

November 19, 2011 Election
Parishes of Lafayette and St. Martin

City of Broussard Proposition
(Sales and Use Tax)

Summary: One-half percent (.5%) sales and use tax commencing January 1, 2012 in perpetuity to be dedicated for the acquisition, construction and equipping of recreational facilities and related infrastructure throughout the City.

Shall the City of Broussard be authorized to levy a sales and use tax (the "Tax") in the amount of one-half percent (.5%) on 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, to be used or consumed in the City of Broussard commencing January 1, 2012 in perpetuity, as authorized under the provisions of Article VI, Section 29 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, as amended, and La. R.S. 33:2711, which tax is expected to generate approximately \$2.39 Million in an entire year, for the acquisition, construction and equipping of recreational facilities and related infrastructure throughout the City, including walking, jogging and bike paths, basketball courts, volleyball courts, soccer fields, baseball fields, playground and exercise areas, picnic areas and other recreational facilities, and ongoing operation and maintenance expenses of the facilities and infrastructure, and in the event there are excess funds derived from the tax, said funds shall be used for the purpose of constructing, improving and maintaining the infrastructure of the City of Broussard, or for other lawful purposes, all of which proceeds of the Tax may be funded into bonds in accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana?