

# Vikings

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“Coach Alonzo came to me before the season and told me I was close to starting, but I would have to get better at blocking,” Spillers said. “He told me I could come out and work with him and Coach (Larry) Legg. It was like having a math teacher taking you home to tutor you.”

Hibbs, who set Vidalia High rushing records his junior and season seasons, said the emotions ran high for that contest, much like a Vidalia-Ferriday game.

The Vidalia Town Council and Mayor Sydney Murray had proclaimed that day as “Vidalia Viking Day.”

Alonzo, who joined Vidalia as Foster’s assistant coach in 1964 after a successful run at Cathedral, had his troops more than ready for the contest.

“Coach Alonzo studied the game and we were very disciplined playing under him,” Spillers said. “He believed in physical training. Everything was very basic. It was three yards and a cloud of dust.”

To show the Vikings were able to recover from the early setback, Vidalia took the second kick and marched 64 yards to paydirt with quarterback Billy Wiggins scoring from one yard out. The kick failed.

Late in the second quarter, the Wildcats moved to the Vidalia 21-yard line, but Vidalia’s defense toughened. Dimak then hit a 40-yard field goal from a slight angle to give Buras a 10-6 halftime lead.

“That was the first time anyone ever kicked a field goal against us,” Hibbs said.

Guey said Dimak was actually a starting tailback going into the season.

“We were going somewhere and I was driving about 10 miles per hour when a dump truck pulled out in front of me,” Guey said. “Pete broke his arm. He sat on the sidelines in a cast. About halfway through the season he just started practicing kicking the football.

Following a scoreless third quarter, the Vikings took their only lead in the games Wiggins connected with Allen Grabert on a 38-yard TD play. Alvin “Moose” Frazier, who rushed for 546 yards that year, added the conversion kick for a 13-10 Viking lead.

Guey heard a lot of ruckus while in the visiting dressing room at halftime.

“We were in the lockerroom wondering what was going on,” Guey said. “Just before we went back on the field, our fans got out of the bleachers and made a tunnel from the lockerroom to the field.

We were thinking, ‘Look how much they love us.’ That turned the energy on for us.”

Vidalia recovered a Buras fumble on the Buras 33-yard line with 4:25 remaining in the game.

But Vidalia was stopped on downs at the Wildcat 15-yard line.

Fullback Carlos Guttry carried the ball to the 40-yard line on a couple of carries.

“Carlos would throw up before every game,” Guey said. “He did not do it before the Vidalia game and we were worried about that. But when we were almost to the field, he turned around and went in the lockerroom and threw up. We were like, ‘Thank you, Lord.’”

Following a 2-yard loss and a run, Buras faced third and very short. That’s when the the play of the game happened, Guey said.

“We had about three third downs we just made, with the last one Mays lunging to the get first down,” Guey said. “And we also had a play where they tackled our receiver before he caught the ball and we got the interference call.”

Guey hit Gary Mays on a 62-yard pass play for the winning score. Dimak added the point-after kick.

“We got the call to play in real tight,”

Hibbs said. “They faked a dive play and their quarterback lobbed the ball over everybody and their man walked into the end zone. That was one of the most disappointing losses I have ever been a part of.”

“We sent two men downfield and then they went off toward the sideline and Mays went down the middle of the field,” Guey said. “I remember seeing his No. 13 and one of Vidalia’s linemen knocked the crap out of me. When I looked up, Gary was crossing the goal line and threw the ball straight up in the air.”

Vidalia linebacker and kicker Danny Ford remembers that play, as well, from a different perspective.

Ford, a sophomore that season, broke his arm earlier in a junior varsity game and was walking up and down the sideline until the final minutes.

“The coaches had asked me to go up to the press box and get the stats,” Ford said. “It was really tough to watch that game from the sideline. But when I was coming down the steps. I looked up and saw the pass and them go into the end zone. That was really, really tough.”

Guey said Guttry and Mays ran a 10-flat in the 100-yard dash.

“They had a halfback who was like trying to catch a greased pig,” Vidalia lineman Alford Beach said. “He would be looking at you, and then he was gone.”

Hibbs was held well below his season average.

“They had two people following me everywhere I went,” Hibbs said.

“Hibbs and Wiggins were tough son of a guns,” Guey said

Late in the third quarter of that game, Mike Morgan returned a punt 51 yards to the Kinder 6-yard line, but the Vikings fumbled the ball away at the Yellow Jacket 2-yard line.

Wiggins was intercepted by Mays at midfield on Vidalia’s final series and the Wildcats ran out the clock.

“I was crying after the game because we lost the game and I also lost my horse,” Beach said. “My dad promised me if we won that game he was going to get me a horse.”

“We had people on the field hugging and crying,” Guey said. “They finally just turned the lights out on us.”

As a matter of fact, the partying seemed to start way before the game.

Walter Stampley, who started the Vi-

-See **VIKINGS**, page **8B**

# Public Notices

STATE OF LOUISIANA 7TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT VS SUIT NUMBER: 51913  
 PARISH OF CONCORDIA VIDALIA, LOUISIANA  
**NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE AND APPRAISAL NOTICE**  
 CONCORDIA BANK AND TRUST COMPANY VS SUIT NUMBER: 51913  
 ADEENIH REAL STATE LLC AND ALI MOHAMED ABDULLAH  
 WRIT OF: WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS

By virtue of above WRIT issued from the Honorable 7th Judicial District Court in and for the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, in the above-entitled number and cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale the following described property to-wit:

**LOT NO. 183, UNIT 3, TOWN OF RIDGECREST, in Concordia Parish, Louisiana. Together with all buildings and improvements located thereon. SUBJECT TO all servitudes and easement recorded or unrecorded, and whether existing by convention, usage or operation of law.**

DATE OF SALE: **September 2, 2020**  
 PLACE OF SALE: Second Floor, Concordia Parish Courthouse Vidalia, Louisiana  
 TIME OF SALE: 10:00 AM  
 TERMS OF SALE: Cash WITH benefit of appraisalment.  
 DAVID K. HEDRICK, JR., SHERIFF  
 BY: Laci Darcey  
 (Deputy Sheriff)  
 Advertise July 22, 2020  
 Advertise August 26, 2020

IF APPLICABLE, YOU MAY NAME AN APPRAISER TO VALUE THE PROPERTY IN THE ABOVE CAPTIONED SUIT AND TO NOTIFY THE SHERIFF OF YOUR APPOINTMENT NO LATER THAN TWO DAYS BEFORE THE SALE. SHOULD YOU FAIL TO APPOINT AN APPRAISER, THE SHERIFF SHALL APPOINT AN APPRAISER FOR YOU.

