

November 19, 2011 Election
Parish of Avoyelles

City of Bunkie Proposition

Summary: 3% tax of the City of Bunkie to be levied in perpetuity upon the occupancy of hotel rooms within the City to be deposited in the general fund of the City and used solely for public purposes within the City.

Shall the City of Bunkie, State of Louisiana (the "City"), under the provisions of Act No. 230 of the Regular Session of the State of Louisiana for the year 2011 (the "Act"), and other constitutional and statutory authority, be authorized to levy and collect a tax of three percent (3%) (the "Tax"), in perpetuity beginning January 1, 2012, upon the occupancy of hotel rooms within the City (the Tax to be in addition to any other taxes thereon) (an estimated \$26,000 reasonably expected at this time to be collected from the levy of the Tax for an entire year), with the proceeds of the Tax (after paying reasonable and necessary costs and expenses of collecting and administering the Tax) to be deposited in the general fund of the City and shall be used solely for public purposes within the City, the term "hotel" meaning and including any establishment, public or private, engaged in the business of furnishing or providing rooms or overnight camping facilities intended or designed for dwelling, lodging, or sleeping purposes to transient guests where such establishment consists of two or more guest rooms but not encompassing any hospital, convalescent or nursing home or sanitarium, or any hotel-like facility operated by or in connection with a hospital or medical clinic providing rooms exclusively for patients and their families, all as defined in the Act?