

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Article IV, Section 21(D)(1) of the Louisiana Constitution, that on May 11, 2023, Entergy Louisiana, LLC (“ELL”), a public utility providing retail electric and gas service throughout the State of Louisiana, filed with the Louisiana Public Service Commission (“LPSC”) its proposed new renewable tariff: Geaux Zero Emissions Resource Option (“Geaux ZERO” or “Rider GZ”). Geaux ZERO is a voluntary rate schedule that sets forth the parameters under which ELL’s eligible customers can align some or all of their monthly electricity requirements with new renewable resources to be located in Louisiana along with renewable energy credits from those facilities. Geaux ZERO charges would be in addition to the charges paid by the customer under their otherwise applicable rate schedules and riders.

For questions and comments regarding ELL’s filing, please call the LPSC toll free at (800) 256-2397. Additionally, the filing, including its attachments may be viewed in the Records Division of the LPSC at the following address:

Records Division
602 N. 5th Street, 12th Floor
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802
Telephone: (225) 342-3157
ENTERGY LOUISIANA, LLC
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**Franklin Parish Police Jury
Notice of Public Hearing**

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Franklin Parish Police Jury on June 8, 2023 beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the Franklin Parish Police Jury Meeting Room located in the Franklin Parish Courthouse at 6558 Main Street Winnsboro, LA 71295, for the topics.

- For the consideration of adopting an ordinance to properly transfer the ownership of Phillips, Oscar Smith and McCain bridges to the property owner of which the bridges are used to solely access their property.
- For the consideration of adopting an ordinance requiring all residents located in an area in which a community sewer system is available, to apply and complete a permitting process for connecting to the community sewer system.
- For the consideration of adding an additional 747 ft. to Newt Winters Rd.

The jury will at said time and place hear all comments in support of such matters or any objections thereto. Comments submitted in writing must be received before 4:00 p.m. on the date of the above hearings and be addressed to the address listed above.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you will require special assistance, please provide advance notice to the Franklin Parish Police Jury Office (318-435-9429).
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**FRANKLIN PARISH POLICE JURY
PUBLIC NOTICE**

THE FRANKLIN PARISH POLICE JURY WILL ACCEPT BIDS UP TO AND INCLUDING 10:00 A.M., JUNE 5, 2023, IN THE POLICE JURY CONFERENCE ROOM, COURTHOUSE BUILDING, WINNSBORO, LOUISIANA ON THE FOLLOWING:

PLEASE CONTACT THE POLICE JURY OFFICE FOR BID SPECIFICATIONS

BULK DIESEL FUEL FOR OFF ROAD EQUIPMENT. Fuel must be available from 7:00AM through 4:30 PM Monday through Friday.

GRAVEL, DIRT, OIL, ASPHALT, AND SOIL CEMENT
GRAVEL: {MAINTENANCE ROCK (GOOD GRADE 50% SIZE 1” TO 1 ½”), # 8 LIMESTONE, #57 LIMESTONE, PIT RUN – RED CLAY, DIRT, SAND, C-1, C-3, RIP RAP, 610 and 610 POWDER

PLEASE CONTACT THE POLICE JURY OFFICE FOR BID SPECIFICATIONS

DIRT CONTRACTOR BIDS: SHALL INCLUDE PRICE PER CUBIC YARD OF DIRT AND DISTANCE TRANSPORTED. THE PRICE PER HOUR FOR EQUIPMENT SHALL BE INCLUDED.

OIL, GREASES: BRAND NAMES SHALL BE PROVIDED – ASPHALT PRODUCTS: (HOT MIX, COLD MIX, CRS-2, CSS-1, SS-1, AEP, CRS-2P, MC-70, MC-30) BID PRICE TO INCLUDE MATERIAL PICKED UP AT SOURCE, PRICE DELIVERED TO ANY PARISH ROAD OR PARISH PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY. INCLUDE SEPARATE DOCUMENT FOR HOT MIX AND COLD MIX BID.

SOIL CEMENT: SHALL INCLUDE PRICE PER TON OR CUBIC YARD, FREIGHT, SPREADING, ENVIRONMENTAL, ETC. BID FORM NOT PROVIDED.

BRIDGE MATERIAL: MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR IMMEDIATE ACCESSIBILITY AND MEET OR EXCEED STATE SPECIFICATIONS BEING #1 GRADE.

GRADER BLADES: ½” X 6” X 7” WITH 5/8” BOLT HOLES. CARBIDE-TIPPED CUTTING TOOLS: 5/8” AND 3/4” BIDDER SHALL INDICATE METHOD OF CALCULATING AND JUSTIFY INCREASE OR DECREASE IN MATERIAL COST.