STATE OF LOUISIANA 7TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
 PARISH OF CONCORDIA VIDALIA, LOUISIANA  
**NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE AND APPRAISAL NOTICE**  
 JPMORGAN CHASE BANK VS SUIT NUMBER: 52636  
 BRADLEY J MATHIS AIK/A BRADLEY JAY MATHIS AIKIA BRAD MATHIS  
 WRIT OF: WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE

By virtue of above WRIT issued from the Honorable 7th Judicial District Court in and for the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, in the above-entitled number and cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale the following described property to-wit:

**SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT “A”**  
 ATTACHED TO MORTGAGE EXECUTED BY BRADLEY J. MATHIS IN FAVOR OF JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. DATE: AUGUST 20, 2008

**PROPERTY DESCRIPTION**  
 LOT 149, GILLESPIE HEIGHTS, THIRD DEVELOPMENT, in the Town of Vidalia, in Concordia Parish, Louisiana, as shown on map or plat recorded in Conveyance Book J-7, page 291, of the records of Concordia Parish, Louisiana.

Together with all buildings and improvements thereon.  
 DATE OF SALE: **Septmeber 2, 2020**  
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STATE OF LOUISIANA 7TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
 PARISH OF CONCORDIA VIDALIA, LOUISIANA  
**NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE AND APPRAISAL NOTICE**  
 CONCORDIA BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

VS SUIT NUMBER: 52364  
 JOHN RUSSELL CUMMINGS AND DEBORAH M. ROBERTS  
 WRIT OF: WRIT OF FIERI FACIAS

By virtue of above WRIT issued from the Honorable 7th Judicial District Court in and for the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, in the above-entitled number and cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale the following described property to-wit:

**SEE “EXHIBIT A”**  
**Exhibit A**  
 ALL OF LOT NO. 87 of VAIL ACRES, SECOND DEVELOPMENT, as shown on a map drawn by Richard Logan, Engineer, and recorded in Plat Cab. No. 1, Envelope 153A, Document No. 144287 on August 27, 1979, in the records of Concordia Parish, Louisiana.

Together with one 1985 Tang Mobile Home, VIN# ALG8580140366.  
 Appearer does further acknowledge and declare that the above-described manufactured home was permanently attached to the immovable property described above, pursuant to that one certain Act of Immobilization, dated December 3, 2007, and recorded on December 7, 2007, as Document No. 265209, in COB 427, page 163, in the conveyance records of Concordia Parish, Louisiana. Appearer does further acknowledge and declare that the said mobile home shall remain permanently attached to the above described lot and shall become a permanent part of the immovable property all in accordance with LSA R.S. 9:1149.4.  
 895 Eagle Road  
 DATE OF SALE: **SEPTEMBER 2, 2020**  
 PLACE OF SALE: Second Floor, Concordia Parish Courthouse Vidalia, Louisiana  
 TIME OF SALE: 10:00 AM  
 TERMS OF SALE: Cash WITH benefit of appraisalment

DAVID HEDRICK, SHERIFF  
 BY: Laci Darcey  
 (Deputy Sheriff)  
 Advertise July 22, 2020  
 Advertise August 26, 2020

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STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF CONCORDIA  
 7TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT VIDALIA, LOUISIANA  
**NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE AND APPRAISAL NOTICE**  
 DELTA BANK VS SUIT NUMBER: 52333  
 ALI M ABDULLA  
 WRIT OF: WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE

By virtue of above WRIT issued from the Honorable 7th Judicial District Court in and for the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, in the above-entitled number and cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale the following described property to-wit:

**Lots Twenty-three and Twenty-four (23 & 24) of Block One (I) of Woodland Subdivision of The Town of Ferriday, Louisiana as shown by plat being duly recorded in Conveyance Book Q-5, at page 85 of the records of Concordia Parish, Louisiana.**

DATE OF SALE: **AUGUST 26, 2020**  
 PLACE OF SALE: Second Floor, Concordia Parish Courthouse Vidalia, Louisiana  
 TIME OF SALE: 10:00 AM  
 TERMS OF SALE: Cash WITH benefit of appraisalment.  
 Advertise July 15, 2020  
 August 19, 2020  
 DAVID HEDRICK, SHERIFF  
 BY: Laci Darcey  
 Deputy Sheriff

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**NOTICE: BE IT KNOWN THAT, The Town of Ridgcrest will be voting on Article II Water Service Section Utilities 44-34 (outlined below) in the Regular General session/meeting to be held on Tuesday, August 11, 2020 at The Ridgcrest Village Hall located at 116 Foster Drive, Ridgcrest, La.**

**Article II: Water Service Amended Section Utilities 44-34**  
 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMAN OF THE VILLAGE OF RIDGECREST, LOUISIANA, THAT UNDER UTILITIES, SECTION 44-34 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, VILLAGE OF RIDGECREST, LOUISIANA, IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

SEC. 44-34: Rates  
 The rates for water furnished monthly shall be as follow:  

RESIDENTAL	COMMERCIAL
First 1500 Gallons \$28.00	First 1500 Gallons \$45.00
Over 1500 Gallons \$ 5.65/Thousand	Over 1500 Gallons \$5.65

  
 The Monthly minimum charge is \$28.00 with \$5.65 per thousand thereafter for residents and for commercial property the minimum charge is \$45.00 with \$5.65 per thousand thereafter.  
 Article II, Sec 44-34 as originally written accepting only for the amendments attached, except in conflict herein, is hereby reenacted and as amended, remains in full force and effect.  
 (Ord. 57, Sec. 5)  
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**THE August 12, 2020 MINERAL LEASE SALE NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OFFICE OF MINERAL RESOURCES ON BEHALF OF THE STATE MINERAL AND ENERGY BOARD FOR THE STATE OF LOUISIANA BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA 70821**

Notice is hereby given in conformity with La. R.S. 30:126 that sealed bids will be received in the Office of Mineral Resources, LaSalle Office Building, Baton Rouge, Louisiana (P. O. Box 2827, Baton Rouge, LA 70821) **on or before 12:00 noon on Tuesday, August 11, 2020** for a lease to explore, drill for and produce oil, gas and any other liquid or gaseous minerals in solution and produced with oil or gas on the following described tracts (**Tract Nos. 45346 through 45349, inclusive**). The sealed bids shall be opened publicly on **Wednesday, August 12, 2020** in the LaSalle Office Building, 617 N. 3rd Street, Capitol Complex, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

The descriptions for the Tract(s) nominated below were, for the purpose of acquiring a mineral lease(s) or a geophysical agreement(s), provided and recorded exclusively by the nominating party. Therefore, any mineral lease(s) or geophysical agreement(s) awarded by the Louisiana State Mineral and Energy Board (Mineral Board) from the Tract(s) listed below are without warranty of any kind, either express, implied or statutory including, but not limited to, title or the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose.

