ORDINANCE # 2025-10
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ADOPTION

INTRODUCTION

CITY OF COVINGTON
STATE OF LOUISIANA

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2025-10

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON TO AMEND THE 2025 OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET

WHEREAS, the Mayor of Covington has proposed an amendment to the 2025 Operating and Capital Budget to the City Council for their consideration; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the 2025 Budget as follows:

Budget Amendment Item May - June 2025

ORG	OBJ	PURPOSE	INCREASE	EXPLANATION
Administration				
01110030	445010	Supplies	$ 15,000.00	Christmas decorations
01110030	463000	Equipment	$ 20,000.00	Tour / shuttle vehicle
01110030	441510	Comm. Service	$ -	Comment change: $6,000 ~~NAACP~~ Greater Starlight Baptist Church Softball League
			$ 35,000.00	
Police				
01130200	410110	Salary	$ 21,507.20	Additional traffic officer (1/2 year salary and benefits)
	420600	Medicare	$ 311.85	
	420800	Unemployment	$ 43.01	
	420400	Retirement	$ 9,807.28	
	420300	LTD	$ 150.55	
	420700	Workers Comp	$ 1,008.69	
	420100	Health Ins	$ 7,732.68	
	420200	Life Ins	$ 195.12	
			$ 40,756.38	
Capital Projects Fund (Bond)				
35000000	466505	Engineering	$ 93,000.00	CID Engineering
			$ 93,000.00	
Decrease to General Fund			**$ 75,756.38**	
Decrease to Capital Projects Fund			**$ 93,000.00**	

WHEREAS, the Covington City Council has held its public hearing in accordance with law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Covington, Louisiana, at its regular session convened, that the 2025 Operating and Capital Budget shall be amended as set out above.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions herein

which can be given effect without the invalid provision and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

WHEREUPON, this ordinance having been submitted in writing, having been read by title and adopted at a public meeting of the City Council of the City of Covington, State of Louisiana, was then submitted to an official vote as a whole, the vote thereon being as follows:

MOVED FOR ADOPTION Botsford, seconded by Roberts.

YEAS: 6 **ABSENT:** 1

NAYS: 0 **ABSTAIN:** 0

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 3rd day of June, 2025.

/s/
MARK W. VERRET
COUNCIL PRESIDENT

/s/ JoAnn D. Rucker
JOANN D. RUCKER
COUNCIL CLERK

Presented to the Mayor on this 4th day of June, 2025, at 9:15, A.M.

/s/ JoAnn D. Rucker
JOANN D. RUCKER
COUNCIL CLERK

Approved ✓ or Vetoed ___ by the Mayor on this 4th day of June, 2025.

/s/
MARK R. JOHNSON
MAYOR

Received from the Mayor on this 4th day of June, 2025, at 1:30, P.M.

/s/ JoAnn D. Rucker
JOANN D. RUCKER
COUNCIL CLERK