JULY 16, 2005 ELECTION
PARISH OF LINCOLN

CITY OF RUSTON PROPOSITION
(RECREATION MILLAGE REDEDICATION & CONTINUATION)

SUMMARY: AUTHORITY TO REDEDICATE ALL OF THE PROCEEDS OF A 3 MILLS TAX AUTHORIZED TO BE LEVIED IN THE YEARS 1996 THROUGH 2005, INCLUSIVE, PURSUANT TO AN ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY ON JULY 15, 1995 SO THAT SUCH PROCEEDS MAY BE USED FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVING, MAINTAINING, OPERATING, ACQUIRING AND CONSTRUCTING PARKS, PLAYGROUNDS, RECREATION CENTERS AND OTHER RECREATIONAL FACILITIES IN SAID CITY, TOGETHER WITH THE NECESSARY FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT THEREFOR, AND FOR FURTHER AUTHORITY TO CONTINUE TO LEVY THE TAX ON ALL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION WITHIN THE CITY FOR AN ADDITIONAL TEN (10) YEARS BEGINNING WITH THE YEAR 2006 AND ENDING WITH THE YEAR 2015 WITH THE PROCEEDS THEREOF TO BE USED FOR THE AFORESAID PURPOSE.

Shall the City of Ruston, State of Louisiana (the "City"), be authorized to rededicate all of the proceeds heretofore or hereafter received by the City from the levy and collection of a three (3) mills tax (the "Tax"), authorized to be levied in the years 1996 through 2005, inclusive, pursuant to an election held in the City on July 15, 1995, so that such proceeds may be used for the purpose of improving, maintaining, operating, acquiring and constructing parks, playgrounds, recreation centers and other recreational facilities in said City, together with the necessary furnishings and equipment therefor, including but not limited to, J. C. Love Athletic Complex, Ruston Soccer Complex, Bobby James Memorial Gymnasium, Cook Park, Duncan Park, Railroad Park, Ruston City Pool, Ruston Tennis Courts, Woodland Park, Greenwood Park, Cypress Springs Park, Roberts Park, Sidney Smith Park, Gill Street Park, Memorial Park, McLane Recreation Center, Greenwood Recreation Center and Ruston Community Center, and further, shall the City be authorized to continue to levy the Tax on all property subject to taxation within the City for an additional ten (10) years beginning with the year 2006 and ending with the year 2015 with the proceeds thereof to be used for the aforesaid purpose?