

**MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING
HELD AT SCOTT CITY HALL
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2020, 2020 AT 6:00 PM**

The Mayor and City Council Members met in Regular Session, Thursday, September 3, 2020, all Councilmen were present.

Councilman Hollier led the Prayer and Pledge.

Councilman Montoucet motioned to accept the minutes from the August 6, 2020 meeting as written. Seconded by Councilman Boudreaux, motion approved.

Councilman Boudreaux motioned to accept the July 2020 Financial Statement. Seconded by Councilman Hollier.

The Mayor's Report included a reminder about the Household Hazardous Waste Day, to be held on Saturday, September 12th, 2020. CERES Debris Removal Co. will begin picking up Hurricane Laura storm debris on September 8, 2020. A Town Hall Meeting will be held on September 22, 2020 at 6pm to discuss Detention Ponds and Drainage. The overlay of Westgate Road began and will be completed approximately by April 2021.

Mrs. Anna Doucet reported that utility relocation for Apollo Road Phase 2 & 3 will begin on September 21st. The engineering contract will be advertised for St. Mary St. sidewalk project. Mr. Mark Savoy with Groom's Engineering reported that the overlay project was delayed due to the storm but should start by September 14th, 2020.

The following candidates asked for support in the upcoming November 3, 2020 election.

Candidate for District Attorney, Donald Landry
Candidate for Lafayette City Marshal, Kip Judice
Candidate for Justice of the Peace, Kelly Sonnier
Candidate for District Judge Division M, Susan Theall

Councilman Bergeron gave a brief Census Update.

Councilman Boudreaux motioned to adopt Ordinance 2020-15, an ordinance amending Appendix C of the municipal code to revise, enact and adopt fines and penalties for traffic and misdemeanor violations committed within the corporate limits of the City of Scott. No discussion. Seconded by Councilman Hollier, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Montoucet motioned to adopt Resolution 2020-30 which is to keep the Millage Rate at 4.12 mills. This will not increase the property tax rate for residents, but the City is projected to collect about \$26,000 less

property tax revenue. Seconded by Councilman Hollier, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Montoucet motioned to approve the Louisiana Compliance Questionnaire. Seconded by Councilman Boudreaux.

Councilman Montoucet introduced Ordinance 2020-16, an ordinance amending Chapter 38 Utilities, Article III. Sewer System, Secs. 38-61, 38-63, 38-64, and 38-67. Ordinance 2020-16 will be up for adoption at the next regular Council Meeting scheduled for Thursday, October 6, 2020 at 6pm.

Councilman Suire motioned to approve a variance for Mobile Home Ordinance Section 8-84 to allow setbacks of less than 50 feet from property boundaries. The property located east side of 1818 Roper Drive. Seconded by Councilman Hollier, motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Richard led a discussion what direction the Council would like to take on the Community Center (the old Fire station) located at 302 Lions Club Road. The building is rarely being used and needs repairs. Chief Leger stated that the police department is storing a few items to keep out of the weather but would find storage elsewhere if building were to be demolished. No comments were made by Councilmen.

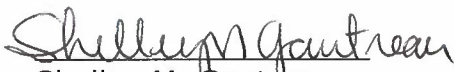
Councilman Boudreaux motioned to add an item to the agenda. Seconded by Councilman Hollier, motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Boudreaux motioned to amend the budget in the amount of \$75,000 for a Traffic Impact Study and Coordination with DOTD for LA 93 (I-10 Ramps to Renaud Drive). Seconded by Councilman Montoucet, motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.



Jan-Scott Richard
Mayor



Shelley M. Gautreau
City Clerk