Union Parish Police Jury

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OFFICERS:

Date: September 30th, 2024

PRESIDENT GLENN HUTTO TO ALL POLICE JURY MEMBERS:

VICE-PRESIDENT MICHAEL G. HOLLEY The Chairman of the Courthouse Committee has called a meeting for 5:30 P.M., Tuesday, October 1st, 2024 to be held in the Police Jury Meeting Room, Union Parish Courthouse Annex, Farmerville, Louisiana to take up the following business:

PAULA H. STRICKLAND SEC-TREASURER

1. Call to order, prayer and roll call.

MEMBERS:

2. Public Comment on agenda items.

DISTRICT 1 CURTIS MOSES 3. Approve agenda with any additions, deletions or changes.

DISTRICT 2

4. Adopt minutes of the September 3rd, 2024 meeting.

NATHAN PILGREEN

Discuss and make recommendations, if necessary, regarding request from the Town of Farmerville.

DISTRICT 3 MICHAEL G. HOLLEY 6. Betty Street Community Center update.

MCIENDE OF HOLLEY

7. Adjourn.

DISTRICT 4
GLENN HUTTO

Curtis Moses, Chairman
Paula Strickland, Secretary/Treasurer

DISTRICT 5 BEN BRIDGES Curtis Moses (c) Brenda Abercrombie A.J. Ford Jeremy Hobbs

DISTRICT 6 RUSSELL WADE

DISTRICT 7
JEREMY HOBBS

Public Comments – Union Parish Police Jury Ordinance 549 states that public comment period shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes. The time period for each individual wishing to make public comment to the Union Parish Police Jury shall not exceed three (3) minutes unless that period is specifically extended for good cause by the presiding officer of the Police Jury.

DISTRICT 8 BRENDA ABERCROMBIE

The Union Parish Police Jury reserves the right to enter into Executive Session, if needed, in accordance with R.S. 42:17.

DISTRICT 9 ANDREW FORD, JR.

COURTHOUSE COMMITTEE MINUTES OF MEETING September 3rd, 2024 5:00 P.M.

Present: Curtis Moses, Brenda Abercrombie and Jeremy Hobbs. Absent: A.J. Ford, Jr. Also present: Glenn Hutto, Nathan Pilgreen, Russell Wade, Ben Bridges, Mike Holley, Johnny Creed and Danielle Harkins.

Mr. Moses called the meeting to order. Mr. Glenn Hutto led the group in prayer.

Motion Mrs. Abercrombie, seconded by Mr. Hobbs and declared adopted by unanimous roll call vote of the Committee to approve the agenda as written.

Motion Mrs. Abercrombie, seconded by Mr. Hobbs and declared adopted by unanimous vote to approve the minutes of the August 6th, 2024 meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The Secretary/Treasurer provided a brief update on the grant funds for the Betty Street Community Center. Mr. Moses previously obtained funds from Stewart Cathey for an HVAC upgrade. There is approximately \$17,000 left over from that grant agreement that can be used for building improvements.

A brief discussion was held regarding the renting of the Betty Street Community Center. Mrs. Abercrombie suggested that the center be rented out and not leased solely to one person. Motion Mrs. Abercrombie, seconded by Mr. Moses to recommend to the full jury for the Union Parish Police Jury to control the rental of the facility. The center will be available for the public to rent as follows: \$250 per day with a \$150 refundable deposit if the facility is clean. The hours will be Monday through Friday 7:00 AM to 9:00 PM; Weekend 7:00 AM to 10:00 PM. Motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business to come before the committee, Mr. Moses declared the meeting adjourned upon motion by Mrs. Abercrombie and duly seconded by Mr. Hobbs on this the 3rd day of September, 2024.

Curtis Moses, Chairman Paula Strickland, Secretary-Treasurer John Crow MAYOR

Town of Farmerville

Gay Nell Pepper TOWN CLERK/ TREASURER

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September 26, 2024

Union Parish Police Jury Mr. Glen Hutto, President

The Town of Farmerville would like to request the use of a small piece of land around the Betty Street Community property to build a playground for children in the community. We would not be installing anything that could not be easily moved upon request.

Thank you for your consideration in the matter.

Your truly,

TOWN OF FARMERVILLE

GAY NELL PEPPER

TOWN CLERK/TREASURER