

RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION DISTRICT
STATE OF LOUISIANA

REGULAR SESSION
DECEMBER 13, 2023

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF AND UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF CHAPTER 31 OF TITLE 33 OF THE LOUISIANA REVISED STATUTES OF 1950, AND COMPRISING OF R.S. 33:9101 THROUGH R.S. 33:9106, INCLUSIVE, AND AS AMENDED, AND CREATED BY THE RAPIDES PARISH POLICE JURY IN REGULAR SESSION CONVENED FEBRUARY 18, 1986, AND AS AMENDED, THE FOLLOWING WRITTEN NOTICE GIVEN AND POSTED IN THE MANNER REQUIRED BY LAW, MR. DARRELL BASCO, MR. VERNON CREECY, MR. SAM DEBONA, MR. JASON DEWITT, MR. PAUL FUSELIER, MR. MARCUS SANDOVAL, MR. RYAN SPILLER, MR. MARK TIGNER AND MR. RUSSELL TURNAGE, APPOINTED AS COMMISSIONERS OF THE RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATIONS DISTRICT, MEET AT THE DOMICILE OF SAID COMMUNICATIONS DISTRICT, AT THE RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION CENTER, 4216 ELLIS STREET, ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA, ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2023 AT 11:00 A.M., FOR THE TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS, SAID NOTICE BEING AS FOLLOWS:

NOTICE OF REGULAR SESSION

NOVEMBER 27, 2023

THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION DISTRICT WILL BE HELD AT 11:00 A.M., ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2023 AT THE RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION CENTER CONFERENCE ROOM, 4216 ELLIS STREET, MARTIN PARK SOFTBALL COMPLEX, ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA.

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND.

VERY TRULY YOURS,
RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION DISTRICT
MARK TIGNER, CHAIRMAN

PRESENT: DARRELL BASCO, VERNON CREECY, SAM DEBONA, JASON DEWITT, PAUL FUSELIER, MARCUS SANDOVAL, RYAN SPILLER, MARK TIGNER AND RUSSELL TURNAGE

ABSENT:

ALSO, PRESENT: SHERRY LEDINGTON, ANGIE BRANTON AND JEFF MICHIELS, RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION DISTRICT.

CHAIRMAN TIGNER CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER BEGINNING WITH PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND THEN ASKED THE SECRETARY TO CALL ROLL. QUORUM MET.

CALL FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON ANY AGENDA ITEM TO BE VOTED ON IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACT 850 OF 2010. NO PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE.

MOTION MADE BY MR. FUSELIER AND SECONDED BY MR. TURNAGE TO ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE RPCD BOARD MEETING HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2023. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

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THE NEXT ITEM WAS THE DISTRICT ACTIVITIES REPORT. MEMBERS WERE PROVIDED A COPY PRIOR TO MEETING.

MOTION MADE BY MR. BASCO AND SECONDED BY MR. CREECY TO RECEIVE/DISCUSS/ACCEPT THE RPCD DISTRICT ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2023. DISCUSSION HELD. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

LEGAL UPDATE: MR. WELLS INDICATED NOTHING TO REPORT.

THERE BEING NO OLD BUSINESS, CHAIRMAN MOVED ON TO NEW BUSINESS.

MOTION MADE BY MR. TURNAGE AND SECONDED BY MR. SANDOVAL TO NAME "THE TOWN TALK" AS THE RPCD OFFICIAL JOURNAL FOR 2024. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION MADE BY MR. CREECY AND SECONDED BY MR. BASCO TO AUTHORIZE EXPENSES FOR BOARD MEMBERS, LEGAL & E/D TO ATTEND CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS/TRAINING AS DETERMINED BY E/D & W/IN FY 2024 BUDGET. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION MADE BY MR. FUSELIER AND SECONDED BY MR. DEWITT TO AUTHORIZE EXPENSES OF EMPLOYEES TO ATTEND CONFERENCE/WORKSHOPS/TRAINING AS DETERMINED BY E/D & W/IN FY 2024 BUDGET. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION MADE BY MR. BASCO AND SECONDED BY MR. FUSELIER TO RENEW RPCD ELIGIBILITY IN THE FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY DONATIONS PROGRAM & AUTHORIZE E/D AND/OR CHAIRMAN TO SIGN. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

THE NEXT ITEM WAS ELECTION OF RPCD 2024 BOARD OFFICERS:

MOTION MADE BY MR. DEWITT SECONDED BY MR. FUSELIER TO ELECT MR. BASCO AS RPCD 2024 CHAIRMAN. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION MADE BY MR. BASCO AND SECONDED BY MR. CREECY TO ELECT MR. DEWITT AS RPCD 2024 VICE-CHAIRMAN. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION MADE BY MR. FUSELIER AND SECONDED BY MR. DEWITT TO ELECT MR. SPILLER AS RPCD 2024 SEC./TREASURER. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER NEW BUSINESS THE CHAIRMAN MOVED ON TO THE FINANCIAL REPORT.

MOTION MADE BY MR. CREECY AND SECONDED BY MR. BASCO TO APPROVE THE FINANCIAL CASH STATEMENT FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 2023. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

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MOTION MADE BY MR. TURNAGE AND SECONDED BY MR. SANDOVAL TO APPROVE ALL BILLS AS PAID FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2023. ALL IN FAVOR, MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION MADE BY MR. DEWITT AND SECONDED BY MR. FUSELIER, MEETING ADJOURNED.

THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING IS JANUARY 10, 2024 AT 10:00 A.M.



MARK TIGNER, CHAIRMAN
RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION DISTRICT

ATTEST:



SHERRY LEDINGTON, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
RAPIDES PARISH COMMUNICATION DISTRICT