



REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING

September 06, 2022 at 5:30 PM

Council Meeting Room, 101 North State Street,
Abbeville, Louisiana 70510

AGENDA

NOTICE POSTED: September 2, 2022 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.)

PERSONNEL

PRESENTATIONS

1. Abbeville's Community Cleanup Day to be held on September 24, 2022 from 8:00 AM to 12:30 PM.

MINUTES AND APPROVAL OF BILLS

1. To approve the minutes from the Personnel Interview meetings held on August 2, 2022 and August 16, 2022, the Committee meetings held on August 2, 2022 and August 16, 2022, the special City Council meeting held on August 4, 2022 and the regular City Council meetings held August 2, 2022 and August 16, 2022.
2. To ratify payment of the bills for the month of August 2022.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Public hearing to receive comments from the public regarding a proposed ordinance to amend Section 2-9, Designation of municipal officers and appointment of same, to remove (2) City Attorney.
2. To adopt an ordinance amending Section 2-9, Designation of Municipal Officers and Appointment of Same, to remove (2) City Attorney.
3. Grand Reveille/Great Acadian Awakening discussion and funding - Councilman Brady Broussard, Jr.
4. To approve the Main Street Contract - Charlene Beckett.
5. To approve moving the Cake and Ice Cream General Fund expense budget in the amount of \$3,500.00 to the Sounds on the Square expense budget in the Main Street Fund.
6. To adopt a resolution requesting financial assistance from the State of Louisiana under the fiscal year 2022-2023 Local Government Assistance Program and Community Water Enrichment Fund Program.
7. To submit two names to fill one vacancy on the Abbeville Harbor and Terminal Board.
8. To approve the quote from Southern Constructors in the amount of \$35,500.00 for the replacement of the sludge blowdown valve.
9. Discussion of bids received for the North Henry Street Wastewater Pump Station Number 8 Building and Repairs - Mr. Gene Sellers.
10. To surplus a Glock Model 17 Gen 5 bearing S/N BMWY530 which was Chief Spearman's weapon so that the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #48 may purchase it at fair market value to give to Chief Spearman.

OLD BUSINESS

1. None.

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS AND UPDATES

1. Engineers
2. Attorney

3. Public Works Director
4. Parks and Recreation Director
5. Mayor
6. Police Chief
7. Fire Chief

TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

1. Council Members

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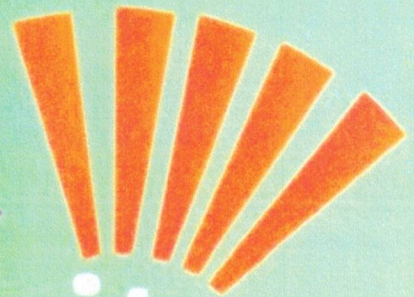
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The Math Depot
310 Park Avenue
Abbeville, Louisiana 70510

Presents

Abbeville's

Community
clean
UP
Day



Saturday

SEPT. 24th

8 AM - 12:30 PM

KEEPING
Abbeville
CLEAN

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Team up to clean up! Ask family, friends, and co-workers from your office, church, school, clubs, and athletic teams. The more the merrier!

GET INVOLVED



Meet Up@Christian Service Center
Lunch provided by: Soulful Eats



The Mayor and Council of the City of Abbeville met for a personnel interview on August 2, 2022 at 4:45 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room, located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor presiding.

Members Present: Council Members, Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr., Francis Touchet, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: None

Also Present: Lynn LeBlanc
Anita Levy
Heather Picard

Mayor White stated that we are here to interview three candidates for the position of Administrative Assistant to the City Council. Mayor White asked if there were any comments from the public on any agenda item. There were none.

-01 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to enter into executive session to conduct an interview with three candidates for the position of Administrative Assistant to the City Council. The motion carried unanimously.

-02 introduced by Mr. Carlton Campbell and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to reconvene the meeting from executive session.

Mayor White explained that the executive session was held to conduct an interview with Lynn LeBlanc, Anita Levy and Heather Picard for the vacant position of Administrative Assistant to the City Council.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

The Mayor and Council of the City of Abbeville met for a personnel interview on August 16, 2022 at 5:00 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room, located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor presiding.

Members Present: Council Members, Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr. and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: Councilman Francis Touchet, Jr.

Also Present: Mike Hardy, Police Chief
Deontray Casimere

Mayor White stated that we are here to interview one candidate to rehire for the position of Police Officer with the Abbeville Police Department. She asked if there were any comments from the public on any agenda item. There were none.

-01 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to enter into executive session to conduct an interview with one candidate for rehire as a Police Officer with the Abbeville Police Department. The motion carried unanimously.

-02 introduced by Mr. Tony Hardy and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to reconvene the meeting from executive session.

Mayor White explained that the executive session was held to conduct an interview with Deontray Casimere to be considered for rehire as a Police Officer with the Abbeville Police Department.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

The Mayor and Council of the City of Abbeville met for a committee meeting on August 2, 2022 at 5:15 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor, presiding.

Members Present: Council Members Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr., Francis Touchet, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: None

Also Present: Ike Funderburk, City Attorney

Mayor White stated we are here for an Ordinance meeting chaired by Councilman Tony Hardy. She asked if there were any comments from the public on any agenda item. There were none. She turned the floor over to Councilman Hardy

Councilman Hardy stated we are here to consider an ordinance to amend Section 11-9, Prohibitions on living in campers and travel trailers. This would increase the penalties for violations. In conversations he has had with the Mayor, this problem has been going on for two years. Apparently, the penalty is not high enough or hard enough to convince these people that they need to take care of the problems or move. That is what we need to decide tonight. We need a stiffer penalty. Councilman Touchet asked Ike what the penalty is right now. Ike stated that for any offense that does not have a specific penalty assessed to it, it is the standard misdemeanor of \$500 or six months in jail. What we are proposing tonight is an amendment to this provision to add a special penalty provision to it in the form of subparagraph (e), which reads: that any person who violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment of not more than 60 days per violation. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate violation. If you are there five days beyond the 30-day period, you are looking at potentially a \$5,000 fine. Mayor White stated that this discussion came from a specific area that we have been having problems with. Trailers seem to be multiplying instead of going away. We have stealing of utilities and basically a drug camp. It is a problem that we have been dealing with for two years. The problem is that we have ordinances and we have no enforcement of those ordinances. When we do enforce them, there is no penalty or not enough teeth in the ordinance to make people comply. In light of the situation at this particular property, and one very close to there also, she and Councilman Hardy discussed yesterday how we might put more teeth into this ordinance so that on these repetitive violators who are stealing utilities and everything else, that we do actually get some teeth to our ordinance. It will require enforcement and the will of the Council not to bend when someone is upset with them for putting a penalty on them for violating an ordinance. It is important. If we can't make people follow our ordinances then we shouldn't have them. These are put in place for a reason and to protect people. It is not safe. People are not supposed to live in campers, travel trailers and motorhomes inside the City limits. We have an RV Park where they are welcomed to stay for a short period and there are places where they can go. Councilman Touchet asked Ike to further explain the proposed amendment. Ike stated that we cannot fine someone or imprison someone like it would be for a felon. We do not have felony jurisdiction. We can only deal with misdemeanors. It wasn't until the last couple of years, that the State Legislature increased the misdemeanor fines maximum from \$500 to \$1,000. We got on that bandwagon as quickly as we could for some of these. We have recurring problems with regard to litter, people stealing utilities and people living in a structure that does not have utilities or living in a structure that is not supposed to have utilities. We are trying to do test cases on each one of these. Granted, we can't get anything more than a misdemeanor conviction, but the language that we have added making each day of occupancy a separate occurrence, quickly builds up. Even if the Judge only fines them \$250, we can't tell the Judge that he has to fine them \$1,000, and it is for 5 days, then we are talking about some serious money. This is an approach that can be taken.

-01 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to recommend to the City Council to adopt an ordinance amending Section 11-9, Prohibition on

living in campers and travel trailers, to increase the penalties for violation, at their regular meeting scheduled for August 16, 2022. The motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

The Mayor and Council of the City of Abbeville met for a committee meeting on August 16, 2022 at 5:15 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor, presiding.

Members Present: Council Members Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr. and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: Councilman Francis Touchet, Jr.

Also Present: Ike Funderburk, City Attorney
Jude Mire, Fire Chief
Mike Hardy, Police Chief
Chris Gautreaux, Public Works Director
Allie Horton, Digital Media Assistant
Gene Sellers, Engineer

Mayor White stated we are here for an Ordinance meeting chaired by Councilman Tony Hardy. She asked if there were any comments from the public on any agenda item. There were none. She turned the floor over to Councilman Hardy

Councilman Hardy stated we are here to consider a proposed ordinance to amend Section 2-9, Designation of Municipal Officers and appointment of same, to remove (2) City Attorney. Mr. Funderburk stated that he has prepared a proposed ordinance to do that. It restates and reenacts 2-9. The officers that are covered by that now are the administrative assistant to the City Council, the director of public works, the supervisors of the electrical department and the street and bridge department and the supervisors of the Wastewater Plant and the Water Plant. City Attorney has been removed from the list. Mayor White stated that this was prepared at the request of the City Council.

-01 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to recommend to the City Council at their regular meeting scheduled on September 6, 2022, to adopt an ordinance to amend Section 2-9, designation of municipal officers and appointment of same to remove (2) City Attorney. The motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Abbeville met in special session on August 4, 2022 at 5:15 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor presiding.

Members Present: Council Members, Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr., Francis Touchet, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: None

Also, Present: Mike Hardy, Police Chief
Jacob Hardy

Mayor White stated that we are here for this special City Council meeting to interview one candidate for the position of Police Officer with the Abbeville Police Department. She asked if there were any comments from the public about the agenda item. There were none.

-01 introduced by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to enter into executive session to conduct an interview with one candidate for the position of Police Officer with the Abbeville Police Department. The motion carried unanimously.

-02 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. to reconvene the special meeting from executive session. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White explained that they met in executive session to conduct an interview with Jacob Hardy for the position of Senior Patrol Officer with the Abbeville Police Department.

-03 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to appoint Jacob Hardy to the position of Senior Patrol Officer with the Abbeville Police Department pending all post-hire assessments. The motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

The Mayor and Council of the City of Abbeville met in regular session on August 2, 2022 at 5:30 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room, located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor, presiding.

Members Present: Council Members, Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr., Francis Touchet, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: None

Also, Present: Ike Funderburk, City Attorney
Jude Mire, Fire Chief
Mike Hardy, Police Chief
Gene Sellers, Engineer
Todd Vincent, Engineer
Kim Touchet, Engineer
Chris Gautreaux, Public Works Director
Lee Schexnaider, Wastewater Plant Superintendent
Stewart Head, Electrical Department Superintendent
Tommy Picard, Parks and Recreation Director, QSA
Mother Madge, St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Jill Bordelon, St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Nikki Vidos, 24-hour Citizen Project
Charles Dill, Abbeville Planning Commission
Gerald Gaspard, American Legion
Richard Sysak, retired City of Abbeville employee

Mayor White asked Mother Madge to lead those assembled in prayer. Mayor White asked Mr. Charles Dill to lead the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

-01 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to deviate from the agenda to move item number 1 under personnel, appointment of administrative assistant to the City Council, to after old business. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White asked if there were any public comments on any agenda item prior to action. There were none.

Mayor White recognized Mr. Richard Sysak who recently retired from the City of Abbeville. He has worked for the City for 38 years. She read the certificate of appreciation aloud. He has served the City in four different administrations. We wish him the best in his retirement.

Ms. Jill Bordelon and Mother Madge discussed their love project. It is "Love Eggs in Abbeville". In response to Covid-19 and other crimes that have happened in the City, they met with the City Council at their church. They wanted to see what they could do to help. The congregation of St. Paul's' felt a ripple effect of love in the hope of helping hurting hearts and to spread the love of Christ. Many people have felt the effects of stress and anxiety lately. St. Paul's message to the community is that there is one thing that is certain and unchanging and that is God's love. Other communities have spread messages of love. Iberia Rocks is a program where they paint rocks and

leave them around for people to find. What is better for Abbeville than eggs? We are famous for the Omelette Festival. Groups of their church members ages 5 to 70 gathered and they have decided to draw and paint on wooden eggs to convey the love that they have for the community and to tell others that God loves them and that they love them. We have also purchased signs that they will switch out in front of their church. She presented a Love Egg to the Mayor and City Council. They will put the eggs in conspicuous places where they can be found. They hope that people will pass this love along. If it does nothing else, it starts the conversation of kindness and love. In the words of Mother Teresa, "None of us can do great things, but we can do small things with great love". We hope you find the eggs around town.

Mr. Gerald Gaspard began a discussion of the American Legion tournament. This summer we were supposed to have the baseball tournament at A. A. Comeaux Park. We worked hard to get that tournament. They had the tournament pulled from them two weeks prior to the event for no reason. He was very upset about it. We made everybody in the American Legion aware of it. Thom Thompson wrote a letter to the National Commander and everybody all the way down to let them know what happened and how upset they were. It has caused some repercussions on the American Legion side. It is up to the State to get involved with it. The tournament was moved to Gonzales, who doesn't have a home team. After the letter got out, they got scared. They gave the home team advantage to Amite. This is one man that did all this to us. He is no longer in charge anymore. We didn't take it lying down. We stirred a lot of hornet's nests on that end. He doesn't think something like this will ever happen again, at least not to Abbeville. He would like the City to also send a letter about this situation.

Ms. Nikki Vidos discussed the 24-hour Citizen Project in partnership with the City of Abbeville. They are a group of volunteers who match citizens in the community who have ideas for a community project with people who have the expertise and people who want to fund community projects. It is something they have been doing for the last five years in Lafayette. This is the first time we will be in Abbeville. The 24-hours comes in in November. We start at 6:00 PM on a Friday. Teams come in and we pass their ideas to people who know how to get the project done and how to budget. At the end of the 24-hours, they pitch their ideas, Shark Tank style, in front of those backers. Some really great projects have been funded in the past. The application deadline is the end of August. She is hoping for a partnership with them next week at the Abbeville Library. There is no pressure and we will get together with people who have ideas or don't have ideas but want to come to provide feedback and to find out what the community needs. Hopefully some of those people will apply as a team and hopefully they will get selected and funded. If we have enough ideas in Abbeville, her hope is to one day host an event here in Vermilion Parish. Your (the Mayor and City Council) involvement will help them get the word out. The meeting will be Wednesday, August 6, 2022 at 6:00 PM at the Abbeville Library. Mayor White stated it is kind of like speed dating for civic ideas. She has been to these events that Nikki hosts in Lafayette and it is a really great thing. They have experts in different fields who can guide someone in developing their ideas. They have been very successful in Lafayette and she would love to do this in Abbeville one day. It is a great idea for the City to give them our endorsement. It is a new organization in Abbeville to do this and us giving our stamp on it gives the idea to the public that they are a safe entity for them to go and exchange their ideas. That is why she is pitching that we partner with them to give them some credibility here.

