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December 14, 2021

Hon. Sharon Hewitt, Chairwoman  
Senate and Governmental Affairs Committee  
P.O. Box 94183  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Dear Ms. Hewitt:

Enclosed herewith is a certified copy of **Resolution No. 138723** adopted on **Wednesday, December 8, 2021**, which is self-explanatory.

Yours truly,

  
Eula A. Lopez, Parish Clerk  
Jefferson Parish Council

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Enclosure

On motion of **Mr. Templet**, seconded by **Mr. Walker**, the following resolution was offered:

**RESOLUTION NO. 138723**

A resolution requesting the Louisiana Legislature to redistrict the Senate Districts to create an additional Senate District within Jefferson Parish to provide equitable representation based on the increased population of Jefferson Parish according to the 2020 Census as officially published by the United States Bureau of the Census.  
(Council District 3)

**WHEREAS**, according to the 2020 Census as officially published by the United States Bureau of the Census, Louisiana's population increased by 124,385 people between 2010-2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Jefferson Parish is the second largest Parish in Louisiana with a population of 440,781, and has 3 State Senators who reside in Jefferson Parish; and

**WHEREAS**, based on the 2020 Census data, Jefferson Parish's population warrants additional representation in the Louisiana Senate; and

**WHEREAS**, this Council is requesting the Louisiana Legislature to redistrict the Senate District boundaries to create an additional Senate District within Jefferson Parish to provide for equality among the Senate Districts using the population data in the 2020 Census;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Jefferson Parish Council of Jefferson Parish, Louisiana, acting as governing authority of said Parish:

**SECTION 1.** That the Jefferson Parish Council does hereby request the Louisiana Legislature to redistrict the Senate Districts to create an additional Senate District within Jefferson Parish to provide equitable representation based on the increased population of Jefferson Parish according to the 2020 Census as officially published by the United States Bureau of the Census.

**SECTION 2.** The Council Clerk is hereby requested and authorized to send a certified copy of this resolution to the President of the Louisiana Senate, the Speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives, members of the Senate and Governmental Affairs Committee, members of the House and Governmental Affairs Committee, and members of the Jefferson Delegation.

The foregoing resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

**YEAS: 7      NAYS: None      ABSENT: None**

The resolution was declared to be adopted on this the **8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.**

THE FOREGOING IS CERTIFIED  
TO BE A TRUE & CORRECT COPY



EULA A. LOPEZ  
PARISH CLERK  
JEFFERSON PARISH COUNCIL