

## POLICE JURY MEETING – July 6, 2023

The Allen Parish Police Jury met in regular session at the Police Jury Administration Building, Oberlin, Louisiana, July 6, 2023 at the hour of 6:30 p.m.

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

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

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

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to accept the minutes of the meeting held June 5, 2023.

The Finance Committee had the following recommendations:

- 1) Approve to pay Southern Tire Mart \$5,266.73 for tires for the grader and a tractor for RD2.

Motion by Mr. Ardoin seconded by Mr. Courville 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 July, 2023.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Strother 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 Steve Derouen to discuss the 2022 audit.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to table the discussion and consideration to adopt a resolution allowing the Allen Parish Library Board members to be paid \$100.00 a meeting per diem from the Library Funds.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Strother and carried to approved the appointment of Robert Brandon on the Allen Parish Hospital Board to complete the term of Mr. Ernest Sickey.

Motion by Mr. Courville seconded by Mr. Ardoin and carried to reappoint Mrs. Brandi Croxdale to the Recreation District #6 Board of Directors.

Motion by Mr. Strother seconded by Mr. Courville and carried to approve to hire Logan Gradney full time to RD1 contingent upon meeting hiring requirements.

Motion by Mr. Ardoin seconded by Mr. Strother and carried to approve to award hometown Revitalization and Resilient Communities Infrastructure Program Grant Consulting and Engineering to Meyer, Meyer, LaCroix and Hixson.

Recognized Mrs. Sonnier to present the monthly inmate report. Expenses for the month of June 2023 totaled \$26,475.59. We are over budget \$1,642.25 for the month and over budget \$7,188.91 for the year. Currently there are 80 Parish and 15 DOC.

Recognized Mr. Joel Johnson for report on the airport.

Motion by Mr. Ardoin seconded by Mr. Courville and carried to approve to add item to the agenda:

1. Recognize Kimberly Calderera with the Allen Parish Hospital.

Recognized Kimberly Calderera with the Allen Parish Hospital.

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

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Allen Parish Police Jury  
President

ATTEST:

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