-02 introduced by Mr. Carlton Campbell and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to approve the minutes of the Personnel Interview meetings held on July 5, 2022 and July 19, 2022, the regular City Council meeting held on July 5, 2022 and the special City Council meeting held on July 19, 2022. The motion carried unanimously.

Councilwoman Broussard stated that Mr. Dre' Evans could not be here tonight because he is at work so she will inform the Council about the Fun Day at McKinley Scott Park. It will be August 6, 2022. He partnered with Pastor Stevens and they will distribute bookbags with school supplies. It is an event because he invited vendors. She wanted the Council to waive the special event permit fee. Ike stated that Sarah gave him the special event permit application that was completed for a basketball event. Councilwoman Broussard stated that they will also have a four-on-four basketball tournament too. Ike stated that is physical activity and somebody could get injured. Do they have insurance? Councilwoman Broussard stated they do not. Councilman Campbell asked if we could waive the requirement for them to have insurance? Ike stated that as the risk manager, he believes that is not a good idea. Councilman Touchet asked if the organization could get a sponsor to get insurance. Councilwoman Broussard stated that she would talk to them about this.

-03 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. to approve the special event permit for the Fun Day at McKinley Scott Park contingent upon them getting insurance for the event and to also waive the permit fee. The motion carried unanimously.

-04 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to enter into a public hearing to receive comments pertaining to a proposed ordinance to amend Section 2-9, designation of municipal officers and appointment of same. The amendment changes (1) from Administrative Assistant to the City Council and the City Attorney to Administrative Assistant to the City Council. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White asked if there were any comments about the proposed ordinance. Ike stated he made his points at the last meeting. He reiterates them without going into more detail or creating more lines that would have to be put into the minutes. The Council knows his thoughts about this.

-05 introduced by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to reconvene the regular meeting from public hearing. The motion carried unanimously.

Touchet/Hardy
Ordinance 22-03

An ordinance amending Section 2-9, Designation of Municipal Officers and appointment of same to change (1) from Administrative Assistant to the City Council and the City Attorney to Administrative Assistant to the City Council. The motion was put to a vote and the vote thereupon was as follows:

YEAS:	5(Campbell, T. Broussard, B. Broussard, Touchet, Hardy)
NAYS:	0
ABSTAINS:	0
ABSENT:	0

Therefore, the ordinance was adopted unanimously.

-06 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to approve the quote from Solscapes in the amount of \$15,44.00 per week for tree trimming around high voltage power lines and to accept the recommendation of the Electrical Department Superintendent to utilize the Solscapes crew for three weeks. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Stewart Head stated that the cost of traditional street lights are \$55 and the LED fixtures would cost \$104. The LED fixtures last longer and are cheaper to run. After September, we will no longer be able to purchase the standard street lights. Mayor White stated that there will be

up to a 50% reduction in load and they will last up to three times longer. Stewart stated that they have a five-year warranty. We have already changed some of the security lights to LED.

-07 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to transition from the traditional sodium street lights to LED street lights. The motion carried unanimously.

Chris Gautreaux stated that the gate at Seller's Field has been repaired numerous times. Brandon Briggs can replace the gate for \$5,000.00. The gate at Theriot Field is twisted. It is a 24-foot double gate. It will cost \$2,000.00 to repair that gate. We will make it a 12-foot gate instead of the 24-foot gate. Stewart only needs 10 feet to pass the bucket truck through that. We will close one side of it off using the same panel that is there now. We have posts already that we can use and the City workers will put those in place with the help of Brandon. Councilman Touchet asked if these were hurricane damage. Chris was unsure. Tommy stated that Theriot was not and he is unsure if Seller's was. Mayor White stated that we would check to see if it was claimed in damage. We will pay Seller's Field from Sales Tax unless it was hurricane damage and we received insurance proceeds to pay for the repair.

-08 introduced Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to approve the replacement of the gate at Seller's Field at a cost of \$5,000 and to repair the gate at Theriot Field at a cost of \$2,000. The motion carried unanimously.

-09 introduced by Mr. Carlton Campbell and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to approve depositing \$70,000 into the Sales Tax Fund and \$68,866.45 into the Maintenance and Operation Fire Department Fund from the 2022 two percent Insurance Rebate check recently received in the amount of \$138,866.45. The motion carried unanimously.

Broussard/Touchet
Resolution R22-18

A resolution to request that LA DOTD donate to the City of Abbeville, LA Highway 82 (S. State Street) between St. Victor Street and Concord Street, where the southbound street's east lane terminates in front of Abbeville City Hall in order to allow a drive-thru for a new downtown business that hopes to open a business across from City Hall.

The motion carried unanimously.

-10 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to ratify payment of the invoice from Echo Powerline in the amount of \$9,760.00 for the S. St. Valerie Street electrical tie-in line. The motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Touchet stated that we have dirt stockpiled at Comeaux Park from our project. We want to surplus it and sell it only after we have utilized it for City property to the fullest extent. He asked Tommy and Chris to get together to see where the dirt can be utilized. The money that we would get if we have some left to sell would go right back into the park. Ike stated that we would need someone to give us a value of the dirt. Mayor White asked Chris Gautreaux to handle that. She also added that a lot of our parks need that dirt.

-11 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to surplus the dirt stockpiled at Comeaux Park, to authorize Chris to get a value of the dirt and to sell the remaining dirt only after it has been used fully by the City. The motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Touchet stated that he has distributed a copy of Resolution R14-35 that was adopted at the December 2, 2014 City Council meeting. He wanted to amend the resolution to take the clerical worker away from the City Attorney. We will have to strikeout the language at the bottom of the resolution that allows "staffing to do and perform all tasks assigned and duties incumbent upon the office". That is his request and those tasks would weigh upon the City attorney. Ike stated that if he understands correctly, Councilman Touchet is saying that the City is not going to provide him with any support staff to do the work of the City. Councilman Touchet stated that is correct. Ike stated that at a prior meeting, Councilman Touchet, suggested that he (Ike) could go out and hire someone himself to perform the City's work. It is amazing that four of the five Council members are either currently or have been employed by governmental entities. Councilman Hardy is employed by the Town of Maurice as a Police Officer. Ike asked him if he had to buy his unit or the tickets that he writes. Councilman Hardy stated no. Ike stated that is all provided to you in order for you to do your job, correct? Councilman Hardy stated yes. Councilman Campbell was the second in command at the Clerk of Court's office for years. Ike asked Councilman Campbell if the Clerk of Court always provided him with the materials and personnel that was needed in order for him to perform his job. Councilman Campbell stated yes. Councilman Campbell stated that it was the public that kept them in office there. We made money off of the public. Ike asked Councilwoman Broussard if she is support staff. Councilwoman Broussard stated yes. Ike asked Councilman Touchet if he is the second in command at the Lafayette Public School Systems. Councilman Touchet stated absolutely. Ike stated that you have a large staff to help you do your job. Councilman Touchet stated absolutely. Ike asked Councilman Touchet if he has to pay anything for his support staff. Councilman Touchet stated that he does not. Ike asked how is it fair for him to have to provide the assistance that he needs in order to perform the duties that are incumbent to protect this City and to provide the City Council and the Mayor with legal counsel that he is relied upon for all the time. Councilman Touchet stated that he understands Ike's point and all the things that he talked about. He would never talk to his superintendent like this because he would be on the street. This resolution has some highlights. Back when this resolution was adopted, we had two attorneys that were serving the City. One was serving for \$84,000 and that was Mr. Funderburk. The other one was serving for \$48,000 per year. That was an annual expense of \$132,000. This resolution, at the third to last paragraph, stated that as a City Attorney, he would assume the duties of both at \$96,000 per year. Not aware to him, this \$96,000 salary is not what we are paying our City Attorney after the years he has been working for us. Ike stated because he is an employee, and he like every other employee of this City, get a raise. Councilman Touchet stated that he will only get a raise if this Council says he will get a raise. We are paying our attorney \$108,518 per year. We are paying separate insurance for this attorney for \$5,464 per year. We are paying \$16,819.61 per year for his retirement. We are paying \$6,296 per year for Westlaw legal database for legal research. That adds up to \$137,094.37 per year. We can have him take some of this money and hire somebody for 20 hours to assist him clerically. He is not satisfied with this. Over the past 20 years, when we pass these budgets, these unclassified employees have been receiving a 2% increase per year. The City Council sets the salaries for those employees. We don't have to work with Civil Service for those. We hired a Media person. He said we pay for what we get. She didn't have any experience but she had the education. She is making more money than a lot of people that are sitting next to him. He will not vote for these unclassified employees to get their salaries (raises) when they already got their salaries. At any time during a year, we can vote to give an unclassified employee a pay raise and we don't have to worry about Civil Service. We are paying \$137,000 for one person. We can legally put those duties on another unclassified employee. We have four other classified people. We can put it on our media person, our Main Street manager and those other several different positions. When it is all said and done, you will have to pay those people more money. When he voted on this resolution, he thought we were paying our attorney \$96,000. The words got me. My apologies to the public. He will continue to move on saving taxpayer dollars where we can. Councilman Campbell asked Ike how

long has he been legal counsel to the City Council. Ike stated that over the last 35 years, he has been their attorney about one-half of those. He has been the City Attorney since 2008 and has been in-house since 2015. When he was not in-house, he was paid on an hourly basis based on the work needed. There was also a monthly cap on that. The cap for him was \$4,200 per month but over time that changed. There was period of time when the City paid over one-quarter of a million dollars per year in attorneys' fees. When the City hit that, Councilman Touchet said this has got to stop. He brought Woody Woodruff and him and we stopped the bleeding. The problem with that is that you put a cap on the amount the attorney can do. That attorney bills you for the hours that he spends and baked into that is his secretarial staff, his overhead and all of the other things that he has to cover in order to put meat and bread on the table of his family. Let's think for just a minute. He is 24-7. Council members call him at 7:00 AM in morning when he is brushing his teeth and at 9:00 PM when he is going to bed. He is called on weekends and on vacation. It is not a problem. He is available to you. He is also available to the staff. How many times during the day someone comes by and knocks on his door to see if he has a minute for them. He always does. He is always here. He may not have an answer for you and if he does have an answer, it may not be the one you want to hear but it is the one that he has the professional integrity and responsibility to give you. The biggest part of his job is protecting his client. His client is this City. He has a passion for what he does. He will be 77 years old soon. He is not as old as Mr. Sellers and he may not live that long. He does hope that if he does, that he is doing the same work because there is continuity. There is continuity in the representation that you have. With him being under roof, he has had the opportunity to dive into what this City needs as far as legal representation. When he was on an hourly basis and sitting two blocks away, he would just get a snippet over the telephone or a message and go from there. He wouldn't have the contact. He would not understand how the different elements of the City worked together. He did not have a full understanding of how hard and dedicated the people that work for this City work. How hard they work and how much dedications they have to this City. He knows that now. He has been under roof for 7 ½ years. He feels like, at this point in his career, he has finally gotten to the level where he can understand and anticipate. We never know how much something costs. How many times have we had situations that we could have just been falling off of a ledge and because of communication, which is the most important thing in any relationship, we didn't fall off that ledge. Councilman Touchet stopped Ike to state that we were paying lots of money when he came onto the Council. We put a stop to that and put forth the effort to do that. He is admitting that he didn't pay attention to some of what these things are and this has gotten out of hand. We are paying more money for one person than we were for two people. This thing is not about, Ike, it may be later about whether you are City attorney or not. He will tell him point blank, if we want somebody to come work for us and we say you will come work us for \$5,000 per month and you will be at our beck and call, then if they want the job they will be at our beck and call. We don't have to put an hourly rate. If you want the job, here is the money. We set that. He doesn't want to put clerical work on any unclassified person because we will have to pay them more. We are paying lots of money that could go towards his own clerical person. These are taxpayer dollars. We have been 2% all of these unclassified employees that have been paid \$20,000 and \$30,000 more than our Civil Service people. Those salaries are going up every year. Mayor White stated that she understands that we are moving forward with striking the language out so we can move forward with the hiring of the Administrative Assistant to the City Council. At some point, she and Ike will have to sit down and talk about whether or not we revise his contract with the City. Councilman Touchet stated that is a City Council decision as to what we do with Ike. That is an unclassified employee. He works for the City of Abbeville but you work for the City Council. That is what it comes down to. They negotiate his salary and they could destroy the entire resolution R14-35. We do that. We don't run the day-to-day operations. We don't get into the Mayor's business. The City Attorney reports to the City Council. His thing is that we will look at things moving forward. This is not about whether or not he is employed. This clerical stuff needs to be

absorbed. He called for question.

-12 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Tony Hardy to strike the language "Staffing to do and perform all of the tasks and duties incumbent on the office" from paragraph 8 of Resolution R14-35 adopted at the December 2, 2014 regular City Council meeting. The motion was put to a vote and the vote thereupon was as follows:

YEAS:	5(Campbell, T. Broussard, B. Broussard, Touchet, Hardy)
NAYS:	0
ABSTAIN:	0
ABSENT:	0

Therefore, the motion carried unanimously.

-13 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to authorize advertisement for bids for the North Henry Street Wastewater Pump Station Number 8 Building and Repairs subject to the approval of the plans by the Board of Health. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White stated that the original plans for the grant for the fishing pier at LaFitte Park had the pier in the center of the pond. It was supposed to be for handicapped accessibility. It was her thoughts, after meeting with Mr. Gene, Todd, Councilwoman Broussard and Bridget Levy, that the fishing pier should be closer to the parking area. By moving it there, it will allow much easier access for handicapped accessibility. It will also save us some money in cement work because the ramp won't have to be so long. In addition to that, we are proposing that we do some excavation work inside of the pond and use the dirt that we excavate to slope the north bank to a 7:1 ratio and possibility put some limestone or a concrete embankment to make it safe. This will require moving the dog park. We are not doing away with the dog park but will be moving it to a better location. We feel like, right now, it is where the pier needs to be. Her hopes are that we add the dog park area back in the area with the trees so that there is some cover and shade. That will be later and is not part of this grant. Basically, it will be excavation work, handicapped parking and a fishing pier built on the northwest corner of the property. This would be our final design. We would submit that in September and then once it is approved, we would go out for bid on this project. We may have to close the park for the construction but that will be decided later. Hopefully the construction will take place during the winter. When it is complete, people will be able to safely fish all the way around the pond. The dogs will not be able to access the pond since we are moving the dog park but we hope to build a small pond in the dog park later for the dogs. That way the ponds would be separate so that people can use the whole pond for fishing.

-14 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to approve the final plan design for the LaFitte Park Fishing Pier project as discussed. The motion carried unanimously.

