

REGULAR MEETING UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

Farmerville, Louisiana
March 7th, 2023

The Union Parish Police Jury met this date in regular session in the Police Jury meeting room, Courthouse Annex, Farmerville, Louisiana with the following present: Curtis Moses, Nathan Pilgreen, DeWayne Ramsey, Johnny Buckley, Ben Bridges, Ceis Nyegaard, L.W. Nolan, Brenda Abercrombie and Andrew Ford, Jr. Absent: None. Also present was James Buckley, Assistant District Attorney. The President called the session to order and welcomed all guests. Mr. Buckley offered the invocation and President Abercrombie led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

President Abercrombie welcomed everyone to the meeting. President Abercrombie asked if anyone in the audience would like to register for public comment. At this time the public was given the opportunity to comment on any item shown on the agenda.

Mr. Pilgreen addressed the jury concerning the recent death of Mike Thurston. Mike Thurston worked for the road department for 25 and a half years. Mr. Thurston recently retired in December from the Union Parish Road Department. Mr. Pilgreen asked that the family be remembered.

Motion Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Bridges and declared adopted by unanimous vote of the Jury to approve the agenda as written.

Motion Mr. Ramsey, seconded by Mr. Nolan to adopt the minutes of the February 7th, 2023 regular meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The Secretary/Treasurer presented the Budget to Actual Revenue and Expense report for the month of February and explained to the jurors that the report reflects what has been budgeted for the year compared to what has been spent.

The Secretary/Treasurer highlighted the General Fund, Road Fund, Sales Tax Collection, and Detention Center Fund. The Secretary/Treasurer also reported on the recent Union/Lincoln Sales Tax Commission meeting and how much each municipality/entity receives in sales tax for the parish.

Motion Mr. Nolan, seconded by Mr. Bridges to adopt the Revenue and Expenditures Report for the month of February. Motion carried unanimously.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Nolan and duly seconded by Mr. Ford:

UP RESOLUTION 2023-03

A resolution approving the issuance, sale and delivery of not exceeding Twenty-Eight Million Dollars (\$28,000,000) of Hospital Revenue Bonds, in one or more series, of Wards 3, 4 and 10 Hospital Service District of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

WHEREAS, Wards 3, 4 and 10 Hospital Service District of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the "District"), a public corporation and political subdivision of the State of Louisiana, currently owns and operates a hospital and related health care facilities in Union Parish, Louisiana, known as Reeves Memorial Medical Center (the "Existing Hospital"); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners (the "Board") of the District, by resolution adopted on November 10, 2022, has authorized the issuance of not exceeding \$28,000,000 of Hospital Revenue Bonds (the "Bonds"), for the purpose (i) acquiring, constructing and equipping a new hospital facility (the "Project"), (ii) funding certain reserve funds, and (iii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds; and

WHEREAS, the Existing Hospital and the Project, together with any all properties of every nature owned by the District and used or useful in the operations thereof, shall be referred to herein as the "Hospital"; and

WHEREAS, the Bonds shall be payable from the dedication and pledge of the income, revenues and receipts derived or to be derived by the District from an irrevocable pledge and dedication of the income and revenues derived from the operation of the Hospital, after payment therefrom of the reasonable and necessary expenses of operating and maintaining the Hospital, as now existing or as may be hereafter improved, extended or supplemented from any source whatsoever, and may be further secured by a mortgage granted on the Hospital; and

WHEREAS, the Board held a public hearing on January 26, 2023, with respect to the issuance of the Bonds at which public hearing no petitions objecting to the issuance of the Bonds were presented; and

WHEREAS, it is now the desire of the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana to approve the issuance of the Bonds;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the "Police Jury"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), that:

SECTION 1. In compliance with the provisions of Article VI, Section 15 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana of 1974, and in accordance with the request of the Board of Commissioners of the District, this Police Jury hereby approves the issuance of the Bonds of the District. The Bonds are to be issued under the authority and for the purposes stated in the preamble hereto. The Bonds shall bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed nine percent (9%) per annum, and shall mature over a period of not exceeding thirty (30) years from the date of issuance.

