

**“EXHIBIT A”**

**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
CITY OF GRETNA**

Pursuant to the provisions of **Resolution No. 2016-001** adopted by the City Council on January 13, 2016, acting as governing authority of the City of Gretna, notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the City of Gretna on **Saturday, April 9, 2016**. The purpose of this election is to renew the levy of a special tax of five (5.00) mills for the object and purpose of fire protection within the City of Gretna. The proposition shall read as follows:

**CITY OF GRETNA PROPOSITION**

**(FIRE PROTECTION)**

Shall the City of Gretna, State of Louisiana (the “City”), renew the levy of a special tax of five (5.00) mills on all property subject to taxation in the Pre-Timberlane Annexation area of the City of Gretna, state of Louisiana, that being the same area contained wholly within voting precincts G-1 through G-11, but excluding the area included in voting precincts G-12 and G-13 (the annexed area), (an estimated \$714,798 reasonably expected at this time to be collected from the levy of the tax for an entire year), for a period of ten (10) years, beginning with the year 2017 and ending with the year 2026, both inclusive for the object and purpose of fire protection within the City of Gretna?

**YES**

**NO**

On Wednesday, April 13, 2016 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Gretna City Hall, 740 Second Street, Gretna, Louisiana, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Gretna in open session will proceed to canvass and declare the results of the April 9, 2016 election.

The following is a list of precincts and polling places where the proposition will be voted on and all registered voters in each precinct will be eligible to vote on said proposition in this election:

**POLLING PLACES – CITY OF GRETNA**

**Ward/Pct.**

- G001** General Government Building, 200 Derbigny St., Gretna, LA
- G002** General Government Building, 200 Derbigny St., Gretna, LA
- G003** D. Crockett Volunteer Fire Co. Station #45, 1136 Lafayette St., Gretna, LA
- G004** Gretna No. 2 Academy, 701 Amelia Street, Gretna, LA
- G005** William S. Hart Elementary School, 2001 Hancock St., Gretna, LA
- G006** William S. Hart Elementary School, 2001 Hancock Street, Gretna, LA
- G007** David Crockett Volunteer Fire Station #48, 2000 Hancock St., Gretna, LA
- G008** Frederick Douglas School, 1400 Huey P. Long Ave., Gretna, LA
- G009** Gould Volunteer Fire Sub-Station #47, 700 Gretna Blvd., Gretna, LA
- G010** Thomas Jefferson High School, 17 Gretna Blvd., Gretna, LA
- G011** Gretna Park Elementary School, 1130 Gretna Blvd., Gretna, LA
- 211 Parts** Harvey Volunteer Fire Station #61, 639 Maple St., Harvey, LA

Notice is further given that a portion of the monies collected from the tax described in the Proposition shall be remitted to certain state and statewide retirement systems in the manner required by law.

This notice is hereby executed by the City of Gretna through its Tax Collector on this the 14th day of 2016.

**/S/ NORMA J. CRUZ**  
**CITY CLERK**  
**CITY OF GRETNA**  
**STATE OF LOUISIANA**