

1 CITY OF CENTRAL

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3 The following resolution was offered by Councilman Ellis:

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5 PROPOSED RESOLUTION NO. 2015-\_\_\_\_

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7 A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR OF THE  
8 CITY OF CENTRAL TO ADVERTISE A REQUEST FOR  
9 QUALIFICATIONS "RFQ" FOR ARCHITECTURAL  
10 DESIGN SERVICES AND RELATED CONSULTING  
11 SERVICES FOR THE DESIGN OF A CITY  
12 HALL/ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AND TO PROVIDE  
13 FOR RELATED MATTERS  
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15 WHEREAS, The City of Central has been conducting a planning process over the past  
16 several years. One of the goals identified in the planning was the need to construct a city hall, park  
17 space, necessary infrastructure, and potentially other facilities in a manner so as to create a unified  
18 City Center development. Planning reports indicate that development of a City Hall could act as a  
19 catalyst for additional commercial and retail development that would serve the needs of the  
20 community.  
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22 WHEREAS, The City of Central has applied for and received a \$1,994,613 commitment  
23 from the State of Louisiana for funding for the acquisition, design, and construction of a 9,895  
24 square feet City Hall/administrative facility and is currently in the process of identifying a site  
25 layout to determine the total property needed for acquisition and construction of the facility.  
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27 WHEREAS, the Council and the Mayor of the City of Central seek to identify a qualified  
28 Architect to design and manage the construction of a new City Hall building; and  
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30 WHEREAS, the Council has authorized the Mayor to enter into negotiations with the  
31 Central Community School System for the property needed to build a City Hall building at the old  
32 Central Middle School location under a resolution passed during the August 25, 2015 regular  
33 council meeting.;  
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35 THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Central, authorizes the  
36 Mayor of the City of Central to advertise and seek interested architecture firms by means of a  
37 Request for Qualifications "RFQ" process for the design of a new City Hall/Administration  
38 Building.  
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40 This Resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

- 41 For:  
42 Against:  
43 Absent:  
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**CERTIFICATION**

The above and foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Council for the City of Central held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.

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Mark Miley, City Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.