An error or omission in the nominating party’s Tract description may require that a State mineral lease(s) or geophysical agreement(s) be modified, canceled or abrogated due to the existence of conflicting leases, operating agreements, private claims or other future obligations or conditions within the Tract(s) described. In such case, however, the Mineral Board shall not be obligated to refund any consideration paid by the Lessee prior to such modification, cancellation or abrogation including, but not limited to, bonuses, rentals and royalties.

Tract(s) available for leasing may be situated in the Louisiana Coastal Zone as defined in Act 361 of the Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature of 1978 (promulgated as LSA-R. S. 49:213) and may be subject to the guidelines and regulations promulgated by the Office of Coastal Management of the Department of Natural Resources for operations in the Coastal Zone.

Further, in accordance with Article XII, Section 10 of the Constitution of Louisiana, and notwithstanding any language herein to the contrary, any mineral rights granted by the Mineral and Energy Board to the tract(s) advertised herein are subject to the surface usage for integrated coastal protection or hurricane and flood protection projects promulgated, funded and effected through the State of Louisiana, the Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority, the Louisiana Office of Coastal Protection and Restoration, and the Department of Natural Resources and its divisions, whether solely or in conjunction with other state, local or federal governmental agencies or with private individuals or entities.

Bids may be for the whole or any particularly described portion of the land advertised, but no bids will be accepted that does not equal the **Minimum Royalty** as set forth in La. R.S. 30:127 or which are not in compliance with the provisions of Sub-part A of Chapter 2, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, other applicable laws or the guidelines established by the Board through the Office of Mineral Resources. The Minimum Royalty is not to be construed as an amount acceptable to the Mineral Board, it being the policy of the Mineral Board to reject any bid which does not reflect tract potential. The Board considers bonus, royalty percentage, and also compares royalty granted to landowners in the area.

Multiple portion bids on the same tract may be accepted by the Mineral Board, even though they overlap. In the case of overlapping portion bids on the same tract, each of which is otherwise acceptable to the State, the Mineral Board has the sole discretion, to determine which one of the multiple bids on the same tract is most advantageous and in the best interest of the State. The Mineral Board may base its decision on factors such as but not limited to the royalty, per acre cash payment, bonus, any additional consideration. The selected bid, (referred to as “Bid A”), will be given priority in having a lease issued. The Mineral Board will also indicate the acceptability of other portion bids on the same tract, if any, in the order of their acceptance (referred to respectively as “Bid B”, “Bid C”, etc.). Once the plat of “Bid A”’s portion has been rendered as accurately as possible, “Bid B” will be contacted and given an option to take a lease on the remaining portion of his portion bid acreage not overlapping “Bid A”’s bid portion, at “Bid B”’s per acre bid price (both as to bonus and rental); and thereafter, each successive bidder whose bid is otherwise acceptable will be given the option to take a lease on whatever portion remains of his portion bid acreage at his respective per acre bid price, less and except any prior portion bid acreage on which the successful bidder has opted to take a lease.

The Mineral and Energy Board does not obligate itself to accept any bid, and that acceptance is at the sole discretion of the Mineral Board which reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to grant a lease on any portion of the tract advertised and to withdraw the remainder of the tract.

Refer to the “**Notice of Publication**” for the general guidelines, minimum requirements, and additional notes associated with each tract advertised. The “**Notice of Publication**” can be found at: <http://www.dnr.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/page/1454>.

**The rights to geothermal resources, free sulphur, potash, lignite, salt and other solid minerals are to be excluded from any oil or gas mineral lease and any bid purporting to include those rights will be disregarded as to the extent of those rights only.**

If you require accommodations due to a disability in order to attend or par-

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# Public Notices

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icipate in a meeting, please notify the Office of Mineral Resources at P.O. Box 2827, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-2827 or 225-342-4615 at least two (2) working days before the meeting date.

**The State Mineral and Energy Board approved a new State Lease Form at the October 9, 2019 meeting. The new lease form will apply to all leases awarded beginning with the December 2019 Lease Sale. Additionally, the Royalty Reduction Program that was adopted by the Board at its July 10, 2019 meeting, will be effective beginning with the leases granted at the December 2019 Lease Sale.**

**INLAND TRACTS (Tract Nos. 45346 through 45347 inclusive, herein cannot specify a lease primary term exceeding three (3) years).**

#### TRACT 45347 - Concordia Parish, Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of all water bodies of every nature and description as to which title is vested in the State of Louisiana, together with all islands arising therein and other lands formed by accretion or by reliction, where allowed by law, excepting tax adjudicated lands, and not presently under mineral lease on August 12, 2020, situated in Concordia Parish, Louisiana, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point having Coordinates of X = 2,336,761.02 and Y = 372,648.82; thence East 2,640.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,339,401.02 and Y = 372,648.82; thence South 2,640.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,339,401.02 and Y = 370,008.82; thence West 2,640.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,336,761.02 and Y = 370,008.82; thence North 2,640.00 feet to the point of beginning, containing approximately **69 acres**.

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#### BID NOTICE

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**, that the Concordia Parish School Board will receive sealed bids until 2:00 p.m., August 13, 2020, at the Central Administrative Office Building, 4358 Hwy 84 West, Vidalia, Louisiana 71373 for the construction of a High School Gymnasium. Any proposal received after the posted closing time will be returned unopened. Bids may also be submitted electronically by visiting [www.centralbidding.com](http://www.centralbidding.com).

The bids will be opened and read aloud in public at the regular scheduled meeting of the Concordia Parish School Board on Thursday, August 13, 2020, at 6:00 o'clock p.m. Referenced bid opening is to be held at the system's administrative office building, room 124.

Bid documents are being made available via electronic copy. Plan holders are required to register for an account at [www.m3aarchplans.com](http://www.m3aarchplans.com) to view Bid Documents. To obtain electronically, contact Plan House Printing for cost of electronic files. Printed copies are not available through the Architect. Plan holders will be responsible for their own reproduction cost. Questions regarding website registration and online orders please contact Plan House Printing at (662) 407-0193. Questions regarding plan clarifications or request for information should be directed to the architect as follows:

M3A Architecture PLLC  
William L. McElroy AIA, NCARB  
Phone: 601-981-1227 / Fax: (601) 983-4444  
Email: [pmckay@m3aarch.com](mailto:pmckay@m3aarch.com)  
Attn: Preston McKay, Project Manager

A **mandatory pre-bid conference** will be held on July 30, 2020, at 11:00 a.m. at Monterey School, 5920 Highway 129, Monterey, Louisiana 71354. **All contractors submitting bids on this project are required to attend.**

Contractors have the option of submitting bids electronically at [www.centralbidding.com](http://www.centralbidding.com) in lieu of sealed bids.

