

1 ~~millage rates for such additional ad valorem taxes may not be increased.~~
 2 Notwithstanding the provisions of Article VII, Section 20(A), the homestead
 3 exemption shall not extend to such additional ad valorem taxes. ~~Provided, however,~~
 4 ~~that the~~ The additional revenues generated by these fire and police millages shall not
 5 displace, replace, or supplant funding by the city of New Orleans for fire and police
 6 protection for calendar year ~~1990~~ 2013 nor shall the level of funding for such
 7 purposes by the city for that calendar year be decreased below such level in any
 8 subsequent calendar year hereafter. Furthermore, the revenues generated by these
 9 fire and police millages shall be used solely for fire and police protection services
 10 that directly contribute to the safety of the residents of Orleans Parish. In the event
 11 of either of the above, the authorization for such fire and police millages herein shall
 12 be null, void, and of no effect. This provision shall mean that no appropriation for
 13 any calendar year from such additional revenues shall be made for any purpose for
 14 which a city appropriation was made in the previous year unless the total
 15 appropriations for that calendar year from the city for such purpose exceed city
 16 appropriations for the previous year. This provision shall in no way limit city
 17 appropriations in excess of the minimum amounts herein established.

18 (2) Any additional ad valorem tax authorized by the amendment of
 19 Subparagraph (1) of this Paragraph as approved by the voters in 2014 shall be levied
 20 only if approved by a majority of the electors of Orleans Parish who vote on a
 21 proposition authorizing the additional tax at an election held for that purpose.

22 Section 2. Be it further resolved that this proposed amendment shall be submitted
 23 to the electors of the state of Louisiana at the statewide election to be held on November 4,
 24 2014.

25 Section 3. Be it further resolved that on the official ballot to be used at the election,
 26 there shall be printed a proposition, upon which the electors of the state shall be permitted
 27 to vote YES or NO, to amend the Constitution of Louisiana, which proposition shall read as
 28 follows:

29 Do you support an amendment to authorize the governing authority of
 30 Orleans Parish to increase the annual millage rate levied for fire and police

1 protection, to require that the revenue from the fire and police millages be
2 used for fire and police protection service enhancements, and to require that
3 any increase be approved by the voters of Orleans Parish? (Amends Article
4 VI, Section 26(E))

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE