

**LANDFILL COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF MEETING
September 8th, 2026
5:30 P.M.**

Present: Ben Bridges, Brenda Abercrombie, Mike Holley and Nathan Pilgreen. Absent: None.
Also present: Glenn Hutto, Russell Wade, Shane Abercrombie, Milas Davidson, Linda Hammett and Danielle Harkins.

There were no public comments on agenda items.

Mr. Bridges called the meeting to order. Mr. Holley led the group in prayer.

Motion Mr. Holley, seconded by Mr. Pilgreen to approve the agenda as written. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Mr. Pilgreen, seconded by Mr. Holley to approve the minutes of the August 11th, 2026 meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

A brief discussion was held regarding the possible transfer of tipping fee revenues to the Road Department for additional maintenance work. Mr. Bridges questioned whether the Landfill budget could sustain the transfer. Mrs. Strickland stated that she had calculated the estimated amount needed for the Road Maintenance and Landfill Departments to complete the remainder of the year. Mr. Bridges requested that the matter be discussed at a later date after additional figures could be obtained from Jon Fourrier regarding the amount needed by the Landfill Department through the end of the year. **No action taken.**

A brief discussion was held regarding funds received through the efforts of Senator Stewart Cathey and Representative Chris Turner. The Parish was allocated \$350,000 to be used for the purchase of a new bucket truck. This matter will be discussed at the next equipment meeting to review the specs. **Motion Mr. Holley, seconded by Mr. Pilgreen to recommend to the full jury to authorize the Secretary/Treasurer to advertise for the purchase of a bucket truck. Motion carried unanimously.**

A brief discussion was held regarding the purchase of a bush hog for use by the Landfill Department. Mr. Bridges stated that he had researched the equipment but had not yet identified a suitable machine for purchase. He requested that the matter be placed on the October agenda for further consideration. **No action taken.**

There being no more business to come before the committee, Mr. Bridges declared the meeting adjourned upon motion by Mr. Pilgreen and duly seconded by Mr. Holley on this the 8th day of September, 2026.

Ben Bridges, Chairman
Paula Strickland, Secretary/Treasurer