ORDINANCE # 2025-16
INTRODUCED BY BURRELL
DATE INTRODUCED 8-5-2025
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ADOPTION

INTRODUCTION

AMENDED
CITY OF COVINGTON
STATE OF LOUISIANA

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2025-16

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:

August - September 2025 Budget Amendment Items

ORG	OBJ	PROJECT	DEPARTMENT	INCREASE	EXPLANATION
			GMA		
22150400	466000	S0073	Drainage	$ 200,000.00	Downtown Drainage rehab - Construction
			GMA TOTAL	$ 200,000.00	

			PUBLIC WORKS - SEWER COLLECTION		
50320700	465500	S0072	Utility Infrastructure	$ 87,444.16	Downtown Overlay Sewer repairs - Construction
50320700	466505	S0072	Engineering	$ 14,102.50	Downtown Overlay Sewer repairs - Engineering
50320700	465500	C0139	Utility Infrastructure	$ (68,998.64)	Release all remaining funds from US 190 Lift Station project
			SEWER COLLECTION TOTAL	$ 32,548.02	
ORG	OBJ	PROJECT	DEPARTMENT	INCREASE	EXPLANATION
25000020	330050	S0084	Grants	$ (1,000,000.00)	Act 460 - Boys and Girls Club Facility (City Grantee)
25000020	463000	S0084	Grants	$ 1,000,000.00	Act 460 - Boys and Girls Club Facility (City Grantee)
			GENERAL FUND TOTAL	$ -	

TOTAL BUDGET AMENDMENT	**$ 200,000.00**	Decrease to GMA Fund - 22
	$ 32,548.02	Decrease to Utility Fund - 50
	$ -	Decrease to General Fund

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 Verret, seconded by Inman.

YEAS: **ABSENT:**

NAYS: **ABSTAIN:**

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of September, 2025.

/s/ _____
MARK W. VERRET
COUNCIL PRESIDENT

/s/ _____
JOANN D. RUCKER
COUNCIL CLERK

Presented to the Mayor on this 10th day of September, 2025, at 10:00, A.M.

/s/ _____
JOANN D. RUCKER
COUNCIL CLERK

Approved ✓ or Vetoed ___ by the Mayor on this 11th day of September, 2025.

/s/ _____
MARK R. JOHNSON
MAYOR

Received from the Mayor on this 11th day of September, 2025, at 1:45 P.M.

/s/ _____
JOANN D. RUCKER
COUNCIL CLERK