Welcome to Grambling From the Desk of the Mayor

Dear New Resident,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the City of Grambling! We are a proud and thriving community where unity and progress go hand in hand. Whether you are new to the area or returning home, we are delighted to have you as part of our growing family.

Grambling offers a variety of essential services to ensure a comfortable and convenient lifestyle for all its residents. Below are just a few resources available to you:

Education: Grambling is home to outstanding educational institutions. Lincoln Preparatory School (K-12- a new 42-million-dollar facility) provides exceptional learning opportunities, fostering academic excellence and leadership among students. Grambling State University, a renowned university that offers world-class higher education experience, preparing students for success in various fields.

Recreation & Outdoor Activities: Grambling City Park is a wonderful place to enjoy the outdoors. With scenic walking trails and a fishing pond. The park offers a peaceful retreat for relaxation, exercise, and community gatherings. It's the perfect spot for residents to connect with nature and each other.

Emergency Alerts: Stay informed with our Civic Ready Messaging System, which provides real-time notifications about emergencies, weather alerts, and important city updates. Sign up at (<u>https://cityofgrambling.org/community</u>) to receive timely notifications.

Online Bill Pay: Manage your utility payments, citations, and property taxes conveniently through our online bill payment system at (<u>https://cityofgrambling.org/community</u>).

Public Utilities: The city provides access to water services, electricity, and gas through various providers, ensuring reliable service for your household.

Emergency Assistance: In case of medical or safety emergencies, dial 911 for immediate help. Our Public Works team is available 24/7 for urgent issues related to streets, power outages, and water—contact them at *318-596-3144*.

Community Resources: Grambling is home to numerous local businesses, health centers, and service providers ready to support your needs. From grocery stores and pharmacies to salons and financial institutions, our city is full of opportunities for you to explore.

Volunteer Opportunities: Looking to get involved? We encourage community participation in programs such as the Beautification Committee, Parks & Recreation, and Public Safety initiatives. Your talents and enthusiasm can help make Grambling an even better place to live!

Waste Disposal & Public Works: Our dedicated Public Works team ensures efficient waste management services. For residential waste procedures and grappler truck pickup details, visit at (<u>https://cityofgrambling.org/community</u>).

As you settle into your new home, I encourage you to explore all that Grambling has to offer. Our city is rich in culture, history, and a strong sense of community pride. If you ever need assistance or have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Once again, welcome to Grambling! We are excited to have you here and look forward to building a bright future together.

Warmest Regards,

Alvin R. Bradley, Sr., M.Ed., MPA Mayor, City of Grambling