

Resolution assuming responsibility and liability for inspections conducted by  
City of Hammond Fire Prevention Bureau as provided by law

### **Resolution**

At a regular meeting of the Hammond City Council held on \_\_\_\_\_, 2024, the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS the City of Hammond does hereby find as follows:

WHEREAS, pursuant to LSA RS 40§1563, the City of Hammond created Fire Prevention Bureau by ordinance No. 2720 on October 3, 2000 to conduct fire safety inspections within the City of Hammond, and

WHEREAS, LSA RS 40§1563 (C) (6) provides: *“The local governing authority shall, by specific resolution accompanying the ordinance creating the fire protection bureau, assume the responsibility for and release the fire marshal and any other state entity from responsibility or liability for those inspections performed by the fire prevention bureau, or the consequences thereof, within the jurisdiction of the governing authority.”*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the City of Hammond assumes all responsibility and liability for and releases the fire marshal and any other State entity from responsibility or liability for those inspections performed by the City of Hammond Fire Prevention Bureau, or the consequences thereof, within the City of Hammond.

This resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

And the resolution was declared adopted on this, the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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Lisa Cockerham, Council Clerk

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Kip Andrews, Council President