BID SPECIFICATIONS, DURATION OF BID AND BID FORMS MAY BE EMAILED, FAXED, MAILED, OR PICKED UP AT THE POLICE JURY OFFICE, 6558 MAIN STREET, COURTHOUSE BUILDING, WINNSBORO, LA. BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 7:30 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, EXCLUDING ANY HOLIDAYS. 318-435-9429

ALL BIDS RECEIVED MUST BE MARKED AS SEALED BID AND RECEIVED BY JUNE 5, 2023 AT 10:00 A.M. TO BE ELIGIBLE.

ALL BIDS AWARDED SHALL REQUIRE A SIGNED CONTRACT IN ADDITION TO THE SIGNED BID. THE FRANKLIN PARISH POLICE JURY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS. PLEASE CALL ROBERT GLADEN, PARISH PURCHASING AGENT AT 318-435-9446 WITH QUESTIONS.

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NOTICE

The Franklin Parish School Board will hold a public hearing for the 2023-24 Beginning Budget on Tuesday, June 6, 2023 at 4:45 p.m. at the Franklin Parish School Board Complex Board Room.

The 2023-2024 Beginning Budget will be available for public viewing, Monday thru Thursday, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM, of each week, until the meeting.

We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday, June 6, 2023 at 4:45 p.m.
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NOTICE

The Franklin Parish School Board will be taking sealed bids for Janitorial Supplies. The deadline for submitting bids will be Monday, June 5, 2023 at 12:00 PM. Bids will be opened on Monday, June 5, 2023 at 2:30 PM. at the Franklin Parish School Board Office, 7293 Prairie Road, Winnsboro, LA 71295.

Bids must be sealed and clearly marked, “2023 FALL JANITORIAL SUPPLIES.” Bid forms are available at the Franklin Parish School Board. For additional information and specifications on supplies, please contact the Franklin Parish School Board, (318) 435-9046.

The Franklin Parish School Board has the right to accept or reject any and all bids.
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NOTICE

The Franklin Parish School Board is now accepting sealed bids for the hunting land lease located on Hwy. 135, Newt Williams Road in Liddieville, Sec. 16, T13N, R6E, containing approx. 160 acres known as “Liddieville Cut”. This hunting/recreational lease is for a three-year period only. This lease will become effective July 1, 2023 and run through June 30, 2026. The Franklin Parish School Board is putting a \$10.00 per acre minimum on this land lease bid. You can pick up a bid information letter at the school board office, Tuesday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sealed bids must be received by 1:00 p.m. May 31, 2023 at the Franklin Parish School Board, 7293 Prairie Road, Winnsboro, LA. Bids will be opened at 1:30 p.m. May 31, 2023 at the School Board Office. Bids must be sealed and clearly marked “SEALED BID, Liddieville Cut”, if you have any questions, please contact Doug Clark or Nan Lee at (318) 435-9046.

The Franklin Parish School Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.
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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
05/24/23

FRANKLIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD (herein referred to as the “Owner”) Sealed bids marked “Sealed Bid” will be received by the owner for the construction of the project described as follows:

FRANKLIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD
STORAGE BUILDING
PROJECT NO. 22121

Sealed bids shall be addressed to the Franklin Parish School Board and delivered to Franklin Parish School Board at 7293 Prairie Rd, Winnsboro, LA 71295 no later than 2:00 pm, Tuesday, June 30, 2023. Proposals shall be designated as “Sealed Bid” FRANKLIN PARISH SCHOOL BOARD STORAGE BUILDING. All bids must be submitted on the proper form. The contractor must display his contractor’s license number prominently on the outside of the envelope. Any bids received after the specified time and date will not be considered. The sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on June 30, 2023, at 2:00 pm, at the Franklin Parish School Board.

Each bona fide bidder must be registered with the Engineer and obtain Bid Documents from the Engineer in order to submit a bid. The Bidding documents must be obtained from the representative of PDG Engineering. An electronic copy of the bid documents will be sent to the email address provided by the bidder.

In accordance with RS 38:2212 (3) (b) plans and specifications shall be available to bidders until twenty-four hours before bid opening date. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities except the waiver of: 1) the signing of the bid; 2) the execution of the certificate of corporate principal and surety; 3) the acknowledgement of any addenda issued; 4) the execution of the bid bond, which always must accompany the bid in the correct amount; and 5) the requirement of a corporate resolution, if someone other than a corporate officer signs for the Bidder/Contractor. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his/her bid, security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders. Sureties used for obtaining bonds must appear as acceptable on the U.S. Department of Treasury Circular 570.

