

TOWN OF SIMMESPORT

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BUDGET ADOPTION

ORDINANCE 10-2023-01

An ordinance adopting the 2023 Operating Budget of Revenues and Expenditures.

SECTION 1. The 2023 Operating Budget for the year then ending June 30, 2024 (as attached) is adopted, as follows:

SECTION 2. The adoption of the 2023 operating budget of expenditures is declared to be an appropriation of funds as set forth in the budget classifications and that all appropriations lapse at each year end.

SECTION 3. Amounts are available for expenditure only to the extent included within this budget.

SECTION 4. The Mayor is hereby authorized to make line item adjustments during fiscal year 2023 of expenditures within a functional department. Such adjustments are to be reported to the Town Council. To the extent actual expenditures exceed the amount appropriated by 5% or more in an individual fund, the Mayor will recommend a budget amendment to the Town Council for approval as required by the Louisiana Local Government Budget Act, La. R.S. 39:1311.

Whereas, said proposed budget was duly set, after proper notice to the public, for public hearing which was held on November 27, 2023 as required by the revised statutes of the State of Louisiana.

Whereas, the Simmesport Town Council has reviewed and considered such proposed budget and made revisions of same,

This ordinance was introduced on October 23, 2023, by Councilwoman Kennedy. A public hearing having been duly held, the title read, and the ordinance considered, on motion by Councilman Wright seconded by Councilman Bell, a record vote was had as follows:

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	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Alderman Bell	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
Alderman Gautreaux	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
Alderwoman Kennedy	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>X</u>
Alderman Turner	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>X</u>
Alderman Wright	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	

And this ordinance was passed on the 27th day of November 2023.

Leslie Draper, III
Mayor

Jalesia Batiste
Town Clerk