this Ordinance which would not otherwise be valid or legal, shall be deemed to apply to this Ordinance.

**SECTION 22.** <u>Publication and Recordation</u>. This Ordinance shall be published in one issue of the official journal of this Governing Authority as soon as is reasonably possible. A certified copy of this Ordinance shall be recorded in the mortgage records of the Parish of Claiborne, State of Louisiana.

### [SIGNATURES APPEAR ON FOLLOWING PAGE]

**SECTION 23.** <u>Effective Date</u>. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption and approval, being an Ordinance affecting the public peace, health and safety.

YEAS: <u>3</u>

NAYS: <u>0</u>

ABSENT: 2

And the Ordinance was declared adopted on this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014.

Alecia Smith, Mayor

atreck Lori Kirkpatrick, Clerk

### STATE OF LOUISIANA

### PARISH OF CLAIBORNE

I, the undersigned Clerk of the Town of Homer, Parish of Claiborne, State of Louisiana (the "Town"), do hereby certify that the foregoing six (6) pages constitute a true and correct copy of a Ordinance adopted by the Mayor and Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer, State of Louisiana, acting as the governing authority thereof (the "Governing Authority") on November 10, 2014, providing for the levy within the Town, effective January 1, 2015, a one percent (1.0%) sales and use tax (the "Tax") upon the sale at retail, the use, the lease or rental, the consumption, and the storage for use or consumption, of tangible personal property and upon the sale of services in said Town, levying and providing for the assessment, collection, payment and dedication of the proceeds of such Tax and the purposes for which the proceeds of the Tax may be expended, such Tax having been authorized at a special election held in the Town on November 4, 2014.

**IN FAITH WHEREOF**, witness my official signature and the impress of the official seal of said Town at Homer, Louisiana, on this, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014.

ori Kirkpatrick, Secretary

(SEAL)

# TOWN OF HOMER STATE OF LOUISIANA

# ORDINANCE NO. 14-006

## AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF HOMER ADOPTING THE BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF HOMER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2015 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2015.

WHEREAS, an ordinance has been proposed to be adopted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer; and

WHEREAS, the proposed ordinance must be introduced by its title; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing must be held prior to its adoption; and

WHEREAS, the tide of the proposed ordinance must be published in the official journal and the notice shall provide for the time and place where the Board will consider its adoption.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the following ordinance be and it is hereby adopted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer:

- Section 1. BE IT ORDAINED that the attached detailed Budget of 2015 for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2015 and ending December 31, 2015 is hereby adopted and shall serve as the Budget of the Town of Homer for the fiscal year 2015.
- Section 2. The Adoption of this Budget be and the same is hereby declared to operate as an appropriation of the amount therein set forth within the terms of the budget classifications and approval of the expenditure of such funds.
- Section 3. Amounts are available for expenditures only to the extent included with the said Budget.
- Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective after its promulgation all in the manner and form prescribed by law.
- Section 5. This Ordinance was duly introduced, published in accordance with law, and then duly read and adopted by the following votes:

YEAS \_\_\_\_\_NAYS \_\_\_\_ABSENT ABSTAIN.

This ordinance was adopted on the 18th day of December, 2014 and presented to the Mayor for her signature on the 18th day of December, 2014 (which is less than 3 days from the date the ordinance was adopted).

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED by the Mayor on this  $18^{th}$  day of December, 2014.

MAYOR

# TOWN OF HOMER STATE OF LOUISIANA

# ORDINANCE NO. 14-005

# AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF HOMER AMENDING THE BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF HOMER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR, BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2014 AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2014 PURSUANT TO L.A. R.S. 39:1310 AND 39:1311; AND TO PROVIDE FOR ALL MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO.

WHEREAS, an ordinance has been proposed to be adopted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer; and

WHEREAS, the proposed ordinance must be introduced by its title; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing must be held prior to its adoption;

WHEREAS, the title of the proposed ordinance must be published in the official journal and the notice shall provide for the time and place where the Board will consider its adoption; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the following ordinance be and it is hereby adopted by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Homer:

- Section 1: BE IT ORDAINED that the ordinance adopting the 2014 annual budget of the Town of Homer which was adopted on <u>December 18</u> and amended by ordinance on <u>December 18</u> is hereby amended as required by La. R.S. 39:1310 and 39:1311,
- Section 2: BE IT ORDAINED that the attached detailed Amended Budget of 2014 for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2014 and ending December 31, 2014 is hereby adopted and shall serve as the budget of the Town of Homer for the fiscal year 2014.
- Section 3: The Adoption of this Amended Budget be and the same is hereby declared to operate as an appropriation of the amount therein set forth within the terms of the budget classifications and approval of the expenditure of such funds.
- Section 4. Amounts are available for expenditures only to the extent included with the said Amended Budget.

- Section 5. This Ordinance shall become effective after its promulgation all in the manner and form prescribed by law.
- Section 6. This Ordinance was duly introduced, published in accordance with law, and then duly read and adopted by the following votes:

\_\_\_\_YEAS \_\_\_\_NAYS \_\_\_\_ABSENT \_\_\_\_ABSTAIN.

This ordinance was adopted on the <u>lst</u> day of <u>December</u>, 2014 and presented to the Mayor for his signature on the <u>lst</u> day of <u>December</u>, 2014 (which is less than 3 days from the date the ordinance was adopted).

CITY CLERK

Approved by the Mayor on the <u>lst</u> day of <u>December</u>, 2014

MAYOR