

**TOWN OF FORDOCHE, LOUISIANA
BUDGET ORDINANCE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2017**

WHEREAS, proposed Budgets for the General Fund and Water System of the Town have been presented to the Town Council by the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, appropriately advertised public hearings have been held on the proposed Budgets, as required by the Louisiana Local Government Budget Act; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has reviewed the proposed Budgets; and

WHEREAS, each of the funds has a balanced Budget, such that anticipated funding sources equal or exceed proposed expenditures.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED that the Operating Budgets, attached hereto and by this reference made a part of this Ordinance, shall be the Town of Fordoche's Calendar Year 2017 Operating Budgets; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that these Budgets be and are hereby approved and that the anticipated revenues presented for each fund are adopted in the amounts shown and that the amounts shown for each fund as proposed expenditures are hereby appropriated to the departments named in each fund; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that any increase or decrease in appropriations or revenues of any fund or for any department or the establishment of capital projects shall require approval of the Mayor and Town Council; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that such revisions to the Budgets may be made by majority vote of the Mayor and Town Council at any business meeting; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the expenditure shall not exceed the appropriations authorized by this Budget or amendments thereto and that expenditures for the calendar year shall not exceed actual funding available.

SO ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FORDOCHE, LOUISIANA, this, the 13th day of December, 2016.

Approved:

Teddy Gros, Mayor

Attest:

Lisa Cormier, Town Clerk