RESOLUTION

2009-R-01

RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITIZENS OF VERMILION PARISH, LOUISIANA TO SIGN THE T. BOONE PICKENS' ENERGY INDEPENDENCE PLAN PLEDGE AND ENCOURAGING EVERYONE TO SUPPORT THIS PLAN.

WHEREAS, a pledge drive is currently underway to endorse an Energy Independence Plan and to require that this be enacted within the first 100 days of the Obama administration; and

WHEREAS, President Barack Obama and the 111th Congress need to enact an energy plan that reduces our foreign oil dependence by at least 30% within ten years, and to make major changes toward cleaner, cheaper and domestic energy resources; and

WHEREAS, this plan must include proven American technology and resources, the development of new energy sources, and the expansion and modernization of the national electrical grid to transport renewable energy to homes and businesses; and

WHEREAS, reliable, ample and affordable energy is critical for the production and consumption of energy use necessary for our country's everyday activities; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the citizens of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana to support the T. Boone Pickens' Energy Independence Plan and to take steps to conserve energy and develop responsible habits that will reduce energy consumption in their everyday lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VERMILION PARISH POLICE JURY,

Section 1.   The Jury hereby goes on record in support of the T. Boone Pickens' Energy Independence Plan pledge and encourages citizens to support this plan.

Section 2.   This Resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, requiring it.

THEREUPON, the above resolution was declared adopted.

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I, Chris Theriot, Administrator/Secretary-Treasurer, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the Vermilion Parish Police Jury at their meeting held on January 20, 2009 at which time a quorum was present and acting.

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Chris Theriot
Administrator/Secretary-Treasurer
Vermilion Parish Police Jury