

Manager, Barry LeJuene, reported on the monthly customer update, noting that a total decrease of 13 customers was realized thru December and 824 YTD resulting in a total customer count of 24,164.

Financial report was presented by the Administrative Secretary for the month of December 2022, and a comparison of the period of operations and budget was given to the Board of Commissioners.


Motion to accept the financial report as presented with no public comment by S.Spillman seconded by J.McCoy Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

Under board comments, Chairman called for an election of officers at the next meeting.

Motion to approve the bills as presented with no public comment by S.Spillman seconded by J.McCoy Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

Motion to approve the construction bills as presented for Loan #1063039-05 (2019 series) with no public comment by S.Spillman seconded by J.McCoy Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

Motion to adjourn the meeting with no public comment by J.McCoy seconded by S.Ball Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

  
 Randall Smith Administrative Secretary  
 Next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at 7 PM  
 Regular Meeting

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Alderman was held Wednesday, February 15, 2023, in the boardroom at the Springfield Municipal Building at 7:00 pm. Those present were Mayor Thomas Abels, Alderman Roy Miller, Hunter Stoetzner, and Tracy Bryson. Alderman Jimmy Fabre, Marty Starkey and Town Attorney John Watts were absent.

Motion by Tracy Bryson seconded by Hunter Stoetzner to accept the minutes from the Regular Meeting held January 18, 2023.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Hunter Stoetzner seconded by Roy Miller to accept the Financial Statements for the General Fund, Springfield Wastewater Account, Springfield Solid Waste Fund, TOS ARRP Account, Springfield Cemetery Account, and the TOS Sewer Construction for the month ending January 2022.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Tracy Bryson seconded by Hunter Stoetzner to donate 1000.00 for the Town of Springfield Easter Egg hunt.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Roy Miller seconded by Hunter Stoetzner to renew Carter's Supermarket's package 'B' only beer and liquor license,

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Tracy Bryson seconded by Hunter Stoetzner to lift agenda.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Roy Miller seconded by Hunter Stoetzner to name the road beside Mami's Restaurant going back to Lil Country Bumpkins, Bulldog Lane.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Hunter Stoetzner seconded by Roy Miller to return to Regular Agenda.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

Motion by Tracy Bryson seconded by Hunter Stoetzner to adjourn.

Yeas: Miller, Stoetzner, Bryson  
 Nays: None  
 Absent: Fabre, Starkey

  
 Marie Kreutzer, Town Clerk

IN THE MATTER OF PROBATE NO. 18015 DIV. D  
 21ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
 THE SUCCESSION OF PARISH OF LIVINGSTON  
 CHESTER BALLARD STATE OF LOUISIANA  
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NOTICE OF FILING OF PETITION FOR AUTHORITY TO PAY SUCCESSION DEBTS AND TO HOMOLOGATE THE PROPOSED TABLEAU OF DISTRIBUTION  
 Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the estate of Chester Ballard and to all other persons herein interested that a petition to homologate a tableau of distribution has been filed by the executor, Sean Elton Ballard, in this succession for authority to pay debts of the succession according to the Tableau of Distribution submitted therewith. The petition can be homologated after the expiration of seven (7) days from the date of the publication of this notice and any opposition to the petition must be filed prior to homologation.

PUBLIC NOTICE  
 (NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE LOCAL BILL – HLS 23RS-408)  
 Public notice is hereby given, as provided by Section 13, Article III of the Constitution of Louisiana, that there will be introduced at the forthcoming session of the Legislature of Louisiana, to be convened on April 10, 2023, a bill by Rep. Valarie Hodges relative to Livingston Parish; to provide relative to the parish library; to provide relative to the library board of control; to provide relative to the membership of the board; to provide relative to the appointment of board members; and to provide for related matters.

PUBLIC NOTICE  
 (NOTICE OF INTENTION TO INTRODUCE LOCAL BILL – HLS 23RS-320)  
 Public notice is hereby given, as provided by Section 13, Article III of the Constitution of Louisiana, that there will be introduced at the forthcoming session of the Legislature of Louisiana, to be convened on April 10, 2023, a bill relative to the city of Denham Springs; to authorize the city's governing authority to levy a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE AND PUBLIC HEARING  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following entitled Ordinance was introduced in writing in the form required for adoption at a meeting of the Parish Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, on February 23, 2023, and laid over for publication of notice:  
**L.P. ORDINANCE 23-07**  
 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 117, "ZONING," ARTICLE IV, "ZONING DISTRICTS", BY CREATING DIVISION 4.1, "(R-2.5) RESIDENTIAL – RURAL SINGLE FAMILY."


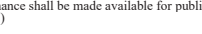
NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Parish Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana will meet on Thursday, March 23, 2023, at six o'clock (6:00) p.m., in the Council Chambers in the Governmental Building, 20355 Government Blvd., Livingston, Louisiana, at which time there will be a public hearing on the adoption of the aforesaid Ordinance.

  
 Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk  
  
 John Wascom, Council Chairman  
 (Copies of the proposed Ordinance shall be made available for public inspection in the office of the Parish Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana.)

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**L.P. ORDINANCE 23-06**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 117 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF LIVINGSTON PARISH, "ZONING" ARTICLE III, "NONCONFORMITIES", DIVISION 1, "GENERALLY", BY ADDING SECTION 117-95, "DEFINITION", SECTION 117-96, "NONCONFORMING USES" AND DIVISION 2, "TYPES OF CONFORMITIES", SECTION 117-95, "NONCONFORMING LOTS" AND SECTION 117-96, "NONCONFORMING STRUCTURES", IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Parish Council of said Parish will meet on March 23, 2023, at six (6:00) o'clock p.m., at the Parish Council Chambers at 20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana, at which time there will be a public hearing on the adoption of the aforesaid ordinance.

  
 Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk  
  
 John Wascom, Council Chairman  
 (As per rules of the Council, copies of the proposed ordinance shall be made available for public inspection in the Office of the Livingston Parish Council.)

**Minutes of the Livingston Parish Council**  
**Livingston, Louisiana**  
**February 9, 2023**  
 The Livingston Parish Council met in a regular session duly called, advertised, and convened at its regular meeting place, at the Governmental Building in the Parish Council Chambers, 20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana, on Thursday, February 9, 2023, at the hour of six o'clock (6:00) p.m. with the following Livingston Parish Council members present:  
 Jeff Ard  
 Gary Talbert  
 Maurice "Scooter" Keen  
 Erin Sandefur  
 Gerald McMorris  
 Tracy Girlinghouse  
 Randy Delatte  
 Shane Mack  
 John Wascom  
 Absent: Parish President Layton Ricks  
 Also present: Mark Harrell on behalf of the Parish President in his absence  
 Brad Cascio, Parish Legal Counsel  
 The chair called the meeting to order.  
 The chair asked the public to please mute or turn off their cell phones.  
 The chair announced that Public Input would be accepted from any member of the audience wishing to address an agenda item and explained the procedure to be called upon.  
 The chair addressed agenda item number 7, "Presentations". Having none, the chair moved to the next agenda item.  
 The chair addressed agenda item number 8, "Adopt the Minutes of:  
 a. January 12, 2023 regular meeting of the Livingston Parish Council  
 b. January 26, 2023 regular meeting of the Livingston Parish Council"  
**LPR NO. 23-057**  
 MOTION was made by Tracy Girlinghouse and duly seconded by Maurice "Scooter" Keen to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the January 12, 2023 regular meeting of the Livingston Parish Council and adopt as written.  
 Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:  
 YEAS: MR. DELATTE, MR. KEEN, MR. MACK, MR. GIRLINGHOUSE, MR. WASCOM, MR. TALBERT, MS. SANDEFUR, MR. MCMORRIS, MR. ARD  
 NAYS: NONE  
 ABSENT: NONE  
 ABSTAIN: NONE  
 Thereupon the chair declared that the Motion had carried and was adopted.  
 The chair declared that agenda item 8b, "January 26, 2023 regular meeting of the Livingston Parish Council", would be deferred until the next regular meeting of Livingston Parish Council on February 23, 2023.

# PUBLIC NOTICES

## TOWN OF LIVINGSTON PUBLIC AWARENESS NOTICE FOR NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS

The Town of Livingston owns and operates a natural gas distribution system in the town. The gas system consists of and underground network of pipelines throughout the town and unincorporated areas adjacent to the town limits. The purpose of the gas system is to provide a reliable and safe economical source of energy for heating purposes to the homes and businesses adjacent to the underground gas pipelines. The pipeline system has the capacity to reliably deliver natural gas to the customers.