The successful bidder will be allowed Three Hundred and Sixty Five (365) calendar days from the date of issuance of Notice to Proceed to complete the base bid scope of the project. Liquidated damages will be assessed at the rate of \$1,000.00 per day for each calendar day the work is not substantially complete.

All bids must be accompanied by bid security equal to five percent (5%) of the sum of the base bid and all alternates, and must be in form of a certified check, cashier's check or a Bid Bond written by a surety company licensed to do business in the State of Louisiana, signed by the surety's agency or attorney-in-fact. Surety must be listed on the current U.S. Department of Treasury Financial Management Service list of approved bonding companies as approved for an amount equal to or greater than the amount for which it obligates itself in the Bond, or must be a Louisiana domiciled insurance company with a least an A-rating by the A.M. Best Rating.

The successful bidder shall be required to furnish a Performance and a Payment Bond written by a company licensed to do business in the State of Louisiana, each in an amount equal to 100% of the contract amount. Surety must be listed on the U.S. Department of Treasury Financial Management Service list as approved for an amount equal to or greater than the contract amount, or must be an insurance company domiciled in the State of Louisiana or owned by Louisiana residents. The Bond shall be signed by the surety's agent or attorney-in-fact.

Bids shall be accepted from Contractors who are licensed under LA R.S. 37:2150-2192 for the classification of **Building Construction**. Contractors shall certify that they hold an active license and are required to display their license number on the exterior of sealed bid envelope. If the bid does not contain the contractor's certification and show the contractor's license number on the bid envelope, the bid shall be automatically rejected, shall be returned to the bidder marked "Rejected", and shall not be read aloud. Bidders are required to comply with applicable provisions and requirements of LA R.S. 38:2212. No Bid may be withdrawn after receipt except under the provisions of LA R.S. 38:2214.

Bids may be withheld by the Owner for a period not to exceed forty-five (45) days from the date of the opening of bids for the purpose of review and investigation of the bidder's qualifications, prior to the awarding of the contract.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids and to waive any irregularities in the bidding procedure without obligation to or notification of any bidder.

Concordia Parish School Board  
M3A Architecture, PLLC  
Thomas H.O'Neal, Director Business Affairs/CFO  
Preston McKay, Project Manager

Please publish:  
July 15, 2020,  
July 22, 2020  
July 29, 2020

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City of Vidalia (Owner/Buyer), electronically at [medwards@bha-engineers.com](mailto:medwards@bha-engineers.com) or mailed to the office of the Engineer at Bryant Hammett & Associates, LLC, 6885 Hwy. 84, Ferriday, Louisiana 71334, **until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 6, 2020** for the project described as follows:

#### City of Vidalia Electrical Upgrades Industrial Park Steel/Switch Packaged Substation & Vidalia Steel/Switch Packaged Substation Addition

Due to the requirements for COVID-19, bids will not be publicly opened. **Bids will be read aloud via conference call at 2:30 p.m. by calling (712)770-5505 ID: 630-738-215.**

**Any bids submitted after 2:00 p.m., Local Time, on Thursday, August 6, 2020 will not be considered.**

The project consist of furnishing steel, switches, bus, potential transformers, and hardware for a complete packaged substation for the new Industrial Park Substation and for the addition at the existing Vidalia Substation.

Bidders submitting bids electronically are required to provide the same documents as bidders submitting through the mail. These items include, but are not limited to the Bid Form and Corporate Resolution. Regardless of the bid results, the bidder will have 48 hours from opening of the bids to provide the City of Vidalia the original bid documents. If a bidder fails to provide the original hard copies of these documents within 48 hours of the bid opening, their bid shall be considered nonresponsive.

**Bidders interested in bidding must be registered with the Engineer and obtain Procurement Bid Documents from the Engineer in order to submit a bid.** Electronic bidding documents may be requested by email at [bhalic@bha-engineers.com](mailto:bhalic@bha-engineers.com) or by phone (318)757-6576.

The Owner cannot waive any informalities on the bid form. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids in accordance with the Public Bid Law.

The contractor may withdraw a bid by affidavit within 48 hours of the bid opening in accordance LA R.S. 38:2214.C; for patently obvious, unintentional and substantial mechanical, clerical or mathematical errors.

The Bids will remain subject to acceptance for ninety (90) days after the Bid opening, or for such longer period of time that Bidder may agree to in writing upon request of Owner.

City of Vidalia  
Buz Craft, Mayor

Publication: The Concordia Sentinel  
Dates: July 15, 2020

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

Central Louisiana Technical Community College is applying for reaffirmation of accreditation with the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education. Persons wishing to make comments should either write to the Executive Director of the Commission, Council on Occupational Education, 7840 Roswell Road, Building 300, Suite 325, Atlanta, Georgia 30350, or submit their comments through the Council's web site ([www.council.org](http://www.council.org)). Persons making comments must provide their names and mailing addresses.

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#### Safe Drinking water Act: Lake St John Waterworks District 1

Part XII of the Louisiana State Sanitary Code requires the notice include the following statements:

The Lake St .John Waterworks District 1 is currently in violation of the maximum contaminant level (MCL) for ha/ocetic acids as set forth by the State [Part XII of the Louisiana State Sanitary Code (LAC 51:XII)J and the Federal Primary Drinking Water Regulations (40 CFR Part 141).

111e United State.s Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) set drinking water standards and requires the disinfection of drinking water. Where disinfection is used in the treatment of drinking water, disi71ectants combine with naturally occurring organic and inorganic matter present in water to form chemicals called disinfection byproducts (DBPs). EPA and WH set standards for controlling the levels of disinfectants and DBPs in drinking water, including triha/omethanes(IHMs) andhaloacetic acid(HA. As). Some people who drink water containing HAA5s in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

In December 1998, EPA set enforceable drinking water standards for ITHMs at 80 parts per billion (ppb) and for HAAS at 60 parts per billion (ppb) to reduce the risk of cancer or other adverse health effects. Compliance with the HAA.5 standard is determined by calculating a locational running annual average (LRAA) of quarterly HAA5 sample results. Compliance calculations performed for the second quarter of 2020 show that the system's current HAAS LRAA is 69 ppb al DBP02- 5861 HWY 568; thus, the system is currently in violation of the HAA.5 standard.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may

not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses).

This is not an emergency. If it had been, you would have been notified immediately. EPA and LOH do not consider this violation to have any serious adverse health effects on human health as a result of short -term exposure; however, continued long-term exposure to TTHMs and HAAS levels above the standard (e.g. , 20 years of exposure) has the potential to have serious adverse effects on human health.

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### LCDBG PERFORMANCE AND FAIR HOUSING INFORMATIONAL HEARINGS

The Town of Ferriday will conduct two public hearings on Wednesday, July 29, 2020, at 10:00 a.m., at the Town Hall, 1116 Second Street, Ferriday, Louisiana.

The purpose of the first public hearing is to receive comments on the Town's performance on its FY 2019 Louisiana Community Development Block Grant Program for Sewer Improvements, LCDBG Contract No. 2000449751. The Town of Ferriday will submit close-out documents on this LCDBG Program to the Louisiana Division of Administration. This LCDBG program's objective is the principal benefit to low-to-moderate income persons, and the LCDBG Grant amount was \$354,761.00.

The second public hearing, a Fair Housing Informational Hearing, will be conducted following the closeout hearing. The purpose of this public hearing is to discuss the Fair Housing Act and to answer all questions concerning this act.

All residents, particularly low-to-moderate income persons and residents of slum and blighted areas of the Town, are invited to attend and provide input regarding this project. Those residents unable to attend these public hearings may submit their written comments to the Town of Ferriday 1116 Second Street, Ferriday, LA 71334-2272, prior to the public hearing date.

Accommodations will be made for individuals with disabilities and an interpreter will be provided for non-English speaking individuals, provided that the Town receives a three (3) day notice prior to the public hearing date.

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#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE PARISH OF CONCORDIA, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2020.

The School Board of the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, met in Special Session VIA ZOOM, on Tuesday, May 26, 2020, at 6:00 o'clock p.m. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Fred Butcher who after prayer and the Pledge, declared that the Board was ready for the transaction of business.

Members present were Mrs. Dorothy Parker, Mr. Fred Butcher, Mr. Derrick Carson, Mr. John Bostic, Ms. Angela Hayes, Mrs. Lisette Forman, and Dr. Raymond Riley.

Board Member Mr. Warren Enterkin was absent.

Superintendent Shirley read the Three Options for 2020 Graduation that were developed from a committee made up of CPSB principals, directors, students, and parents.

After a brief discussion, it was moved by Dr. Riley to not accept any of the 3 options and wait until at least July to see what Phase we would be in. Motion died due to lack of a second.

It was moved by Mr. Bostic and seconded by Mrs. Forman to set a date after July 12 and to have a traditional graduation with a limited number of seating and to let the superintendent and the principals set the exact date. After a discussion, Mr. Bostic rescinded his motion.

It was moved by Dr. Riley, seconded by Mrs. Parker and carried to tentatively plan for a traditional graduation for all seniors during the week of July 13-17, 2020; and, if the State is still not in the Phase where we can open up by July 15, 2020, all principals will be told to have an alternative plan for a virtual graduation.

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Warren Enterkin - Absent  
Mrs. Dorothy Parker - Yea  
Dr. Raymond Riley - Yea  
Mr. Derrick Carson - Yea  
Mr. Fred Butcher - Yea  
Mr. John Bostic - Yea  
Ms. Angela Hayes - Yea  
Mrs. Lisette Forman - Yea  
Mr. Ricky Raven - Yea

It was moved by Dr. Riley, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried that the current Receptionist be transferred to the Offices of Director of Elementary Education and Curriculum and the Director of Secondary Education as an Administrative Assistant; and, to also advertise for a Front Desk Receptionist at the CPSB Central Office.

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Warren Enterkin - Absent  
Mrs. Dorothy Parker - Yea  
Dr. Raymond Riley - Yea  
Mr. Derrick Carson - Yea  
Mr. Fred Butcher - Yea  
Mr. John Bostic - Yea  
Ms. Angela Hayes - Yea  
Mrs. Lisette Forman - Yea  
Mr. Ricky Raven - Yea

It was moved by Dr. Riley, seconded by Mrs. Parker and carried to adjourn at 7:00 p.m.

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#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE PARISH OF CONCORDIA, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A PUBLIC HEARING HELD ON THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2020

The School Board of the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, met in a Public Hearing via Zoom Teleconference on Thursday, June 11, 2020, at 6:00 o'clock p.m.

The Public Hearing was called to order by Mr. Fred Butcher who after prayer and the Pledge, declared that the Board was ready for the transaction of business.

Members present were Mr. Warren Enterkin, Mrs. Dorothy Parker, Dr. Raymond Riley, Mr. Derrick Carson, Mr. Fred Butcher, Mr. John Bostic, Ms. Angela Hayes, Mrs. Lisette Forman, and Mr. Ricky Raven.

Mr. Butcher turned the floor over to Mr. Tom O'Neal, Director of Business Affairs. Mr. O'Neal explained the purpose of the hearing which was to discuss the Ad Valorem Tax Millages for 2020, and to allow public input. Mr. O'Neal explained the amount of the millages as follows:

Maintenance and Operation of System	24.49 mills
Additional Construction and Operations	12.73 mills
Constitutiona	2.78 mills

Mr. O'Neal read the Resolution on the millages. The Board solicited questions from the public. There were no questions. It was moved by Mrs. Parker, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried to close the public hearing at 6:06 p.m.

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#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE PARISH OF CONCORDIA, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR MEETING VIA ZOOM TELECONFERENCE HELD ON THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2020

The School Board of the Parish of Concordia, State of Louisiana, met in Regular Session via Zoom Teleconference on Thursday, June 11, 2020, at 6:09 o'clock p.m. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Fred Butcher.

Members present were Mr. Warren Enterkin, Mrs. Dorothy Parker, Dr. Raymond Riley, Mr. Derrick Carson, Mr. Fred Butcher, Mr. John Bostic, Ms. Angela Hayes, Mrs. Lisette Forman, and Mr. Ricky Raven.

Committee Reports were presented. (see attached)

It was moved by Dr. Riley, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on May 7, 2020, and the Special Meeting held on May 26, 2020.

It was moved by Mr. Bostic, seconded by Dr. Riley and carried to approve invoices in the amount of \$3,812,072 for the month of June.

It was moved by Mr. Raven, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried to approve the adoption of the ad valorem tax millages for 2020.

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Warren Enterkin - Yea  
Mrs. Dorothy Parker - Yea  
Dr. Raymond Riley - Yea  
Mr. Derrick Carson - Yea  
Mr. Fred Butcher - Yea  
Mr. John Bostic - Yea  
Ms. Angela Hayes - Yea  
Mrs. Lisette Forman - Yea  
Mr. Ricky Raven - Yea

It was moved by Mr. Bostic, seconded by Mrs. Parker and carried to approve the following Resolution for Sales and Use Tax Collection and Administration:

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Warren Enterkin - Yea  
Mrs. Dorothy Parker - Yea  
Dr. Raymond Riley - Yea  
Mr. Derrick Carson - Yea  
Mr. Fred Butcher - Yea  
Mr. John Bostic - Yea  
Ms. Angela Hayes - Yea  
Mrs. Lisette Forman - Yea  
Mr. Ricky Raven - Yea

#### RESOLUTION SALES AND USE TAX COLLECTION AND ADMINISTRATION

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 3 of the Louisiana Constitution provides that local sales and use taxes are to be collected by a single collector in each parish;

WHEREAS, Article VII, Section 3 also provides for the use of a parish commission or one of the local political subdivisions to serve as the single parish collector of local sales and use taxes;

WHEREAS, the authority to "collect" local sales and use taxes has been determined by the Courts to include the authority to administer the collection, including making decisions as to when to audit persons or businesses thought to be unlawfully evading taxation or, in some cases, collecting sales taxes on transactions and failing to fully remit them to the local collector;

WHEREAS, School Boards serve as the single parish collector of local sales and use taxes in over thirty (30) parishes, including the Parish of Concordia;

WHEREAS, there are interest groups that desire to amend the LA Constitution to allow the Legislature to repeal or impair the authority of local governments to control the collection of local sales taxes and place that authority with the State, a concept referred to as State Central Collection;

WHEREAS, State Central Collection could have the State taking possession of local tax revenues, withholding an administrative fee, then disbursing the balance back to the School Board or other local taxing authority;

WHEREAS, State Central Collection poses too great a risk that local education tax dollars will not be promptly disbursed or that the administrative fee withheld by the State may become a means of resolving State fiscal issues;

WHEREAS, the risks of State Central Collection are magnified as our School District tries to recover from the loss of sales tax revenue and the increased expenses related to the COVID19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, repealing or diminishing the Constitutional authority for local collection of local sales and use taxes will impair the ability of local collectors to perform the necessary function of auditing vendors to ensure compliance with the legal obligation to collect and remit local sales taxes;

WHEREAS, given the vital role that the proper, effective, and efficient collection of local sales and use taxes plays in the operation of school districts and the education of children, the Louisiana School Boards Association opposes any efforts to repeal, reduce, or constrain the authority of the local collector to collect local sales and use taxes, regardless of who has offered the proposal;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Concordia Parish School District, by action of its duly elected governing authority, does hereby urge and request the Louisiana Legislature, and in particular the Legislative Delegation of Concordia Parish to oppose any Legislative effort that repeals, reduces, or constrains the authority of the local collector to collect and administer the collection of local sales and use taxes;

FINALLY, BE IT RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be provided to each member of the Legislative Delegation of Concordia Parish, and the Governor of the State of Louisiana.

It was moved by Mr. Bostic, seconded by Mrs. Parker and carried to approve the Agreement for Services and to Fund the Louisiana Uniform Local Sales Tax Board with Proceeds from the Collection of Taxes on the Sale or Use of Motor Vehicles.

Roll Call Vote: Mr. Warren Enterkin - Yea  
Mrs. Dorothy Parker - Yea  
Dr. Raymond Riley - Yea  
Mr. Derrick Carson - Yea  
Mr. Fred Butcher - Yea  
Mr. John Bostic - Yea  
Ms. Angela Hayes - Yea  
Mrs. Lisette Forman - Yea  
Mr. Ricky Raven - Yea

After a brief discussion on the FY 2019-2020 Consolidated Budget As Amended, Mr. O'Neal stated that the overall projected budget variances as being .003% on revenues and .022% on disbursements. It was moved by Mr. Enterkin, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried to approve the FY 2019-20 Consolidated Budget As Amended.

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# Public Notices

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Roll Call Vote: Mr. Warren Enterkin - Yea  
Mrs. Dorothy Parker - Yea  
Dr. Raymond Riley - Nay  
Mr. Derrick Carson - Nay  
Mr. Fred Butcher - Yea  
Mr. John Bostic - Yea  
Ms. Angela Hayes - Yea  
Mrs. Lisette Forman - Yea  
Mr. Ricky Raven - Yea

It was moved by Mr. Raven, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried to approve the Concordia Sentinel as the Board's official journal.

Mr. O'Neal gave an update on the Monterey Gymnasium Project. The architects are working on the final stage of design and construction documents. They are coordinating their efforts with the consulting mechanical engineers in hopes of submitting construction plans to the State Fire Marshall for approval within the next two (2) weeks.

Mr. O'Neal has set the project advertisement for bid purposes on July 15, 22, and 29, 2020. A pre-bid conference will be scheduled for either the last week of July, or the first week of August. Our plans are to receive bids at the regular scheduled school board meeting for the month of August.

Mr. O'Neal gave an update on the HVAC Renovation Project. The contractor is currently concentrating his efforts on Ferriday High School and Vidalia High School.

At FHS, they have completed the underground utility installation and installed the necessary electrical panels to serve the units. They have poured the concrete foundations and have removed ceilings and ventilation louvers in the general stage area, and have begun the wall framing process for the duct work installation.

At VHS, they have completed the installation of the roof pads on the modified bitumen roof covering the dressing room areas. These pads are where the actual air conditioning units will be placed. Although work is contingent on the weather conditions, the gym windows are on schedule for removal this week as necessary for the duct work installation.

Overall, in the absence of any unforeseen difficulties, this project does appear to be on track for its September completion date.

It was moved by Mr. Carson, seconded by Mr. Raven and carried to table the First Reading of the following policies until Superintendent Shirley can consult with the Attorney concerning recommendations:

EBBD-20 Emergency Closing of Schools (sample)  
GBAA-20 Compensation Guidelines/Overtime (sample)  
GBRIBC-20 Emergency Family and Medical Leave (EFMLA)  
and Emergency Paid Sick Leave (COVID-19 Pandemic)

After a discussion, it was moved by Mr. Raven, seconded by Mr. Bostic and carried to table the Technology Plan for CPSB for additional information and documentation.

It was moved by Mr. Raven, seconded by Mrs. Parker and carried to approve the FY 2020-2021 School Calendar and the FY2020-2021 12- Month Employee Calendar.

The following personnel announcements were made:

Concordia Parish School Board Meeting  
Personnel Announcements (Revised)  
June 11, 2020

#### Leaves:

Stephanie Murphy, School Counselor, Ferriday High School, return from medical leave, effective April 23, 2020.

Ferman Washington, Maintenance Helper, Central Administration, return from extended medical leave, effective March 30, 2020.

#### Appointments:

Ann Morace, Pre-K Teacher, Vidalia Lower Elementary School, effective August 2020.

#### Retirements:

Cynthia Etheridge, 5th Grade Teacher, Vidalia Upper Elementary School, effective August 3, 2020.

Robert Sanders, Adapted P.E. Teacher/Head Boys' Basketball Coach/Head Cross Country Coach, Vidalia High School, effective May 29, 2020.

Timothy Herndon, Science Teacher, Vidalia High School, effective June 15, 2020.

Stephen Bush, 12 month Custodian, Vidalia Lower Elementary School, effective June 30, 2020.

#### Resignations:

Rachea Bailey, 2nd Grade Teacher, Ferriday Lower Elementary School, effective June 1, 2020.

Gary Stewart, Jr., 6th Grade ELA Teacher, Ferriday Junior High School, effective June 1, 2020.

#### Transfers:

Stephanie Murphy, School Counselor, Ferriday High School, to School Counselor, CEC/CPAMST, effective July 2020.

Sharon Henderson, Business Education Teacher, Ferriday High School, to Business Education Teacher, CPAMST, effective August 2020.

Keith Woodruff, 8 hour/11 Month Janitor, Ferriday Upper Elementary School, to 8 hour/12 month Janitor, Ferriday Upper Elementary School, effective March 1, 2020.

Michael Brown, 8 hour/11 Month Janitor, Ferriday Junior High School, to 8 hour/12 month Janitor, Ferriday Junior High School, effective March 1, 2020.

Frankie Thomas, 8 hour/11 Month Janitor, Vidalia Junior High School, to 8 hour/12 month Janitor, Vidalia Junior High School, effective March 1, 2020.

The following Announcements were made by Mr. Shirley:

- Pre-K and new student registration will be available on-line next week.
- We continue to have increasing numbers for our Grab and Go meals distributed at FHS, VHS, and MHS.
- Driver's education will begin again later this month at FHS and VHS.
- Summer work-outs for our athletes began this past Monday.
- If you are interested in attending the LSBA Summer Leadership Virtual Conference, please contact Ms. Gail. It begins Friday, June, 19, 2020.
- COVID-19 testing continues at FHS on June 12 and June 16. And at VHS on June 18.
- On June 23, 2020, the Louisiana students of the year will be named in a virtual ceremony. Our own John-Garrett Patrick will be representing us in the senior division. If you are interested in watching, see me next week and I can send you the information.
- Ricky Raven turned 39 on D-day, June 6th!

It was moved by Mr. Bostic, seconded by Mr. Carson and carried to adjourn at 7:42 p.m.

## Concordia Parish School Board Committee Reports

### Educational/Personnel Policy Committee June 8, 2020

#### I. ACTION ON ITEMS INVOLVING SPENDING OF MONEY

- Possible supplement/stipend for the Instructional Technology Team Members at each school.

#### II. ITEMS DISCUSSED

- Personnel
- Attorney retainer fee/can board members call?
- How is Attorney's bill broken down?
- Evaluations of Principals by Elementary/Secondary Directors
- Calendars to be adopted
- Add Update on MHS Gym and HVAC to the Agenda.....Tom O'Neal
- Technology Plan

## Concordia Parish School Board Committee Reports

### Finance Committee June 8, 2020

#### I. ACTION ON ITEMS INVOLVING SPENDING OF MONEY

- Possibility of paying Instructional Technology Team Members \$125 a month for 9 months

#### II. ITEMS DISCUSSED

- Tax Millages for 2020
- Budget Revision
- Did we save any money during COVID-19?
- Technology Plan
- Expenditures for May

## Concordia Parish School Board Committee Reports

### Buildings and Grounds Committee June 8, 2020

#### I. ACTION ON ITEMS INVOLVING SPENDING OF MONEY

- Plexiglass barriers for buildings
- Cleaning supplies for COVID-19
- Possibility of 2-hour sweepers...additional hours for cleaning schools
- Maintenance vehicle-James White's van is broke down. An estimate of \$7,500 was given to fix it. If we can get it fixed for \$5,000.00, then we would fix it.
- A new van would cost \$27,000.00.
- Quote for cameras at FHS

- Metal roof for FHS dressing room under the home bleachers

#### II. ITEMS DISCUSSED

- Summer Sports workouts
- CPA parking lot-place in next year's budget
- Technology Plan-payment of lost or destroyed devices. How do we make students pay?

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### PARISH POLICE JURY REGULAR MEETING June 22, 2020 6:00 P.M.

The Police Jury of Concordia Parish met this day in regular session convened. There were present the following members:

President: Joseph Parker, Sr.  
Members: Maurice Bachus, Willie Yearby, Gary Neal, Scottie Whittington, Adam Probst, Collin Edwards, and Brad Adams  
Absent: Genesia Allen  
Secretary Treasurer: Sandi T. Burley  
Invocation: Mr. Bachus  
Pledge of Allegiance: Mr. Parker

- Public Hearing to establish a 25 mph speed limit on Bob Rife Road was held. Under public comments Mr. Jennings Cowan addressed the Jurors as to why a speed limit was placed on a parish farm road and who monitors the speed limit. Mr. Collin Edwards addressed the comments stating that a 35 mph speed limit was feasible and recommends placing "children at play" signs along the residential areas.
- There being no further comments, the public hearing was closed.

The Pledge, Invocation, and Roll Call were conducted. A quorum was present.

- A motion was made by Mr. Probst seconded by Mr. Yearby to approve the June 8, 2020 minutes as mailed. Motion carried unanimously.
- A motion was made by Mr. Edwards seconded by Mr. Yearby to approve Ordinance 2020-04 to establish a 35 mph speed limit on Bob Rife Road and place "children at play" signs along the residential areas. Discussion was held. Motion carried unanimously. (See addendum for ordinance.)

- Under Committee Reports, the following was discussed.
  - The purchase of the John Deere tractor under the LGAP grant. The tractor originally approved had a lead time of November. This tractor is currently in stock at the Ferriday location and is smaller to allow for access to tighter areas. A motion was made by Mr. Neal and seconded by Mr. Yearby to approve the purchase of the tractor through LGAP for \$83,426.40. Motion carried unanimously.
    - A review of the Trane maintenance proposal for the courthouse was discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Neal seconded by Mr. Yearby to table until the next meeting for further review and discussion.
    - A recommendation from the Hospital Board to reappoint Mr. Fred Butcher to the board for another five-year term. Mr. Parker spoke that the Hospital Board needs to remain in place until the completion of the hospital. After the hospital is finished, we can re-address changes to the board. A motion was made by Mr. Edwards seconded by Mr. Bachus to reappoint Mr. Fred Butcher to the board. Motion carried unanimously.
    - Two companies were contacted to identify the problem and method of correction to the roof leak in the Assessor's office. A proposal was submitted by Hewitt Roofing. Johns Manville had been contacted in regards to the warranty and the roofing issue with no response. A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Edwards to approve the proposal from Hewitt's Roofing in the amount of \$2400. Motion carried unanimously.

