

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN  
TOWN OF GRAMERCY  
SPECIAL MEETING  
AUGUST 24, 2023**

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

Notice Posted: 07/11/2023 – 08/24/2023

Public Hearing Published: 07/20/23 & 07/27/23

A public hearing will be held as follows:

Date: August 24, 2023 Time: 6:00 p.m. Place: Council Chambers at 120 N. Montz Street

ORDINANCE NO. 754-2023 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING 9.73 TOTAL MILL TAX FOR THE YEAR 2023 ON ALL OF THE TAXABLE PROPERTY SITUATED WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF GRAMERCY, LOUISIANA FOR THE GENERAL SUPPORT AND OPERATIONS OF THE MUNICIPAL FUNCTIONS OF SAID TOWN AND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST AND REDEMPTION OF BONDS FOR THE TOWN OF GRAMERCY, LOUISIANA

There were no public comments received on the above ordinance.

A motion to close the public hearing was made by Alderman Calcagno, seconded by Alderman Brack and the motion passed unanimously.

**Public Meeting to Follow Immediately after Public Hearing**

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gramercy, Louisiana, met in special session on Thursday, August 24, 2023 at 6:00 pm at the Gramercy Town Hall.

Mayor Bourgeois called the meeting to order, and asked the clerk to call roll:

There were present: Mayor Steven Bourgeois, Alderman Darren Brack, Alderman Craig Calcagno, Alderman Theron Louque, Alderman Clyde Wiggins, Alderman Percy Williams

There were absent: None

There were also present: Town Attorney Robert Fauchaux, Jr., Town Clerk Amy St. Pierre

**ORDINANCE – FINAL ACTION**

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN, TOWN OF GRAMERCY, LOUISIANA THAT:

SECTION I. that the following millage are hereby levied on the 2023 tax roll on all property subject to taxation by the Town of Gramercy, Louisiana.

Corporation Tax	5.99 Mills
2013 Water Improvement Tax	3.74 Mills
<b>Total</b>	<b>9.73 Mills</b>

SECTION II. that the proper administrative officials of the Parish of St. James, Town of Gramercy, Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for year 2023, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the tax authority, according to law, and that the taxes herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on all property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided by law.

SECTION III. that this ordinance shall be published in the Official Journal according to law, and that this ordinance after first having been reduced to writing, was read and considered section by section at this public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gramercy, Louisiana, acting as the governing authority thereof.

SECTION IV. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION V. If any provision or item of this ordinance of the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provision, items or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items, or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby severable.

Said Ordinance having been introduced on Monday, July 10, 2023, notice of public hearing having been published on Thursday, July 20, 2023 and Thursday, July 27, 2023, said public hearing and public meeting held on Thursday, August 24, 2023 at 6:00 pm, the title having been read and the Ordinance considered, on motion by Alderman Wiggins, second by Alderman Williams to adopt the Ordinance, a record was taken and the following result was held.

YEAS:	Wiggins, Williams, Brack, Louque, Calcagno
NAYS:	None
ABSENT:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

And the ordinance was declared adopted on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

There being no further business it was moved by Alderman Brack, second by Alderman Williams, and approved to adjourn at 6:04 pm.

/s/ Steven J. Bourgeois, Mayor  
Attest: /s/ Amy St. Pierre, Town Clerk