# **REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING**



May 07, 2024 at 5:30 PM Council Meeting Room, 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana 70510

# AGENDA

# NOTICE POSTED: May 6, 2024 at 4:00 P.M.

## **REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS**

Call to Order by Mayor Roll Call by Kathy Faulk Prayer Pledge

## PUBLIC COMMENTS

(To allow comments on any of the following items prior to action.)

#### MINUTES AND APPROVAL OF BILLS

- 1. To ratify bills paid in the month of April 2024.
- 2. To approve the minutes from the April 16, 2024 regular City Council meeting.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- 1. To approve the renewal of Workers' Compensation Insurance for the period of May 19, 2024 through May 18, 2025.
- 2. Discussion with the property owner of 509 S. Young pertaining to the dilapidated structure and to authorize any action if needed.
- 3. Discussion with the property owner of 1524 Oscar Street pertaining to the dilapidated structure, grass, weeds and trees and to authorize any action if needed.
- 4. Discussion with the property owner of 302 S. Miles pertaining to the dilapidated structure, grass, weeds and trees and to authorize any action if needed.
- 5. To award the contract for demolition of the structure at 907 S. Lyman.
- 6. To award the contract for the demolition of the structure at 912 S. Lyman.
- 7. To accept the recommendation of the Abbeville Planning Commission to grant a variance for the landscaping plan for Market D'Ville located at 602 Charity.
- 8. To ratify expenses for the tree trimming crew for the Electrical Department.
- To approve payment of the invoice from Subsurface Solutions, LLC in the amount of \$10,920.00
  associated with drainage and sewer video inspections in conjunction with the Abbeville Road Transfer
  Program Downtown Street Improvements Project.
- 10. To approve the renewal of the insurance package for the Fire Department with VFIS for the period from June 7, 2024 through June 6, 2025. The annual renewal premium is \$98,626.00 and the expiring premium was \$96,319.00.
- 11. To approve payment of the invoice from Terry's Diesel Repair in the amount of \$7,369.66 to repair a fire truck.
- 12. To approve the purchase of three used police vehicles from the Acadia Parish Sheriff's Office at a cost of \$10,000.00 per vehicle Chief Mike Hardy.
- 13. To ratify authorization of the Mayor to execute the assignment of the lease concerning hangar #4 on Tract 2 at the airport.
- 14. To authorize the purchase of a used 2021 Ford Expedition in the amount of \$10,000.00 from Acadia Parish Sheriff's Office for the City Marshal's office.
- 15. To approve the expense to bore and install electrical boxes in Downtown at an approximate cost of \$27,000.00.

- 16. To authorize advertisement for bids for the Runway Lighting Upgrade project subject to DOTD approval and funding availability.
- 17. To approve payment of partial payment number 7 to Southern Constructors for the New Fishing Pier and Wharf project at LaFitte Drive-in Park.
- 18. To adopt a resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute the Notice of Acceptance relative to the New Fishing Pier and Wharf Project at LaFitte Drive-In Park.

# OLD BUSINESS

1. None.

# DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS AND UPDATES

- 1. Engineers
- 2. Attorney
- 3. Public Works Director
- 4. Parks and Recreation Coordinator
- 5. Mayor
- 6. Police Chief
- 7. Fire Chief

## **TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION**

1. Council Members

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

1.

To discuss pending litigation relative to the Abbeville Police Department.

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