- Projects of the Parish were next discussed.
  - Brushy Bayou--A revised BCA under the new software has been conducted. The revised BCA is 2.77, keeping the benefits of the project and the costs associated with it in line for the additional funding needed. All entities are working on funding methods and ways to move the project forward. JKS is uploading documents to new USACE portal and adding the required annotations. Conference calls were held with GOHSEP, FEMA, and others to address the questions for the environmental assessment to be conducted.
    - Courtroom-- Construction and audiovisual components are complete and working. Discussed the issues with the substantial completion documents that are being revised.
      - Washington Heights-- The project is near completion. A list of items to draw down the remaining funds had been submitted. Ms. Vernon Smith addressed the Jurors to ask about the ditches and culverts needed cleaned up and whether a flood light was planned to be installed at the pond. Mr. Edwards will do an inspection of the area and provide feedback.
        - DR-4622-- All documents have been submitted. Waiting on FEMA review to proceed with project. There have been no further updates or feedback to report.
          - Vidalia Canal-- Applications submitted under Statewide Flood Control Program to assist with cleanout of the silt where the canal meets Cocodrie Bayou are still pending.
            - CARES Act - Documents for Application Phase I have been submitted.
              - A motion was made by Mr. Neal seconded by Mr. Yearby to approve the invoice from Rostan Solutions for administrative work on Brushy Bayou in the amount of \$18,312.43. Motion carried unanimously.
                - An expense request had been received from the District Attorney to report expenditures to be submitted through the CARES Act by the Parish for reimbursement. Discussion was held that if the state denies payment, the DA's office will reimburse the parish for any monies not collected through the CARES Act. A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Probst to approve the expense payment and submit through the CARES Act for reimbursement. Motion carried unanimously.
                  - Ordinance Violations of the Parish were next discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Whittington seconded by Mr. Probst to cite the following: Whittington -- 789 Eagle Road; Neighbor lot to 164 Sage Road Motion carried unanimously.

- A motion was made by Mr. Probst seconded by Mr. Yearby to add Sportsmans Lodge to the agenda for approval. Motion carried unanimously.
  - A motion was made by Mr. Probst seconded by Mr. Whittington to approve the following occupational licenses and alcohol permits: Sportsman Lodge -- New Owner, Troy Petty, 101 Sportsman Lane, Ferriday Maple Lane Signs & Such -- New Business, Courtney Maples, 150 Lee Street,

Ferriday  
Alcohol Renewals -- Illusions, Taunton's of Monterey, Taunton's Horseshoe Marina, Paul's Grocery, Karl's Lounge  
Motion carried unanimously.

- Under the Secretary / Treasurer's Report, Ms. Burley discussed the bulk pick up issues. The knuckle boom truck will be running on Wednesday to those areas reported. A preliminary schedule for bulk pick up had been compiled and distributed for review. A meeting will be set up with the Public Works committee and Waste Pro to discuss and finalize.

- Under the Superintendent's materials requests, Mr. Guillory brought forward:
  - Pitrun -- 10 yards on Roundtree  
A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Adams to approve the materials. Motion carried unanimously.

- Superintendent's work order requests were next discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Probst seconded by Mr. Yearby and carried unanimously to approve the following:
  - Yearby -- Vail Acres at Hwy 84 to Mooselodge -- ditches need spraying; Vail Acres at Concordia Park by Pac Man -- pothole
  - Edwards -- potholes on Enterkin and Bob Rife Road
  - Allen -- passed along positive comments received on work done in her district
  - Adams -- speed limit signs on Boggy Bayou; Plouden Bayou road needs grading

- Under correspondence and public comments Mr. Neal asked for a meeting to be set up with Waste Pro to discuss the bulk pickup schedule. Mr. Burget -- District Attorney, recognized Ms. Burley's work on the CARES Act.

- There being no further discussion, a motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Neal to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Sandi T. Burley, Secretary / Treasurer

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### Town of Ferriday Council GoTo Meeting June 11, 2020 Minutes

Call to Order at 6:03 p.m.: Mayor Sherrie McMahon  
Invocation: Alderwoman Gloria Lloyd  
Pledge of Allegiance: All present  
Roll Call: Alderwoman Lloyd, present  
Alderman Keys, absent; present at 6:11 p.m.  
Alderwoman Pryor, present  
Alderwoman Lee, present  
Alderman Henderson, present

Mayor asked for a motion to approve minutes for May 14, 2020. Motion made by Alderwoman Lee, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd, so carried.

Mayor asked for a motion to add Asya Griggs mobile home request to the agenda. Motion made by Alderwoman Lloyd, 2nd by Alderwoman Pryor so carried.

Motion to open the floor for public comments on agenda items made by Alderwoman Lloyd, 2nd by Alderwoman Lee. No comments. Mayor asked for a motion to close floor for public comments, motion made by Alderwoman Pryor, 2nd Alderwoman Lee so carried.

#### Ordinance

Mayor asked for a motion to introduce the Budget 2020-2021. Motion made by Alderwoman Lloyd, 2nd by Alderwoman Lee, so carried.

#### New Business

Alderwoman Lee made a motion to accept Letter of Engagement from Silas Simmons CPA, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd, so carried.

Approval of mobile home request for Asya Griggs tabled until July 14 meeting.

#### Occupational License

Motion to approve God's Grace (GG's) made by Alderwoman Lee, 2nd Alderwoman Lloyd so carried.

#### Alcohol License

None

#### Meeting adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

Sherrie J. McMahon, Mayor

Sharon R. Kelly, Town Clerk

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### Town of Ferriday Special Council GoTo Meeting June 25, 2020 Minutes

Call to order at 6:01 p.m.: Mayor Sherrie McMahon  
Invocation: Alderwoman Gloria Lloyd  
Pledge of Allegiance: All present  
Roll Call: Alderwoman Lloyd, present  
Alderman Keys, absent  
Alderwoman Pryor, present  
Alderwoman Lee, present  
Alderman Henderson, absent

Mayor asked for a motion to open the floor for public comments on agenda items. Motion made by Alderwoman Lee, 2nd by Alderwoman Pryor, so carried. No comments. Motion made by Alderwoman Lee to close the floor for public comments, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd.

Motion made by Alderwoman Lee to open the floor for public hearing on Ordinance 2020-2021 Budget, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd, so carried. No comments. Alderwoman Lee made a motion to close the floor for public hearing on Ordinance 2020-2021 Budget, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd, so carried.

#### Ordinance

Mayor asked for a motion to accept the Ordinance for 2020-2021 Budget. Motion made by Alderwoman Lee, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd, so carried.

#### Resolution

Motion to accept Village of Ridgecrest water contract made by Alderwoman Pryor, 2nd by Alderwoman Lloyd, so carried.

Motion made by Mayor to table Condemned Houses until a later date, 2nd by Alderwoman Pryor, so carried.

Alderwoman Lloyd made a motion to introduce the 2020 Millage, 2nd by Alderwoman Pryor, so carried.

#### Meeting adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Sherrie J. McMahon, Mayor

Sharon R. Kelly, Town Clerk

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## Public Notice Deadline

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