The hazards of natural gas are it is odorless, colorless, tasteless, lighter than air, and can ignite and/or explode with tremendous force when mixed with the right amount of air.

- Prevention measures taken include:
- Adding odorant to the gas to give it that distinctive smell, similar to rotten eggs, to warn us of its presence
  - Testing the odorant level each calendar quarter
  - Performing annual gas leakage surveys
  - Conducting periodic pipeline patrols

- The following are signs that may indicate a gas leak:
- A hissing or roaring sound (caused by escaping gas)
  - A patch of dead or discolored vegetation in an otherwise green setting along a pipeline route
  - Blowing dirt, grass, or leaves near a pipeline
  - Continuous bubbling in wet, flooded areas
  - A gas smell similar to rotten eggs

Anyone who may smell this odor or notice any unusual conditions on or near gas mains, vents, service lines, meter sets, or especially inside of a building should call the Town of Livingston immediately. If you smell a strong gas odor inside a building, notify everyone in the building to leave. Do not operate any switches or use the phone. Go a safe distance away upwind of the gas smell and call the Town of Livingston.

Pipeline markers are maintained to inform the public of the gas line location. State and federal laws require excavators to notify LA One- Call two full working days before digging. If any excavation is planned you must notify LA One- Call which will notify the Town to locate the gas lines. The Town of Livingston maintains memberships on the LA One-Call program.

To obtain additional information or report gas related issues call the Town of Livingston at 225-686-7153 (24 hours). The LA One-Call Center phone number is 811. This information and the pipeline signs are provided ad public awareness and damage prevention awareness notices.



February 23, 2023

## PUBLIC HEARING MEETING

The City of Walker will hold a Zoning meeting on March 20, 2023, at 6:00 pm at the Walker City Hall located at 13600 Aydeil Lane, Walker, LA 70785 will discuss the following agenda item:

- PUBLIC HEARING TO REZONE FROM R-70 TO C2 FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 3815 WALKER NORTH ROAD FOR MR. KEITH JENKINS.

10126 Florida Boulevard Walker, Louisiana 70785  
 P.O. Box 217 Walker, Louisiana 70785  
 (225) 465-2186  
 www.walker-la.us

The Commissioners of Ward Two Water District of Livingston Parish met in a regular meeting on Tuesday, January 17, 2023 at 7:00 pm at their Administration office on Carter Drive in Denham Springs, La.

Chairman John Easterly opened the regular meeting  
 Present: J.Easterly, S.Spillman, J.McCoy, S.Ball, D.Strickland, J.Martone  
 Absent – none

Guests - Barry LeJuene, Manager  
 Agnes Killcrease, Administrative Director  
 Toby Fruge- of Owen & White  
 Legal Counsel, Blayne Honeycutt  
 Trey Sanders, H.T.Bourgeois CPA's  
 George McCallum, Foxglove Development engineer

Public-none

Motion to accept the minutes from special meeting held on December 20, 2022, as mailed with no public comment by S.Spillman seconded by S.Ball Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

Trey Sanders presented the 2022 financial audit engagement proposal including the 2022 AUP audit engagement.

Motion to approve the 2022 Financial Audit and AUP Audit as presented by H.T.Bourgeois CPA's with no public comment by J.McCoy seconded by S.Spillman Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

George McCallum gave an update on the storage tank design for a water system fire protection system. He explained the components that are designed for the tank and noted that planning for the enclosure is forthcoming along with the tank foundation design. Jimmy McCoy explained that during past disasters gas flow can not be consistent from providers which will impact gas back up systems.

Legal Counsel reported that there were no new items to report on.

Engineer, Toby Fruge, made an update regarding the DWRL provision for new electronic meters per DHH. They have stated that funding for 2022 may materialize even in 2023 for a 51%/49% matching program previously discussed for a 6 million dollar loan with nearly 3 million forgiven. He also stated that the RFP specifications are being published for bid submission this month. Chairman commented on this potential and that a special meeting may be held. Board discussed the urgency of this action.

Motion to advertise for bids for the electronic meter purchase project through the DWRL funding as recommended by Engineer with no public comment by S.Ball seconded by S.Spillman Vote passed Yeas-6 Nays-none Absent-none

Engineer noted that he is securing quotes for the Wildwood water extension line which may come under the \$250,000 limit for official bids.

Administrative Director noted that the new billing system went live on 1-16-23 and small adjustments are being worked on.







