

POLICE JURY MEETING – August 1, 2022

The Allen Parish Police Jury met in regular session at the Police Jury Administration Building, Oberlin, Louisiana, August 1, 2022 at the hour of 6:30 p.m.

Present: Anthony Hebert, Allen Courville, Creig Vizena, and Heath Ardoin, John Strother. Absent: Ruffin George, Jr., Chad Sanders

Motion by Mr. Vizena seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to go into session.

The Lord's Prayer was said followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Held a public hearing to abandon the last 318 feet of Hanchey Road.

Motion by Mr. Vizena seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to abandon the last 318 feet of Hanchey Road.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Strother and carried to accept the minutes of the meeting held July 5, 2022.

The Finance Committee had the following recommendations:

- 1) Approve to pay Diamond Mowers \$3,237.60 for repairs to a boom axe for RD2.
- 2) Approve to pay AFI Construction, LLC \$6,600.00 to for a 6'9-gauge commercial fence and removal of the existing fence for RD5.
- 3) Approve to pay Cotton's Heating and Cooling \$4,138.00 to replace the 5-ton unit at the Savoy Medical Center.
- 4) Approve to pay Kenjabruch \$2,124.45 for gearbox for the bush hog in RD5.
- 5) Approve to pay Abell & Son \$1,855.84 for bush hog blades for RD1.
- 6) Pay Guillory Movers \$1,500.00 to relocate the LSU Ag Center Storage building from the CH&J.
- 7) Pay Guillory Movers \$1,500.00 to relocate the Courthouse janitor building to provide space at the Allen Outreach Parking lot.
- 8) Pay Grundy Land Management \$2,800.00 to level plumbing area, remove debris, and spread material for Allen Outreach parking lot.

Motion by Mr. Ardoin seconded by Mr. Vizena and carried to accept the recommendations of the Finance Committee.

The Road Committee had the following recommendations:

- 1) Approve a JSA with the City of Oakdale for grass cutting, pothole patching and trash pick up for the month of August, 2022.

Motion by Mr. Strother seconded by Mr. Courville and carried to accept the recommendations of the Road Committee.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried for the purchasing agent to take necessary action for fuel, materials, and supplies for the month.

Recognized Jerrie LeDoux with Congressman Mike Johnson's office.

Recognized Jackie Reviel with the Allen Parish Hospital to discuss a resolution approving a bond issue.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Vizena and carried to approve the resolution with the Allen Parish Hospital approving a bond issue.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Vizena and carried to call for a public hearing to abandon the last 160 feet of Nevils Bluff Road.

Motion by Mr. Vizona seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to call for a public hearing for the FY 2023 LCDBG Public Facilities Program.

Discussed the formation of a parish wide water system organization.

Motion by Mr. Vizona seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to approve to enter into a CEA with the LSU AgCenter for \$5,605.00 to support and Administer La Cooperative Units off campus.

Motion by Mr. Ardoin seconded by Mr. Vizona and carried to approve to appoint William Johnson to the Imperial Calcasieu Human Services Authority Board of Directors to fill the position vacated by Rita Cole.

Motion by Mr. Vizona seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to adopt a resolution to approve letter to be sent to Intentional regarding trash pickup.

Recognized Mrs. Sonnier to present the monthly inmate report. Expenses for the month of July 2022 totaled \$11,131.02. We are under budget \$6,168.98 for the month and under budget \$5,548.04 for the year. Currently there are 95 Parish and 12 DOC.

Recognized Mr. Joel Johnson for report on the airport.

Motion by Mr. Vizona seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to adjourn the meeting.

Allen Parish Police Jury
President

ATTEST:
