

# French Quarter Security District IS NEEDED!

Vote "YES!" VOTE "YES!" Vote "YES!" VOTE "YES!" Vote "YES!" VOTE "YES!"

- WHY? #1 FQ Concern is FQ CRIME
- Additional Visible PATROLS = DETERRENCE
- WHERE? FQ Security District: Canal to (downriver) Esplanade; River to N. Rampart (lakeside)
- **Only this area will be patrolled**, serviced, and assessed fees
- SERVICES? FQ Security District will provide **ADDITIONAL PATROLLING OF FQ**
- Private security contractor will provide an enhanced level of patrolling services while NOPD maintains its regular services
  - 60+ additional 8 hour patrol shifts per week— coordinated with NOPD
  - Savings on budgeted administrative costs will be used to hire additional patrols
  - If office space is donated, as recently promised, at least 12 more 8-hour patrol shifts per week will be added to the original 60+
  - Officers patrol 24 hours a day, 365 days a year and Night Patrols will be ARMED
  - Well-trained private Security Officers; their full-time job will be patrolling the FQ
  - ALL sections of the FQ Security District will be continuously patrolled
  - GPS tracks officer location & Quality of Life concerns
- HOW LONG? FQ Security District **term is 3½ years** – it ends 6/31/2014
- NO automatic renewal
- HOW MUCH? **LOW FEES!**
- Residential owner will pay **about 50 cents a day** for a single to a 4-plex
  - Commercial owner with NO ABO licensee will pay **about \$1 a day**
  - Commercial owner with an ABO licensee will pay **about \$1.50 a day**
  - FQ Security District **fees cannot be increased** during 3½ year term
  - For more info: See reverse side and/or [www.fqmhd.com](http://www.fqmhd.com)
- MANAGEMENT? **NO OUTSIDERS - ALL LOCAL BOARD**
- Security District will be managed by the French Quarter-Marigny Historic Area Management District (FQMAMD), a 13 member State Board
  - **ALL Board Members must live or work full-time in the District**
  - ALL Volunteer Board - State law prohibits compensating Board (salary/per diem)
  - State Legislative Auditor will receive an Annual Audit
  - NO Bureaucracy: Only a Director & Assistant & Private Security Contractor
- ENDORSEMENTS? Officials and Community Organizations Support FQ Security District
- City Council Members Arnie **Fielkow**, Jackie **Clarkson** & Kristin **Palmer**, Senator Ed **Murray**, Representative Helena **Moreno**, NOPD Captain **Louis Dabdoub** (ret.)
  - **FQC, LQCW, FQBA, BSMA, GNOHLA & LRA**
- HOW? On October 2<sup>nd</sup> **VOTE "YES"** to create FQ Security District

## Annual FQ Security District Property Fees (2011 -2014)

Owner of Residential Property (1-4 units) & Time-Share Unit (not rental period)	\$185 a year	Single family, Condo, duplex, 3-plex, 4-plex OR Each Unit at De La Monnaie, etc.
Residential - 5+ units; Residential/Commercial Combo ( <b>no</b> ABO license); 1-24 guest room hotel, B & B, etc., w/ <b>no</b> ABO license; & Commercial – 1+ units, <b>no</b> ABO license on premises	\$395 a year	residential 5 units or more; Combo residential & commercial 1+ units; B & B w/ <b>no</b> ABO license; AND/OR Average FQ commercial property (w/ or w/o residential or multiple shops) selling art, shoes, clothing, shoes, furniture, gifts, novelties, books, antiques, supplies, food, coffee, equipment, tours, jewelry, music, electronics, cigars, services, etc.
Residential/Commercial Combo ( <b>w/ABO</b> license); 1-24 guest room hotel, B & B, etc., <b>w/ABO</b> license; & Commercial – 1+ units <b>w/ABO</b> license on premises	\$545 a year	1 + residential & 1 + commercial units; B & B or small hotel; AND/OR Restaurant <b>w/ABO</b> , bar, grocery, liquor store, etc
25 to 89 guest room hotel	\$900 a year	Le Richelieu, Place D'Armes, Chateau, FQ Suites, Bienville House, Soniat House, St. Piere, Prince Conti, Lamonth House, Villa Convento, St. Peter Guest House, Olivier FQ, St. Louis A.M.A.
Surface Parking Lot with 100 to 274 parking spaces	\$1,000 a year	210 N. Rampart, 440 N. Rampart
Shopping Center w/25,000 to 99,999 sq. ft. of floor space; Surface Parking Lot with 275 or more parking spaces; Office Bldg. w/50,000 to 399,999 sq. ft. of floor space; & Parking Garage with 100 to 999 parking spaces	\$1,500 a year	Shops at Jax Brewery, Jax at the Millhouse; 101 Iberville, 500 Decatur, 300 N. Peters; Audubon Building; AND/OR 535 Chartres, 911 Iberville, 716 Iberville
90 to 149 guest room hotel	\$2,000 a year	Dauphine Orleans, Hotel St. Marie, W, Quarter House, Best Western, St. Louis, Provincial
Shopping Center w/100,000 or more sq. ft. of floor space; 150 to 324 guest room hotel	\$3,000 a year	Shops at Canal Phase I, Shops at Canal Phase II; Chateau Sonesta, Bourbon Orleans, Maison Dupuy, Inn on Bourbon, Chateau Le Moyne Holiday Inn
Parking Garage with 1,000 or more parking spaces; & 325 to 999 guest room hotel	\$5,000 a year	Canal Place Parking Garage (B); AND/OR Monteleone, Astor, Ritz, Royal Orleans, Westin, Royal Sonesta, Holiday Inn (on Royal St.)
Office Bldg. w/ 400,000 or more sq. ft. of floor space	\$10,000 a year	One Canal Place Office Tower
1,000 + guest room hotel	\$15,000 a year	Marriott

### **Security Officers Will Have Authority to Use Their Firearm When Warranted by Extreme Circumstances**

FQ Security District patrol officers will have the authority to use or un-holster their firearm when there is an immediate fear of death or potential fatal harm. Under such circumstances, the officer has authority to use deadly force. However, the use of a firearm in a heavily-trafficked area such as the French Quarter is a situation that must and will be avoided whenever possible.