SECTION 2. Neither the Parish nor this Police Jury shall be liable in any manner for the payment of the Bonds.

This resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Moses, Pilgreen, Ramsey, Buckley, Bridges, Nyegaard, Nolan, Abercrombie and Ford

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: None

And the resolution was declared adopted on this, the 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula Strickland
PAULA STRICKLAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

s/ Brenda Abercrombie
BRENDA ABERCROMBIE
PRESIDENT
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF UNION

I, the undersigned Secretary-Treasurer of the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the "Police Jury"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, do hereby certify that the foregoing pages constitute a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Police Jury on March 7, 2023, approving the issuance, sale and delivery of not exceeding Twenty-Eight Million Dollars (\$28,000,000) of Hospital Revenue Bonds, in one or more series, of Wards 3, 4 and 10 Hospital Service District of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature on this, the 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula H. Strickland
Paula H. Strickland
Secretary/Treasurer
Union Parish Police Jury

Motion Mr. Nolan, seconded by Mr. Nyegaard, to appoint John Calab Franklin to the Rocky Branch Waterworks District Board of Commissioners (term ends 12/31/26). Mr. Franklin is replacing Jerry Farrar, who is unable to complete his term. Motion carried unanimously.

The following ordinance was introduced by Mr. Ramsey and duly seconded by Mr. Moses:

UP ORDINANCE NO. 948

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE AN ACT OF SALE BY THE PARISH OF UNION TO SELL ADJUDICATED PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS: PARCEL NO. 3011044475: A CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE TOWN OF FARMERVILLE, UNION PARISH, LA DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NE CORNER OF THE PROPERTY OF A.L. BUCKLEY WHICH WAS PURCHASED BY C.A. BUCKLEY FROM D.E. BAGWELL, AS DESCRIBED, IN DEED BOOK 101, PAGE 318 OF THE UNION PARISH RECORDS AND AT THE POINT WHERE THE ROAD LEADING FROM THE COX FERRY ROAD TO THE HOME OF DR. C.D. FRANCIS INTERSECTS WITH SAID COX FERRY ROAD, THENCE RUN SOUTHERLY ALONG THE WEST SIDE OF COX FERRY ROAD A DISTANCE OF 185 FEET AND WITH THIS AS A POB OF A LOT HEREIN DESCRIBED, RUN THENCE SOUTHERLY LONG THE W SIDE OF COX FERRY ROAD A DISTANCE OF 73 FEET, THENCE RUN DUE W A DISTANCE OF 161 FEET, THENCE DUE N A DISTANCE OF 73 FEET THENCE E TO POB CONTAINING FRACTIONAL ACRE MORE OR LESS TOGETHER WITH ALL THE IMPROVEMENTS SITUATED THEREON & THERETO BELONGING IN ACCORDANCE WITH LA R.S. 47: 2202 T

SEQ. AND TO AUTHORIZE THE UNION PARISH POLICE JURY PRESIDENT TO SIGN ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AND TO ADDRESS THEIR MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO.

WHEREAS, the immovable property described below was adjudicated to the Parish of Union on June 5, 2016 for nonpayment of taxes; and

WHEREAS, the three (3) year period for redemption, provided by Art. 7, §25 of the Louisiana Constitution has elapsed and established by Parish Ordinance No: 908 and the owner of record has failed to redeem the adjudicated property; and

WHEREAS, LA R.S. 47: 2202 *et seq.* provides that the Parish may sell adjudicated property in accordance with law after the expiration of the period for redemption; and

WHEREAS, the Parish of Union has declared the property described below surplus and not needed for a public purpose and to dispose of said property in accordance with LA R.S. 47:2202, *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with L.A. R.S. 47:2202 the Parish of Union has set a minimum purchase price in the amount of \$885.71 and

WHEREAS, the Parish of Union has received a written offer to purchase said property from James E. Franklin for the consideration of \$885.71, at the time of sale and has been accepted by the Union Parish Police Jury; and