-15 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Tony Hardy to ratify payment of the invoice from MMR in the amount of \$15,582.00 for the clarifier tank gear box project at the Water Treatment Plant and to pay the expense from the Utility System Fund. The motion carried unanimously.

B. Broussard/T. Broussard
Resolution R22-19

A resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute a landlord's estoppel certificate regarding the improvements owned by Louisiana Military Museum which it is mortgaging to Gulf Coast Bank.

The motion carried unanimously.

Touchet/T. Broussard

Resolution R22-20

A resolution confirming the Mayor's appointment of herself to the LEPA Board of Directors.

The motion carried unanimously.

Campbell/Touchet

Resolution R22-21

A resolution authorizing City officials/employees to sign the request for payment forms in connection with the FY 2021 Community Development Block Grant Program for the Sewer System Improvements Project.

The motion carried unanimously.

B. Broussard/Touchet

Resolution R22-22

A resolution granting the authority to the Mayor to sign and submit all necessary documents along with adopting certain policies, plans and procedures in connection with the FY 2021 Community Development Block Grant Program, Love Louisiana Outdoors Program.

The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White presented the revised scope of work for the Water Sector Program Sewer application for the construction of a new Wastewater Treatment Plant. We had already submitted round 1 of funding for the program and we were not funded. Now we are applying for round 2 funding. When the discussion came up as to what we wanted to do and if we wanted to keep the application the same, we had a lively debate back and forth and there was much discussion. We were going to do drying beds, an equalization basin and generators for our lift stations but she is proposing that we try to think where we will be in 20 years. Our current wastewater facility could become obsolete in 10 years. While all of this money is available and there is a surplus of money to fund these infrastructure projects, especially ARPA, we should think about what we will need for our sewer in 20 years from now. We are proposing that the City look at a tract of land that is 30 acres on the south border off of South Guegnon. It gives us plenty of room for future expansion. We would build a state-of-the-art facility that would accommodate 25% of our sewer capacity. We would by-pass 25% of the sewerage to this state-of-the-art facility but there is plenty of room for expansion in the future. As we have a need or have problems at the old plant, we could start redirecting lines to the new facility and continue to expand it. This comes at a cost but this is something we will have to do in the next 10 years anyway so while there is a lot of grant funding out there, we should go for that now. It is the responsible thing to do to consider it. Todd Vincent stated the property is in close proximity to your collection system so you could easily redirect the flow to the new plant. The biggest issue you have is the stormwater that gets into the system and creates problems at the existing facility. The existing plant is over 35 years old and was built in the 80s. It has four boat clarifiers. The limits placed by DEQ have become more stringent than when the plant was designed. You are still able to meet those limits. This new facility will have an equalization basin on site so the excessive flows from the rain water can be redirected into a

pond. Once the rain stops it will be redirected back to the plant. It is a way to manage stormwater without having to build a huge plant to treat all the stormwater. It makes a lot of sense for the long-term planning. The State is offering grants up to \$5,000,000. The preliminary cost estimate for this project is \$9,400,000. That would include the purchase of the property, the equalization basin and the first treatment phase of the plant. Councilman Touchet asked Todd, with Sellers and Associates, and also Kim, with Primeaux & Touchet, to research to make sure that we are not eligible for money under the Infrastructure Jobs Act. This passed in November 2021. If we have to hire a grant writer then we should. Mayor White stated that they talked about this. The Water Sector Program application is due in August and we will also look at other funding mechanisms. LMA is also hiring a grant writer to help with all of this. We will apply for \$5,000,000 from this grant. If we don't get that, then we will not build the plant right now. The out of pocket would be \$4.4 million. We have to say how we will fund that right now for the application. We will use \$1 million from ARPA and the additional \$3.4 million would be a loan from USDA. Now we have time, once we put the application in, to go and try to get grants for this project. We hope to layer the funding with these grants. We are saying that if the State gives us the \$5,000,000 then we will come up with the rest of the funding to build the plant. It is a big commitment. Councilman Touchet stated there will be plenty of opportunities. Mayor White stated that Lee has been a big part of this conversation. Lee Schexnaider stated that the new plant is needed because of the high flows. On a dry day, we are processing about 1.7 million of gallons through the plant. On a rainy day we are processing 6 million gallons through the plant. The capacity of the plant is 2.7 million gallons. Mayor White stated that we will continue to try to find some of this water infiltration but this is a need that we need to address.

-16 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to approve the revised scope of work for the Water Sector Program Sewer application for the construction of a new Wastewater Treatment facility. The motion carried unanimously.

Chief Hardy wanted to surplus unit 562, a 2005 White Chevrolet Silverado bearing VIN GCEC13T851112243 from the Abbeville Police Department. It does run and has 144,000 miles. Chris Gautreaux asked about the condition of the vehicle as he needs a vehicle for one of the City's departments. Councilman Touchet asked that in the future we use LAMATS to sell our surplus property. Chief Hardy stated that Chris could look at the vehicle to see if it would be useable by the other City departments.

-17 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to table the request to surplus unit 562 from the Abbeville Police Department so that Chris Gautreaux can see if the truck can be used in another City department. The motion carried unanimously.

-18 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to submit the names of Gibson Bessard, Joey Songne, David Greco and Kimya Hill to an established four-year higher learning institution for the selection of two names to fill two vacancies on the Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Board. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Gerald Gaspard stated that in the future we need to be sure we do not have criminals serving on the Fire and Police Civil Service Board in case the officer comes up that wrote the ticket. There needs to be a background check. He is concerned about that. Mayor White agreed that we need to put in checks and balances. We can do background checks if we can legally do that. She offered to visit with Mr. Gaspard about his concerns. Councilman Campbell stated that a traffic citation would not disqualify someone from serving on a board. Also, he would not submit the name of someone who he knows has a criminal background. We know most of the people in Abbeville. You can always get them off of the board. He asked Ike to prepare a brochure about the

qualifications to serve on each of the boards.

-19 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Tony Hardy to approve the appointment of Lynn LeBlanc to the vacant position of Administrative Assistant to the City Council at her current salary. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Roslyn White

- *Thanked everyone for coming and for the Council for being so supportive of all the items on the agenda. She will try to keep the future agendas to 12 items unless they are pertinent time wise.*

Police Chief Mike Hardy

- *Sean Ramke is retiring after 32 years. Hunter Lange has resigned to go back to school. He wants to hire Jacob Hardy and would like a special meeting to be called in order to interview him and hire him.*

Fire Chief Jude Mire

- *Gave a report on the calls received in the last two weeks.*
- *Councilman Touchet asked Chief Mire to inform the Council about the cost saving measures that he will put in place to curb the increasing fuel costs.*

Councilman Carlton Campbell

- *Stated that he is the chairman of the Recreation Committee. He asked who the committee consisted of. Mayor White stated that is a Council committee so all members of the Council serve on that committee.*
- *Presented Chris Gautreaux an American flag to be used at Hebert Park.*

Councilwoman Terry Broussard

- *We attended the LMA Convention Saturday at the Cajundome and Harmony Park didn't win the big prize but we were Honorable Mention.*

Councilman Brady Broussard, Jr.

- *Thanked everyone in the audience. Government does not work without you and you are what we work for. Thank you for being here.*
- *Thanked the Council. Anytime we can come together to represent a new business that wants to come into our City, it is good that we can all agree that new businesses are important to our City.*

Councilman Francis Touchet, Jr.

