

**FACT SHEET****CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA****TITLE**

A Resolution Authorizing the Execution of a Retainer Agreement with Butler Snow LLP, as special legal counsel and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

**DATE**

3/10/2025

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT**

City Attorney

**COUNCIL DISTRICT**

City-Wide

**SPONSOR****PURPOSE**

To authorize the Mayor to execute a retainer agreement with Butler Snow LLP, to provide legal advice, counsel and representation to the City of Shreveport on specialized matters involving municipal finance litigation and investigations.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The City of Shreveport ("City") desires to retain the services of Butler Snow, LLP to serve as special legal counsel for the City related to specialized municipal finance litigation and investigations on behalf of the City. The Office of the City Attorney recommends the employment of such special legal counsel to advise, counsel and represent the City in these matters.

**TIMETABLE**

Introduction: 03/11/2025

Final Passage: 03/25/2025

**ATTACHMENTS****SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

N/A

**FINANCES**

\$ N/A

**SOURCE OF FUNDS**

N/A

**ALTERNATIVES**

(1) Adopt the resolution as submitted, or (2) amend the resolution, or (3) reject the resolution.

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended the City Council adopt the resolution.

**FACT SHEET PREPARED BY:**

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