WHEREAS, the property described herein below was scheduled for public auction on March 2, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

Parcel# 3011044475 /Municipal Address: 606 Martin Luther King Drive, Farmerville, LA

Legal Description: A certain lot or parcel of land located in the Town of Farmerville, Union Parish, LA described as follows: Beginning at the NE corner of the property of A.L. Buckley (which was purchased by C.A. Buckley from D.E. Bagwell, as described, in Deed Book 101, page 318 of the Union Parish Records) and at the point where the road leading from the Cox ferry Road to the home of Dr. C. D. Francis intersects with said Cox Ferry Road, thence run Southerly along the West side of Cox ferry Road a distance of 185 feet and with this as a POB of a lot herein described, run thence Southerly long the W side of Cox ferry Road a distance of 73 feet, thence run due W a distance of 161 feet, thence due N a distance of 73 feet thence E to POB containing fractional acre more or less together with all the improvements situated thereon & thereto belonging.

NOW BE IT ORDAINED by the Union Parish Police Jury, that any Act of Sale of the below described property shall contain the following conditions and requirements:

- 1) This property shall be sold in accordance with LS-R.S. 47:2201 *et. seq.*, without any warranty, from either the Parish or Management Company, whatsoever, even as to the return of the purchase price.
- 2) The sale shall be on a form approved by the Parish Attorney and that the sales price is paid by certified funds at the time of the sale.

- 3) The sale shall include a reservation of all mineral rights to the Parish, but shall convey all surface rights.
- 4) The following shall be completed prior to closing of sale:
 - a. E&P Consulting Services, LLC shall certify in writing to the Parish Attorney that they have examined the mortgage records, conveyance records, probate and civil suit records of the Parish of Union and that attached to this certification will be a written list of names and last known addresses of all owners, mortgagees, and any other person who may have a vested or contingent interest in the property, or who has filed a request for notice as provided in the former provisions LS-R.S. 33:4720.17(B), as indicated in those records.
 - b. E&P Consulting Services, LLC will provide notice to those persons identified in accordance with LS-R.S. 47:2201 *et. seq.* Proof of said notice will be filed in the conveyance records of Union Parish immediately after the Act of Sale.
 - c. At the time of closing, E&P Consulting Services, LLC will certify in writing to Parish Attorney and Clerk of Court that the number of days mandated by LS-R.S. 47:2201 *et. seq.* has elapsed since the above required notice was made or attempted and that the property has not been redeemed by the payment of the taxes owed.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, by the Union Parish Policy Jury, that the Police Jury President is hereby authorized to execute a Cash Sale of the above-described adjudicated property to the highest acceptable bidder. The Cash Sale shall contain all of the above conditions and requirements and shall be executed within the timelines specified. The above ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Moses, Pilgreen, Ramsey, Buckley, Bridges, Nyegaard, Nolan, Abercrombie and Ford

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT: None

WHEREUPON, the Ordinance was declared duly adopted this 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula Strickland
PAULA STRICKLAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

s/ Brenda Abercrombie
BRENDA ABERCROMBIE
PRESIDENT
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF UNION

I, the undersigned Secretary-Treasurer of the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, do hereby certify that the foregoing pages constitute a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by said Police Jury on the 7th day of March, 2023.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature at Farmerville, Louisiana, on this, the ____ day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula H. Strickland

Paula H. Strickland
Secretary/Treasurer

Motion Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Bridges, to declare the following property as surplus property and authorize the Secretary/Treasurer to advertise and auction off said surplus property. Motion carried unanimously.