- *Asked Chief Hardy about resource officers for our public and private schools. Chief Hardy stated that he has met with Mr. Byler and let him know that we are shorthanded and don't have any officers right now. Mr. Byler asked for an officer at Abbeville High at the busy times so Chief Hardy agreed that he could provide that at no charge for right now. He did speak with Pastor Delino today. He has an officer that he is recommending to hire. The guy is a member of his church. He would have to stop working for the Sheriff and then work for APD to work for him. Councilman Touchet asked what about post-certified security. Chief Hardy stated that you won't be able to get somebody like that into an academy if they are not working for a police department. As we get more personnel, then he can move toward having a supervisor in his office. Mr. Byler was not 100% sure that he wanted them in the elementary schools. When school starts next week, his guys will stop randomly to say hello to the teachers and students. We will pass at all the different schools every school day but not at the same*

time. He has not yet had a conversation with Vermilion Catholic but their principal was just appointed this week. He will talk to her and let her know that his guys will stop and walk around at different times of the day. The only one that asked for regular times was Mr. Byler at Abbeville High School. Councilman Touchet stated that he doesn't want this to be on his conscience if something happens in the City of Abbeville. They (Mr. Byler) don't think it is needed at an elementary school. We want to make sure we put this on record.

- *Starting in 2023 there is something called fortified construction standards. The engineers might want to start looking into that.*

Councilman Tony Hardy

- *To any of his constituents who are concerned in reference to the campers across the bayou, as soon as our attorney says we can act on it, we will definitely act on it and we will keep on it until it comes to an end. If you have any more questions, please contact him in about two weeks.*

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

The Mayor and Council of the City of Abbeville met in regular session on August 16, 2022 at 5:30 P.M., at the regular meeting place, the Council Meeting Room, located at 101 North State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana, with the Honorable Roslyn R. White, Mayor, presiding.

Members Present: Council Members, Carlton Campbell, Terry Broussard, Brady Broussard, Jr., Francis Touchet, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem and Tony Hardy

Members Absent: None

Also, Present: Ike Funderburk, City Attorney
Jude Mire, Fire Chief
Mike Hardy, Police Chief
Gene Sellers, Engineer
Kim Touchet, Engineer
Chris Gautreaux, Public Works Director
Ann Hardy, Municipal Employees Civil Service Director
Allie Horton, Digital Media Assistant
Stephanie Fezzia Jean-Batiste, daughter of late the Larry Fezzia
Corlette Fezzia, daughter of the late Larry Fezzia
Mason Jean-Batiste, grandson of the late Larry Fezzia
Ava Jean-Batiste, granddaughter of the late Larry Fezzia
Dickie Gaspard, husband of the late Pamela Gaspard
Julie Champagne, daughter of the late Pamela Gaspard
Lillian Champagne, granddaughter of the late Pamela Gaspard
Gerald Gaspard, American Legion

Mayor White asked Chief Mike Hardy to lead those assembled in prayer. Mayor White asked Councilman Tony Hardy to lead the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance.

-01 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Tony Hardy to deviate from the agenda to add the re-subdivision of lots 1 and 2 of the property located at 2205 Veterans Memorial Drive (the old Bay City Ford). The motion carried unanimously.

-02 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to deviate from the agenda to add the hiring of a Police Officer for the Abbeville Police Department as number 2 under personnel. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White asked if there were any public comments on any agenda item prior to action. There were none.

Mrs. Ann Hardy stated that Mr. Allen Ramke resigned from the Municipal Employees Civil Service Board and names were solicited from several civic clubs. The deadline to submit names was August 12, 2022. The two names that were received from civic clubs were Dianne Forsythe whose name was submitted by the Women's Club of Abbeville and Sabien Brown whose name was submitted by the Nehemiah Project.

-03 introduced by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to appoint Dianne Forsythe to the Municipal

Employees Civil Service Board. The motion died for lack of a second.

-04 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to appoint Sabien Brown to the Municipal Employees Civil Service Board. The motion carried unanimously.

Ann Hardy stated that Mr. Brown would be sworn in at tomorrow night's meeting.

-05 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to appoint Deontray Casimere to the position of Police Office with the Abbeville Police Department. The motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Carlton Campbell stated that there was a discrepancy in Abbeville history as to who was the first African American Councilman. It was thought that was Mr. Herbert J. Myles but that was not correct. Mr. Larry Fezzia, who he knew very well, was the first African American Councilman to serve. We would like to recognize the family as his appointed personnel to receive the honor from the Mayor and Council. Mayor White asked the family members who were present to come up to receive a plaque that had been prepared to honor the late Councilman Larry Fezzia. Mayor White read the proclamation aloud. It was to honor Councilman Lawrence "Larry" Fezzia. He was born on November 2, 1938. He grew up in Abbeville and was a graduate of Herod High School. He continued his educational pursuits at Grambling University. While still attending college he married Sylvia Clements in 1959. They made their home in Abbeville with their daughters Corlette and Stephanie. Upon graduation from Grambling, with a bachelor's degree in education, he began teaching at Wilkins Stroud Elementary in Kaplan, Louisiana. He taught for 8 years. He also attended a master's program at the University of Texas. After that he began teaching at E. Broussard Elementary in Forked Island, Louisiana in 1972. He was a head coach of the girls' basketball team, assistant coach to the boys' basketball team and the head coach of the boys' baseball team. He also provided adult education night classes giving many adults the opportunity to earn their high school diploma. He loved teaching but wanted to have a bigger impact on his community. In 1974 he ran and became the first African American City Councilman of Abbeville. During his time as City Councilman, he had the opportunity to bridge the racial gap by being the first person of color to be invited, with the Mayor and other Councilmen, to the Abbeville Country Club. He recognized the need for low-income housing in the black community. Along, with other members of the Live Oak Masonic Lodge #193 Chapter, he became part of the board of directors of the Live Oak Masonic Housing Corporation to build Live Oak Manor Project Housing. He dedicated his life to public service and charitable giving to support not only his community, but those who were less fortunate throughout the state of Louisiana. Mayor White expressed the gratitude for the contributions that Lawrence "Larry" Fezzia has made to the City of Abbeville. Ms. Corlette Fezzia stated that it was well said in the proclamation. They deeply appreciate this honor today. She will share this with her niece, Ava Jean-Bastiste and her nephew Mason Jean-Batiste who have been working hard in their school work to follow in their grandfather's footsteps. Her Dad, Larry Fezzia, was very active in the community by doing a lot of public service. They are here today to receive this. Her niece and nephew did not know him because he passed away before they were born. They can see all the things that he has done to continue to move their journey forward and that is one of the biggest honors for them as a family. She presented the proclamation to her niece and nephew since they are carrying the torch and continuing to journey forward and do the wonderful things that they are doing. They did not know their grandfather, but he is very present in both of them and they continue to do those things. By sharing this, they can keep this with them.

