MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD AT SCOTT CITY HALL THURSDAY, October 4, 2018 AT 6:00 PM

The Mayor and City Council Members met in Regular Session, Thursday, October 4, 2018 at 6:00pm, all Councilmen were present.

Councilman Bergeron led the Prayer and Pledge.

Councilman Hollier motioned to accept the Regular Minutes of September 6, 2018 as written. Seconded by Councilman Montoucet, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Montoucet motioned to accept the August 2018 Financial Report. Seconded by Councilman Bergeron, motion carried unanimously.

There was no Mayor's Report.

Representative Bob Hensgens, Candidate for Senate, District 26 asked for support in the upcoming November 6th election.

Mr. Jerry Gaspard, Candidate for Senate, District 26 was on the Agenda but had to change date of presentation.

Mrs. Jean Menard, Candidate for Senate, District 26 asked for support in the upcoming November 6^{th} election.

Mr. Danny Hollier reminded everyone about the West Park Homeowners Association Gumbo cook off and thanked Mrs. Lambright and the Association for putting it on. Mrs. Margaret Lambright invited everyone and all candidates to participate in the cook off.

Mrs. Shelley Gautreau, City Clerk read an oral announcement as follows, The City Council of Scott, Louisiana will consider one or more resolutions calling for an election with regard to certain taxes at its meeting on November 1, 2018 at 6:00pm at 125 Lions Club Road, Scott, Louisiana.

Councilman Montoucet motioned to adopt Ordinance #2018-9, an ordinance amending Chapter 14, Sec. 14-87 of the Scott Municipal Code, regarding weed and grass cutting undertaken without notices. City Attorney, William Babin restated that notices will only have to be sent out once every twelve months instead of every six months. Motion Seconded by Councilman Hollier, motion pass unanimously.

Councilman Bergeron motioned to grant financial assistance to pay for an invoice in the amount \$2,400.76 to Jeff Laughlin Electric to convert lights to LED in apparatus bay and amend the Scott Police office, equipment, repair, and maintenance line item on the FYE 2018-2019 budget. Seconded by Councilman Richard, motion passed unanimously.

Councilman Richard motioned to amend the budget for \$13,500 to add an Administrative Assistant for the Scott Fire Department. Chief Chad Sonnier stated that the \$13,500 was to finish this fiscal year and next year bump up the part-time salary. Seconded by Councilman Montoucet, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Bergeron motioned to adopt Resolution #2018-18, which states the adopted millage rate for the City of Scott will be 3.11 mills same as year before. Seconded by Councilman Boudreaux, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Hollier motioned to approve the Louisiana Compliance Questionnaire form. Seconded by Councilman Richard, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Richard motioned to adopt Resolution #2018-17, A resolution authorizing the sales of a 2002 Ford Truck (VIN # 1FDXF46F62EB3132), 2006 Ford Truck (VIN # 1FTRF12W36NA43644) and 1992 Atlas Copco Air Compressor (Serial #355-937) owned by the City of Scott, and no longer needed for public purposes. Councilman Richard stated that \$500 would be the set minimum for the vehicles and \$100 minimum selling price the air compressor. Seconded by Councilman Montoucet, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Hollier motioned to adopt Variance from Section 8-84 of the Code of Ordinances to allow for setbacks of less than 50 feet from property boundaries at 207 Delhomme Ave. for placement of a mobile home. Mrs. Patricia Sonnier and Mrs. Theresa Verret reminded the council that the two had prepared a lot to place a mobile home on family property. The mobile home would be a rental placed next to an existing rental owned by them as well. A warrant was obtained previously since then ordinances pertaining to mobile homes in the City of Scott have changed twice. The Planning Commission granted a new warrant on September 18, 2018 and the variance that is being requested is for the 50 ft. setback. Seconded by Councilman Montoucet, motion failed. Councilman Bergeron, Councilman Richard, and Councilman Boudreaux voted not in favor.

Mrs. Elaine Larive requested Variance-Building Setbacks Article IV, Section 8-83 for the following address 118 Jerome Road. After a brief discussion among Councilmembers and Mrs. Larive decided she would re-draw the plat because the variance would not be practical for future use of the property. Request for variance died for lack of motion.

Councilman Montoucet motioned to amend the capital budget for \$70,000 out of the Lace account for vehicles and equipment. Two new police vehicles and additional four cameras and equipment will be purchased. Chief Leger also state that once new vehicles are purchased two Crown Victoria's will be sold at the auction. Seconded by Councilman Richard, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Richard motioned to adopt Resolution #2018-19, a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an intergovernmental agreement between the Lafayette City Parish Consolidated Government and the City of Scott concerning the maintenance of Coulee Ile des Cannes, Lateral 8B and other channels. This agreement will give LCG permission to clean five channels without any cost to the City. Seconded by Councilman Montoucet, motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 6:52pm.

Purvis J. Morrison

Mayor

Shelley M. Gautreau

City Clerk