No bidder may withdraw his/her bid within forty-five (45) days after the actual date of the opening thereof. The Bid will remain subject to acceptance for forty-five (45) days after the Bid opening, or for such longer period of time that Bidder may agree to in writing upon request of Owner.

The Contractor shall begin mobilization and procurement of materials within ten (10) working days of the receipt of the Notice to Proceed.

The successful bidder will be required to execute the Owner’s Standard Form of Agreement/Contract for construction together with the Performance and Payment Bonds within ten (10) working days after issuance of the Notice of Award. Sureties used for obtaining bonds must appear as acceptable on the U.S. Department of Treasury Circular 570.

All awarded contractors will be required to attend a monthly meeting, with mandatory attendance from the Project Engineer, Resident Inspector and Contractor, or their authorized representatives, at the beginning of the month to review quantities for pay estimates, process change orders, review work performed during month and to discuss any problems which may have arisen.

Please notify the Franklin Parish School Board (318) 435-9046 seven (7) days in advance of the scheduled bid opening if special accommodation specified under ADA is required.

Chad Parks, PE
PDG Engineering, LLC
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**PARISH OF FRANKLIN
PUBLIC NOTICE**

Parcel# 8700824800

Notice is hereby given that the Parish of Franklin has received a request to sell their respective tax interest in the following listed property. This property has previously been adjudicated to the Parish of Franklin for unpaid taxes. A public sale of this property will begin at 10:00 A.M. on June 27, 2023 at the Franklin Parish Police Jury, 6558 Main Street, Winnsboro, LA 71295. The minimum bid has been set at \$1,840.70 Anyone intending to bid must hand deliver your intent letter and processing fee to E & P Consulting Services, LLC, and 1300 Hudson Lane, Suite 5, Monroe, Louisiana 71201 by June 23, 2023. NO faxed, telephoned, mailed or any kind of electronic submission of intent to bid will be accepted. Any intent to bid letter received by the above deadline will allow 1 party into the bid session. If more than one offer for any particular piece of property is received, all parties who have submitted a written offer will be allowed to bid on the property.

For additional information, please contact Parish Adjudicated Property Program at E & P Consulting, LLC: 318-807-0924 or Parishpropertyinfo@escamillaponeck.com

Legal Description: Lots 6 & 7 of Block 9 of Abe Lincoln Addition to Winnsboro, La, Section 31, Township 14 North, Range 4 East
Municipal Address: 121 Avis Street, Winnsboro, LA 5/24

NOTICE

Re-Advertisement for Bids
Project No. 22-08-704E (LCDBG NO. 2000705304)

Owner: Village of Gilbert
Address: 7564 Gilbert Street
Gilbert, LA 71336

Sealed bids marked “Sealed Bid –Village of Gilbert Community Development Block Grant Project to be financed by the State of Louisiana CDBG- CV Love Louisiana Outdoors Program” will be received by the Owner for the construction of the project described as follows: VILLAGE OF GILBERT - LCDBG-CV LLOP PARK IMPROVEMENTS

Proposals shall be addressed to the Village of Gilbert, and delivered to the Office of the Mayor located at (address) 7564 Gilbert Street, LA 71336 not later than 9:00 A.M. (local time), on the day of Tuesday, June 20th, 2023. Sealed bids to be marked “Sealed Bid –Village of Gilbert Community Development Block Grant Project to be financed by the State of Louisiana CDBG- CV Love Louisiana Outdoors Program –Village of Gilbert - Contract Park Improvements”. Any bid received after the specified time and date will not be considered. The sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 9:00 A.M. (local time) on the day of Tuesday, June 20th, 2023, at Village of Gilbert, located at 7564 Gilbert Street, Gilbert, LA 71336. The information for Bidders, Form of Bid Proposal, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond, Performance Bond and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following locations:

Village of Gilbert
7564 Gilbert Street
Gilbert, Louisiana 71336
(318) 435-6506
McManus Consulting Engineers, Inc.
116 Smelser Road
Monroe, Louisiana 71202
(318) 343-5600

Copies may be obtained at this office upon payment of a deposit of \$ 150. This deposit will be refunded upon request in accordance with R.S. 38:2212. A CD of the Plans and Specifications may also be obtained upon payment of \$25.00 which will be nonrefundable. The Contractor must pay shipping costs.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids for just cause; such actions will be in accordance with Title 38 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes.