Councilman Carlton Campbell stated that he had the great opportunity to serve with Councilwoman Pamela Gaspard in a previous administration. There was some confusion in the

community as to who was the first female to serve on the Abbeville City Council. Mrs. Pamela Gaspard was the first female to serve on the Abbeville City Council. He wanted to set the record straight and recognize her tonight. Mayor White called her family up and then read the proclamation aloud. Mrs. Pamela Gaspard was born on September 16, 1951. She graduated from Abbeville High School. She married Richard Gaspard and they raised two daughters and one son. She was working for Brady Broussard, Jr. when the position for the mayor's secretary became vacant so Brady Broussard, Jr. recommended her for the job. She applied and was hired to work as the Secretary to Mayor Brady Broussard, Sr. She became well respected and well known throughout the City. She loved her job and was proud of her work with the Louisiana Association of Municipal Secretaries and Assistants. When a statewide association was formed, she was asked to be on the committee. She was asked to serve on the board of directors and went on to be the Associations first president in 1989. She was an advocate for the Vermilion Parish Tourist Commission. She was a strong supporter of the Main Street Program and the twinning of the sister city in Belgium. She worked for 16 years as Mayor Brady Broussard's secretary and then she decided that she wanted to do more for the City so she ran for the Council seat. She ran for the seat in District A and made a record-breaking tradition of being the first woman to be elected to the Abbeville City Council. She broke another tradition and asked to be addressed as Councilwoman. She would say "It's like being a boy named Sue", followed by her infectious laugh. Her greatest accomplishment would always be her husband and her children but she also loved Abbeville and serving all of the people of this City. Mayor White and the City Council hereby honor Pamela Gaspard for all of her contributions to the City of Abbeville. Her daughter, Julie Champagne, stated that this City was her (Pamela's) heart and soul and she enjoyed every minute of it.

-06 introduced by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to approve the minutes from the July 19, 2022 Committee meeting and regular City Council meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

-07 introduced by Mr. Carlton Campbell and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to ratify bills paid in the month of July 2022. The motion carried unanimously.

-08 introduced by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. to enter into a public hearing to receive comments from the public pertaining to a proposed ordinance to amend Section 11-9, Prohibition on living in campers and travel trailers". The ordinance will increase the penalties for violations. The motion carried unanimously.

Public Hearing

Mayor White asked Mr. Funderburk to discuss the proposed change. Ike stated that we will add subparagraph (e) to section 11-9 and it will read as follows: Any person convicted of a violation of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or imprisonment of not more than sixty (60) days per violation. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate violation. Mayor White asked if there were any comments from the audience. Mr. Gerald Gaspard asked if this includes all travel trailers. Mr. Funderburk stated it includes all. It prohibits people from living in travel trailers as a permanent residence. They can't have utilities hooked up to them other than those that are needed to maintain their warranty. This gives some teeth to the existing ordinance that is currently on the books. Mayor White stated that the full ordinance reads that if they are in an RV park, they can come in and stay in the travel trailer. They can't live in it as a residence for an extended period of time. What we are seeing is that on property, they are moving in these campers and hooking them up to city utilities, sometimes without even getting permits, and it is becoming a big problem. This will put some

teeth in the penalty once we give them notice that they have to stop living in it. We have some penalties to try to remedy the situation. Councilman Touchet stated there are designated areas that they are allowed like the mobile home park on Rodeo Road. Councilman Touchet asked how will it be enforced. Mayor White stated we have been fighting the issue for 3 ½ years on a certain property. It started out with one camper but now they have four campers. It is a drug infested camp and there is junk on the property. We have enough documentation to show proof because the police get called out there a lot. Even with all that proof, we will have to bring a lawsuit to get them off of the property. Having the teeth will allow us to start piling up the fines that makes it more threatening for them so that hopefully it doesn't have to come to a lawsuit. We hope they will alleviate the problem themselves. You have to build up the case. It starts with a complaint from a neighbor and then there is the burden of proof there. Ike stated that the purpose of the ordinance is to make this very expensive. Mayor White stated there is a clause pertaining to storm victims in the original ordinance. Ike stated that the ordinance states that you can't live in a camper 30 consecutive days. After that you would have to move it off or not occupy it. What we have here is people who have been consistently living in these things and consistently creating problems for our law enforcement and for the good neighbors that are living near them. Mayor White stated that those campers have been towed there. They are not even mobile. It was towed there by a tow truck in the middle of the night and became a camp for criminal activity. There will always be exceptions that we will have to be given especially in any areas affected by hurricanes. We have some language in the full ordinance that allows for that. You will see that our tax department is pretty good with working with people especially when it comes to a disaster. This situation that has been giving us a lot of problems are a constant burden to taxpayers, to the police department and our fire department. We have some kind of penalty that is enforceable and severe enough to make them reconsider breaking the law. Councilman Touchet stated it is about enforcement.

-09 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to reconvene the regular meeting from public hearing. The motion carried unanimously.

Campbell/Touchet
Ordinance 22-04

An ordinance amending Section 11-9, "Prohibition on living in campers and travel trailers" to increase the penalties for violations.

The motion was put to a vote and the vote thereupon was as follows:

YEAS: 5(Campbell, T. Broussard, B. Broussard, Touchet, Hardy)
NAYS: 0
ABSENT: 0
ABSTAIN: 0

Therefore, the ordinance was adopted unanimously.

-10 introduced by Ms. Terry Broussard and seconded by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. to approve the accounting of the tax roll for 2021. The motion carried unanimously.

-11 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Tony Hardy to approve payment of the invoice in the amount of \$7,457.97 from Delta Fire and Safety to repair the aerial firetruck. The motion carried unanimously.

-12 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. to authorize the purchase of 2 used police vehicles from New Iberia for a total cost of \$40,000.00. The funds

to pay for these will be as follows: \$15,000.00 from General Fund line item 411264, Maintenance of Vehicles, \$5,000.00 from General Fund line item 411650, Capital outlay-autos, \$19,000.00 from Accident Report Fund line item 411650, purchase vehicles/equipment and \$1,000.00 from City Sales Tax Fund line item 411650, Capital outlay autos. The motion carried unanimously.

-13 introduced by Mr. Brady Broussard, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. to approve the final payment in the amount of \$119,900.00 payable to GeoSurfaces, Inc. for the Comeaux Park Turf and Lighting Project. The motion carried unanimously.

Campbell/Touchet
Resolution R22-23

A resolution to recognize the population of Abbeville as 11,186 citizens in accordance with the 2020 census.

The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor White stated that they had a Planning Commission meeting today and we met with the contractor for the business that wants to locate at part of the old Bay City Ford property. They are taking the southeastern front lot and that will be a Starbucks. The contractor stated that he is about three to four months out from putting the permitting in place. He didn't give us a timeline of the build out but she imagines it would be about 8 months. Kim stated that Richard did make the Planning Commission meeting today. Richard's recommendation is to approve the plat contingent upon compliance with the smart zone ordinance, utilities verification and permitting requirements that need to be met. Councilman Touchet stated that we have to do whatever we need to do to land a business. Mayor White stated that after the meeting, she called Chris Gautreaux and he verified that we already have utilities available there. That will not be a problem. The permitting will come in the next phase. Right now, we are only asking to authorize the re-subdivision of lots 1 and 2 of the property so that they can sell the portion of the property that the business wants to buy. It will come back to the Council once it goes through the permitting process. The contractor did ask for assistance with our drainage requirements. We just need to get him a packet. Kim stated that the contractor can call their office and they will accommodate him.

-14 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Ms. Terry Broussard to approve the re-subdivision of lots 1 and 2 of the property located at 2205 Veterans Memorial Drive (the old Bay City Ford dealership property). The motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Touchet requested to change the opening hour of the walking trail at LaFitte Park from 7:00 AM to 6:00 AM. There have been some requests from some of his constituents to open one hour earlier so they can walk before work. He feels this is reasonable. It is much safer to walk on the trail than the road. Councilwoman Broussard stated that there are some homeless people sleeping in the back where there is no fence. When they start to hear people there, they come out. They walk through the park to get off of the property. Mayor White stated that she and Councilman Campbell discussed this before the last meeting and the reason that we recommended 7:00 AM is because at 6:00 AM it is still not quite fully daylight and we don't have adequate lighting there yet. Her thought is that it is not safe to open it this year at 6:00 AM. Next summer that should absolutely be the goal. Councilman Touchet stated that people who come to him are voters and they are requesting this. If we have to put more lighting then let's see what we can do. We can get Chris and Stewart there and see where we can put lighting. Councilman Campbell stated that he has had people come to his house for this and he is called constantly.