2015	Ford Transit Van	1FBZX2ZMXFKB26386
2008	Mercury Grand Marquis	2MEFM75V78X622666
2016	Ford Van	1FBZX2ZMXGKB08102
2013	Chevy Express Pass Van	1GGAWGPFPG3D114982
2013	Chevy Express Pass Van	1GAWGPFPGXD1150001
2014	Ford F250 Super Duty	1FT7X2B66EEB67044
2005	Ford F150	1FTRW12WX5FA12478
2002	Chevy 2500 Silverado PU 3	1GCHK23U02F140721
2000	Chevy Fleet side C25 PU	1GCGC29R2YF438918
1989	Chevy PU 911 Truck	1GCCS14Z5K8219076
2013	Chevy Silverado 2500 Ext SP 1118 Ferguson Roller	1GC2KVC90Z207836 389
1999	Mack Tandem Diesel Truck	1M2P267C9XM044637
	Dodge Extended Cab	1B7KC23L21J280957
1993	Ford	1FDXK74C4PVA32349
1993	Ford	1FDXK74COPVA32350
2006	Ford F250	1FTSW20Y76EA07757
2014	Ford F250 SRW Super	1FT7W2B67EEB46996
2014	Ford F250 SRW Super	1FT7X2B62EEB67042
1985	GMC Gravel Truck	1GDM701E3FV520084
(1)	Kubota Tractor w/side mower	
(2)	Kubota Tractor w/side mower	
(3)	Kubota Tractor w/side mower	

Recommendations from the Airport Committee:

Mr. Nolan reported that the Airport Committee met earlier and has two recommendations.

Motion Mr. Nolan, seconded by Mr. Ramsey to charge \$500 per year for a hangar lease at the Union Parish Airport. This will affect new leases beginning March 1st, 2023. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Nolan, seconded by Mr. Bridges to enter into a lease agreement with Mark Branch (existing Hangar 5) and Chad Robinson (new build) at the Union Parish Airport for the sum of \$500 per year and authorize the President to execute each lease agreement. Motion carried unanimously.

Recommendations from the Landfill Committee:

Mr. Bridges reported that the Landfill Committee met earlier and discussed several items, but the committee only has one recommendation.

Motion Mr. Bridges, seconded by Mr. Nolan to authorize the Secretary/Treasurer to advertise for an off-road truck once the specs have been provided by the Public Works Director. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Bridges reported that bids were received at 9AM today for a Landfill Compactor. Two bids were received for the compactor: Louisiana Cat submitted a bid in the amount of \$1,540,113.55 and Lyle Machinery submitted a bid in the amount of \$1,179,320.00. Mr. Bridges stated that the machines are different brands. Before a decision can be made, Mr. Bridges is requesting that the Public Works Director and the Landfill Superintendent inspect the Tana Landfill Compactor to see how it compares to the Caterpillar.

Recommendations from the Road Committee:

Mr. Nyegaard reported that the Road Committee met earlier and have several recommendations.

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Bridges to hire Laura Hartt to assist with Project Management Services for the Scott's Hideaway Hazard Mitigation Project. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Ford to enter into an agreement with Hiperweb Software in the amount of \$12,700 for the first year and \$6,700 for every year thereafter and authorize the Secretary/Treasurer to execute the agreement. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Moses to assist with work in the Village of Junction City (302 South Pecan Street, 303 South Main & 6th Street and 411 East 6th Street) with the Village of Junction City paying for the cost of materials. Work will be performed as time allows. Motion carried unanimously.

The following ordinance was introduced by Mr. Nyegaard and duly seconded by Mr. Buckley:

ORDINANCE # 949

AN ORDINANCE SETTING THE SPEED LIMIT OF 35 MILES PER HOUR ON SCOTTS HIDEAWAY ROAD IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SETTING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

SECTION I: BE IT ORDAINED by the Police Jury of Union Parish that a maximum speed limit for any truck, car, motorcycle or any other equipment traveling on **Scotts Hideaway Road** in its entirety, shall not exceed 35 miles per hour.

SECTION II: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Police Jury of Union Parish, State of Louisiana, that any person, firm or corporation violating any provisions of this ordinance, upon conviction, shall not exceed the maximum fine for speeding upon a state highway plus court cost.

SECTION III: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that if any section, sentence, clause or words of this ordinance shall be held invalid by any court of final jurisdiction, the same shall not affect the validity of any other section.