Each bidder must have an active Unique Entity ID (SAM), as verified and registered with www.sam.gov, prior to the beginning of construction.

Each Bidder must deposit with his/her bid, security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders. Sureties used for obtaining bonds must appear as acceptable on the U. S. Department of Treasury Circular 570.

No bidder may withdraw his/her bid within forty-five (45) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The Contractor shall begin mobilization and procurement of materials within ten (10) working days of the receipt of the Notice to Proceed.

The Attention of Bidders is called particularly to the requirements for conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the Contract, Section 3, Segregated Facilities, Executive Order 11246, and all applicable laws and regulations of the Federal government and State of Louisiana and bonding and insurance requirements.

Equal Opportunity in Employment: All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard for race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President’s Executive Order No. 11246, as amended. The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

Any person with disabilities requiring special accommodations must contact the Village of Gilbert of no later than seven (7) days prior to bid opening.

IN PARTICULAR, BIDDERS SHOULD NOTE THE REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS AND CERTIFICATIONS TO BE EXECUTED AND SUBMITTED WITH THE BID PROPOSAL.

Owner encourages Section 3 and minority owned businesses to submit bid proposals.

The Contractor shall be licensed with the Louisiana State Licensing Board in: Building Construction, Municipal and Public Works or Specialty: Recreation and Sporting Facilities and Golf Courses.

Project No. 22-08-704E
Estimated Cost: \$77,800 (LA R.S. 38:2212(H))
Village of Gilbert
May 12, 2023
Mike Stephens, Mayor
5/17,5/24,5/31

NOTICE

THE VILLAGE OF GILBERT MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMAN MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON THURSDAY MAY 11, 2023 AT 6:30 P.M. AT THE GILBERT CITY HALL. THOSE PRESENT WERE AS FOLLOWS: MAYOR MIKE STEPHENS, OUIDA SEWELL CLERK, MELANIE KEYES ASSISTANT CLERK, BOARD OF ALDERMEN RANDY LLOYD, BARBARA EZELL, POLICE CHIEF ALVIE VICK, AND CITIZENS. ABSENT SUSAN BRITT AND FIRE CHIEF.

CALL TO ORDER:
Mayor Mike Stephens called the meeting to order.

PRAYER:
Mayor Mike Stephens led in opening prayer.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:
Ouida Sewell led in the pledge of allegiance.

MINUTES:
Discussion was held. Motion made by Randy Lloyd, seconded by Barbara Ezell to accept the minutes from last month as presented. Motion carried.

FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS/BUDGET TO ACTUAL:
Discussion was held. Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd to

accept the financial documents as presented. Motion carried.

PAY MONTHLY BILLS:
Discussion was held. Motion made by Randy Lloyd seconded by Barbara Ezell to pay the monthly bills. Motion carried.

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

No Report

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Chief Alvie Vick gave monthly report. The Chief requested to hire three part-time Police Officers. Discussion was held. Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd to hire Holden Guimbellot, Steven Fairchild and Matthew Leonard as part-time Police Officers. Motion carried. Officers will have a probationary period of 90 days at \$10.00 per hour. Pay will increase after probationary period.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT:

Mayor gave monthly report. Applications for new Assistant Superintendent were reviewed. Discussion was held. Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd when the Mayor hires a new Assistant Superintendent the employee’s will be part-time and at the next council meeting his status will change to full-time status after the vote. Motion carried.

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION:

Cinnamon Gooding, with McManus Engineering, reported that an ad for bids for the Louisiana Love Outdoors Grant had been ran in the paper. The bid received was opened on May 2, 2023 at 10:00 at Gilbert City Hall. Only one bid was received. Mrs. Gooding said she will have to run in paper again. Discussion was held. Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd to reject the bid because it was over budget. Motion carried. Mrs. Gooding gave an update on the USDA grant.

Heather Carroll, with Grow Gilbert, reported new fans had been installed at the Farmer’s Market. Mrs. Carroll said the Diabetic Clinic will be opening soon.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. ADOPT RESOLUTION – MILLAGE RATE FOR 2023.

Discussion was held. The foregoing resolution was read. Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd to adopt the millage rate of 7.86 for the tax year 2023. The following roll call vote was taken: YEAS: Barbara Ezell, Randy Lloyd, NAYS: None, ABSTAIN: None, ABSENT: Susan Britt. Motion carried.

2. INTRODUCE ORDINANCE #376–TO AMEND THE JULY 1, 2022 TO JUNE 30, 2023 BUDGET

Discussion was held. Motion made by Randy Lloyd, seconded by Barbara Ezell to introduce Ordinance #376. Motion carried. A public hearing will be held on June 8, 2023 at 6:30 pm at the Gilbert City Hall to consider adopting Ordinance #376 to amend the 2022 – 2023 budget.

3. INTRODUCE ORDINANCE #377–TO ADOPT JULY 1, 2023 TO JUNE 30, 2024 ANNUAL BUDGET.

Discussion was held. Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd to introduce Ordinance #377. Motion carried. A public hearing will be held on June 8, 2023 at 6:30 pm at the Gilbert City Hall to consider adopting Ordinance #377 to adopt 2023 –2024 annual budget.

4. MICHAEL ELLINGTON – ANNEXATION.

Michael Ellington, Lawyer for the Village of Gilbert brought information on the annexation process for the city limits. Discussion was held. Motion made by Randy Lloyd, seconded by Barbara Ezell for Mr. Ellington to begin working on the annexation requirements for the Village of Gilbert city limits. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. FOOTBALL FIELD AND BASEBALL COMPLEX LEASE UPDATE.

The Mayor reported, that the Franklin Parish School Board would be putting the Football Field and Baseball Complex Lease on their agenda for the June 6, 2023 meeting.

AJOURNMENT:

Motion made by Barbara Ezell, seconded by Randy Lloyd to adjourn. Motion carried.

MIKE STEPHENS, MAYOR

OUIDA SEWELL, CLERK

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**Village of Baskin
Parish of Franklin
George “Layton” Curtis, Mayor
Terry Arnold, Town Clerk**

1325 Highway 15
P.O. Box 359
Baskin, LA 71219
Phone: (318) 248-3700
Fax: (318) 248-2397
mayorsoffice@baskinville.gov



Cary Collier, Alderman
Mark Troha, Alderman
Zane Johnson, Alderman
Amber Berryhill, Asst. Clerk

**Regular Council Meeting
May 16, 2023**

The Mayor and Council of the Village of Baskin met at a regular scheduled session on Tuesday, May 16, 2023 at 6:00 PM, at the Village of Baskin Town Hall.

Present: Mayor George “Layton” Curtis and Council Members Cary Collier, and Mark Troha.

Also Present: Town Clerk and others. There being a quorum present, the meeting was called to order.

The Pledge of Allegiance and the opening prayer was led by Mayor Curtis.

New Business:
Financial Report and permission to pay all bills and obligations
Mark Troha made a motion; Cary Collier seconded the motion. Yeas 2, Nays 0, Absent 1.

Resolution for MPERS Settlement
Mark Troha made a motion; Cary Collier seconded the motion. Yeas 2, Nays 0, Absent 1.

Mayor’s Update: AMS is doing good; 5k Run had 80 people turn out. Amber attended the USDA Rural development workshop. LMA Dinner; New Office Hours.

Fire Department Reports:

Police Report: Alex Givens gave the monthly police report. Chance Mooney is acting as Auxiliary Deputy.

Further Business: None

Adjourn: Cary Collier made a motion; Mark Troha seconded the motion. Yeas 2, Nays 0, Absent 1.

Time: 6:25 pm

Terry Arnold
Terry Arnold, Town Clerk

George Layton Curtis
George “Layton” Curtis

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PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PROPOSED BUDGET FOR THE FRANKLIN PARISH CLERK OF COURT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024 HAS BEEN PREPARED AND IS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED BUDGET SHALL BE HELD ON JUNE 15, 2023, IN THE FRANKLIN PARISH CLERK’S OFFICE BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10:00- 10:30 A.M.

MAY 18, 2023 ANITA WYGAL

PUBLISH MAY 24, 2023 CLERK OF COURT

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STATE OF LOUISIANA PARISH OF FRANKLIN FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN RE: SUCCESSION OF FRANCIS OWEN BASHER FILED: May 11, 2023
PROBATE NO. P-48,364 BY: Alena Mayo
DEPUTY CLERK OF COURT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY TO SELL IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Notice is given that the Administrator of this Succession has petitioned this court for Authority to Sell Movable Property belonging to the Succession of the deceased at private sale in accordance with the provisions of Louisiana Code of Civil Procedures Article 3281, with the Succession to pay the cost of these proceedings. The movable property proposed to be sold at private sale the 2019 Ford Pick Up, VIN 1FTTER4FH6KLA81393 for \$25,000.00 .

Any heir or creditor who opposes the propose sale must file and opposition within seven (7) days from the date of the publication on the 11th day of May, 2023.

By Order of the Court

BY: Alena Mayo
DEPUTY CLERK OF COURT

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