SECTION IV: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that ordinance or parts of ordinance in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

The foregoing ordinance was introduced by **Mr. Nyegaard**, who moved its adoption and duly seconded by **Mr. Buckley** and was then adopted by the following YEA and NAY vote:

MEMBERS:	YEAS:	NAYS:	ABSENT:	ABSTAINING:
Curtis Moses	x			
Nathan Pilgreen	x			
Dewayne Ramsey	x			
Johnny Buckley	x			
Ben Bridges	x			
Ceis Nyegaard	x			
L.W. Nolan	x			
Brenda Abercrombie	x			
Andrew Ford, Jr.	x			

WHEREUPON, the Ordinance was declared duly adopted this 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula Strickland

PAULA STRICKLAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

s/ Brenda Abercrombie

BRENDA ABERCROMBIE
PRESIDENT
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Bridges to enter into a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Federal Lands Access Program and the Union Parish Police Jury and authorize the President to execute any necessary documents pending attorney review. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Bridges to approve the hiring of Riley Company for the Alabama Landing Road FLAP Project and authorize the President to execute any necessary documents. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Nolan to approve the hiring of Riley Company for the 2023 Union Parish Police Jury Road Program and authorize the President to execute any necessary documents. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Nyegaard, seconded by Mr. Bridges, to authorize legal counsel to request an Attorney General Opinion on what constitutes routine road maintenance. Motion carried unanimously.

Recommendations from the Personnel Committee:

The Personnel Committee met earlier and has one recommendation.

Motion Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Ramsey to waive the retirement probationary period for the Public Works Director, Tommy Durrett. His retirement contributions shall begin on Wednesday, March 8th. This will not affect any other benefits such as accruing vacation/sick time or holiday pay. Motion carried unanimously.

Recommendations from the Finance Committee:

The Finance Committee met earlier and has four recommendations.

Motion Mr. Ramsey, seconded by Mr. Moses to purchase two (2) John Deere 5060E Tractors and two (2) John Deere 520M Loaders in the amount of \$46,509.31 each from Goldman Equipment, LLC. Both of these items are on state contract. Funds to purchase will come out of the ARPA funds pending a committee meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Ramsey, seconded by Mr. Bridges to authorize the Secretary/Treasurer to advertise for the purchase of an Oil Tanker Truck. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Ramsey, seconded by Mr. Moses to move forward on a grant for a Homeland Security Warehouse/Office and authorize the President to execute any necessary documents. Motion carried with the following vote:

MEMBERS:	YEAS:	NAYS:	ABSENT:	ABSTAINING:
Curtis Moses	x			
Nathan Pilgreen	x			
Dewayne Ramsey	x			
Johnny Buckley	x			
Ben Bridges		x		
Ceis Nyegaard	x			
L.W. Nolan	x			
Brenda Abercrombie	x			
Andrew Ford, Jr.	x			

The following Resolution was introduced by Mr. Ramsey, and duly seconded by Mr. Buckley:

UP RESOLUTION 2023-04

A resolution of intention of the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, to create a Sewerage District in Union Parish, Louisiana, ordering and directing the President of said Police Jury to give notice of the proposed creation and proposed boundaries of said Sewerage District, and providing for the hearing of any and all objections to the creation and boundaries of said Sewerage District.

WHEREAS, the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the “Police Jury”), intends to create a Sewerage District in Union Parish; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana Revised Statutes 33:3881, authorizes Police Juries (parish governing authorities) to create Sewerage Districts composed of territory outside the corporate limits of municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the governing authority of the District requested that a Sewerage District be created; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, it is now the desire of this Police Jury to create a Sewerage District;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, acting as the governing authority of said Parish, that:

SECTION 1. In compliance with the provisions of the Act and other constitutional and statutory authority, it is the intention of this Police Jury to create a Sewerage District in District 8, Union Parish, Louisiana, such that the following described areas are added to the boundaries of the District:

The point of beginning being the intersection of Pinewood Road and State Route 143; thence, westerly on Pinewood Road to Arkansas Road; thence, northerly on Arkansas Road to an un-named rural road; thence, southwesterly on an un-named rural road to Buffalo Hole Road; thence, westerly on Buffalo Hole Road to Lonnie Branch; thence, southerly on Lonnie Branch to Bayou de Loutre; thence, southeasterly along Bayou de Loutre to Ferry Road; thence, southwesterly on Ferry Road to Crossroads Loop; thence, westerly on Crossroads Loop to West Port Union Road; thence, westerly on West Port Union Road to Hodge Road; thence, southwesterly on Hodge Road to Bayou D’arbonne; thence, westerly along Bayou D’arbonne to Francis Creek; thence, southwesterly along Francis Creek to Ruggs Bluff Road; thence, southeasterly on Ruggs Bluff Road to Highway 552; thence, westerly on Highway 552 to Prentice Pardue Road; thence, southerly on Prentice Pardue Road to a powerline; thence, southwesterly along the powerline to Mars Hill Road; thence, southerly on Mars Hill Road to Goldsmith Road; thence, southerly on Goldsmith Road to Old New Orleans Road; thence easterly on Old New Orleans Road to Wilhite Cemetery Road; thence, easterly on Wilhite Cemetery Road to Highway 552; thence, southwesterly on Highway 552 to the southern boundary of Union Parish; thence, northeasterly along the southern boundary of Union Parish to an extension of River Road; thence, southwesterly on River Road to Pruitt Road; thence, westerly on Pruitt Road to a powerline; thence, northwesterly along the powerline to Ouachita City Road; thence, northwesterly on Ouachita City Road to Cook Cemetery Road; thence, westerly on Cook Cemetery Road to its intersection with Henry Cook Road; thence, southerly on Henry Cook Road to Ouachita City Road; thence, westerly on Ouachita City Road to State Route 143; thence, northerly on State Route 143 back to the point of beginning.

SECTION 2. This Police Jury shall meet in open and public session at the Police Jury Meeting Room of the Courthouse Annex, 303 E. Water Street, Farmerville, Louisiana, **Tuesday, May 2nd, 2023**, at six o'clock (6:00) p.m., for the purpose of hearing any and all objections to the creation of the proposed Sewerage District in Union Parish, Louisiana, and, after disposing of all objections, the Police Jury shall, create said Sewerage District, and adopt a resolution or ordinance creating the District.

SECTION 3. The President of this Police Jury is hereby ordered and directed to issue a Notice of Intention of the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana, to create the boundaries of the District, which notice shall embrace substantially all things set forth in this resolution, shall be

substantially in the form attached as Exhibit "A" hereto and shall be published in accordance with the provisions of law.

This resolution having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

MEMBERS:	YEAS:	NAYS:	ABSENT:	ABSTAINING:
Curtis Moses	x			
Nathan Pilgreen	x			
Dewayne Ramsey	x			
Johnny Buckley	x			
Ben Bridges	x			
Ceis Nyegaard	x			
L.W. Nolan	x			
Brenda Abercrombie	x			
Andrew Ford, Jr.	x			

And the resolution was declared adopted on this, the 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula Strickland
PAULA STRICKLAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

s/ Brenda Abercrombie
BRENDA ABERCROMBIE
PRESIDENT
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

EXHIBIT "A"

NOTICE OF INTENTION

Pursuant to the provisions of the La. Revised Statutes 33:3881 and a resolution adopted by the Police Jury of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the Police Jury), the governing authority of the Parish of Union, State of Louisiana (the Parish), on March 7th, 2023, **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** of the intention of the Police Jury to create a new Sewerage District which shall comprise and embrace all of the territory within the following described boundaries of the Parish:

The point of beginning being the intersection of Pinewood Road and State Route 143; thence, westerly on Pinewood Road to Arkansas Road; thence, northerly on Arkansas Road to an un-named rural road; thence, southwesterly on an un-named rural road to Buffalo Hole Road; thence, westerly on Buffalo Hole Road to Lonnie Branch; thence, southerly on Lonnie Branch to Bayou de Loutre; thence, southeasterly along Bayou de Loutre to Ferry Road; thence, southwesterly on Ferry Road to Crossroads Loop; thence, westerly on Crossroads Loop to West Port Union Road; thence, westerly on West Port Union Road to Hodge Road; thence, southwesterly on Hodge Road to Bayou D'arbonne; thence, westerly along Bayou D'arbonne to Francis Creek; thence, southwesterly along Francis Creek to Ruggs Bluff Road; thence, southeasterly on Ruggs Bluff Road to Highway 552; thence, westerly on Highway 552 to Prentice Pardue Road; thence, southerly on Prentice Pardue Road to a powerline; thence, southwesterly along the powerline to Mars Hill Road; thence, southerly on Mars Hill Road to Goldsmith Road; thence, southerly on Goldsmith Road to Old New Orleans Road; thence easterly on Old New Orleans Road to Wilhite Cemetery Road; thence, easterly on Wilhite Cemetery Road to Highway 552; thence, southwesterly on Highway 552 to the southern boundary of Union Parish; thence, northeasterly along the southern boundary of Union Parish to an extension of River Road; thence, southwesterly on River Road to Pruitt

Road; thence, westerly on Pruitt Road to a powerline; thence, northwesterly along the powerline to Ouachita City Road; thence, northwesterly on Ouachita City Road to Cook Cemetery Road; thence, westerly on Cook Cemetery Road to its intersection with Henry Cook Road; thence, southerly on Henry Cook Road to Ouachita City Road; thence, westerly on Ouachita City Road to State Route 143; thence, northerly on State Route 143 back to the point of beginning.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Police Jury will meet in open and public session at its regular meeting place, the Police Jury Meeting Room of the Courthouse Annex, 303 E. Water Street, Farmerville, Louisiana, on Tuesday, May 2nd, 2023, at six o'clock (6:00) p.m., and will at that time hear any and all objections to the creation of the proposed Sewerage District, to the boundaries of said Sewerage District, and to the property to be included therein, and, after disposing of all objections, if it determines to do so, the Police Jury will adopt a resolution creating said Sewerage District, fixing the boundaries of the District, and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at Farmerville, Louisiana, on this, the 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ **Brenda Abercrombie**
BRENDA ABERCROMBIE
PRESIDENT
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

ATTEST:

s/ **Paula H. Strickland**
PAULA H. STRICKLAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

In accordance with Ordinance 549, time for public comment was given.

Julio Haulcy presented the jury with a handout on the Betty Street Community Center. Mr. Haulcy explained the work that had gone into the facility. Mr. Haulcy also addressed the youth activities and the activities that area held at the facility.

Steve Alexander addressed the jury regarding the Scotts Hideaway Hazard Mitigation Project.

Johnny Creed addressed the jury regarding Public Records Requests and roads.

Michelle Bryan addressed the jury regarding the cleanup on Saturday, March 11th. Mrs. Bryan reminded the jury that there would be another cleanup in September.

Mary Barrios addressed the jury regarding the Boys and Girls Club.

Lynn Ramsey addressed the jury regarding the excessive amount of committee meetings in one day and requested that the committee meetings be held on more than one day.

Jeff Best addressed the jury regarding Stansbury Road dumpsters and inquired about the possibility of a fence around the dumpsters.

Senator Stewart Cathey addressed the jury with a session update.

Shannon Futch addressed the jury regarding Homeland Security.

Jon McKinnie, Union Parish Chamber of Commerce, addressed the jury about upcoming area local events.

There being no further business to come before the Jury, the President declared the meeting adjourned upon motion by Mr. Ramsey, seconded by Mr. Nolan on this the 7th day of March, 2023.

s/ Paula H. Strickland

PAULA H. STRICKLAND
SECRETARY-TREASURER
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY

s/ Brenda Abercrombie

BRENDA ABERCROMBIE
PRESIDENT
UNION PARISH POLICE JURY