Mayor White stated that it is a reasonable request but she does not think it is the right thing for this summer. Councilwoman Broussard stated that we should keep the time as it is. Chief Hardy stated that he is at gym near there. At 6:00 AM there are people already walking there. Mayor White stated that she wants the record to reflect that she is not in favor of opening the walking trail at 6:00 AM until there is adequate lighting in case something happens. Councilman Touchet stated that he would want Chris and Stewart to go out there when it is dark to see how we can light the trail and to do that in a reasonable time. Mayor White asked what he considers a reasonable time. Councilman Touchet stated that would be a within a week. Mayor White stated that is not reasonable. Councilman Touchet stated that he is not talking about solar lighting. He is talking about box lighting that we can just throw up there until we can put up a permanent fixture. Mayor White stated then we will be spending the money twice. She stated that she will get together with Chris and Stewart to come up with a plan on how the walking trail can be lit, including the cost, and she will bring that back to the Council at the next meeting. In the meantime, if someone calls to complain, you can tell them to call our Park Director, Tommy Picard.

-15 introduced by Mr. Francis Touchet, Jr. and seconded by Mr. Carlton Campbell to change the walking trail opening hour at LaFitte Park from 7:00 AM to 6:00 AM once the Mayor gets with Chris and Stewart to come up with a lighting plan and cost of the plan, it is brought back before the Council for approval and the lighting is installed. The motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Roslyn White

- *We are working on the fall Sounds on the Square schedule. It will be the four Thursdays in October.*
- *Asked Chris Gautreaux to change the City of Abbeville flag at A. A. Comeaux Park.*

Mike Hardy, Police Chief

- *Thank the Council for the hire.*
- *Councilman Touchet asked where are we with the cameras at Stonebridge. Chief Hardy stated that they said they are working on it. They have not hired security guards. The lady was on vacation today when they went however, he will revisit with her tomorrow. If she is there tomorrow, he will let her know that they will begin writing citations. Mayor White stated that she would like Chief Hardy to start issuing citations. It is a per day fee for every day that he goes there and there are none. Once he notifies her tomorrow in person, he will begin issuing citations. Chief Hardy stated he believes the penalty is \$2,000.00 per day. Councilman Touchet stated that he doesn't want something to happen again.*

Jude Mire, Fire Chief

- *Asked if everyone received the email he sent regarding his plan to cut costs of fuel that Councilman Touchet requested at the last meeting. The Council stated they had.*

Councilman Tony Hardy

- *Stated that he will be getting in touch with Chief Hardy regarding the camper issue on Coulee Kinney now the ordinance has passed.*

Councilman Brady Broussard, Jr.

- *The Great Acadian Awakening will be held on October 1, 2022 in Magdalen Square.*

Councilwoman Terry Broussard

- *Thanked everyone for coming to the meeting tonight.*

Councilman Carlton Campbell

- *Presented Chris Gautreaux with an American Flag for Harmony Park. Chris stated that the flagpole will hold two flags. Mayor White stated she would like to see the American Flag and the City of Abbeville flag there.*

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor White declared this meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:

APPROVE:

Kathleen S. Faulk
Secretary-Treasurer

Roslyn R. White
Mayor

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4	77784	8/05/22 ABBEVILLE STARTER SHOP LLC	130.00
5	77785	8/05/22 THE ABDA GROUP	151.08
6	77786	8/05/22 ACADIAN HYDROJET & SOFTWASH	250.00
7	77787	8/05/22 ACADIANA SHELL INC	485.37
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21	77801	8/05/22 CARMEUSE LIME SALES CORP	20,448.12
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21	77988	8/26/22	IBERIA RENTAL SERVICE INC	655.80
22	77989	8/26/22	IBERIA PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE	4,562.50
23	77990	8/26/22	ABBEVILLE SNAPPER SALES	1,141.64
24	77991	8/26/22	WINSUPPLY	279.63
25	77992	8/26/22	LOWES BUSINESS ACCOUNT	169.46
26	77993	8/26/22	METTLER TOLEDO INC	619.05
27	77994	8/26/22	MINVIELLE LUMBER CO INC	170.00
28	77995	8/26/22	MUSIC MOUNTAIN	86.50
29	77996	8/26/22	NERC	1,160.06
30	77997	8/26/22	O'REILLY AUTOMOTIVE INC	89.98
31	77998	8/26/22	PELLERIN & WALLACE INC	900.00
32	77999	8/26/22	PITT STOP 9 MIN OIL CHANGE	49.95
33	78000	8/26/22	PREMIER WIRELESS	380.00
34	78001	8/26/22	PRO-INK CUSTOMS, LLC	40.00
35	78002	8/26/22	PUPIE'S AUTO REPAIR	936.17
36	78003	8/26/22	RAY CHEVROLET- OLD, INC	2,138.61
37	78004	8/26/22	REPUBLIC WHOLESALE CO INC	628.05
38	78005	8/26/22	SHARP ELECTRONICS CORPORATION	343.40
39	78006	8/26/22	S L E M C O	483.00
40	78007	8/26/22	SOUTH SIDE TOWING LLC	3,182.88
41	78008	8/26/22	S P I MUNICIPAL SUPPLY INC	560.04
42	78009	8/26/22	TECHLINE LTD	3,982.06
43	78010	8/26/22	THALES USA, INC	1,353.00
44	78011	8/26/22	THIBODEAUX TOWN & COUNTRY	251.88
45	78012	8/26/22	THOMSON REUTERS WEST	882.30
46	78013	8/26/22	TOSHIBA FINANCIAL SERVICES	276.14
47	78014	8/26/22	VERMILION JANITORIAL &	2,248.20
48	78015	8/26/22	WALMART COMMUNITY CARD	264.63
49	78016	8/26/22	WECHEM, INC	1,135.90
50	78017	8/26/22	HANCOCK WHITNEY BANK	731.04
51			TOTALS	59,581.93

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801	8/01/22	AUTO REFILL POSTAGE METER	2,100.00
29692	8/01/22	RANDALL ABSHIRE	1,000.00
29693	8/01/22	PARK & RECREATION FUND	2,500.00
29694	8/01/22	SPOTLESS CLEANING SYSTE	1,400.00
29695	8/01/22	LOUISIANA WORKFORCE COM	169.04
29696	8/05/22	LAURA FREDERICK	391.66
29697	8/04/22	PAYROLL FUND	1,613.37
29698	8/04/22	PAYROLL FUND	54.62
29699	8/04/22	PAYROLL FUND	43,924.02
29700	8/05/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	239,487.33
29701	8/05/22	MAIN STREET - SPECIAL F	1,370.00
29702	8/08/22	ABBEVILLE GENERAL HOSPI	75.00
29703	8/08/22	PUPIE'S AUTO REPAIR	311.65
29705	8/09/22	MUN EMPLOYEES RETIREMEN	4,961.17
29706	8/09/22	MUN EMPLOYEES RETIREMEN	8,840.24
29707	8/09/22	MUN EMPLOYEES RETIREMEN	3,054.67
29708	8/09/22	PAYROLL FUND NOW	485.37
29710	8/09/22	PAYROLL FUND NOW	40,947.02
29711	8/10/22	LA DEPT OF PUBLIC SAFET	183.00
29712	8/10/22	IKE FUNDERBURK	39.12
29713	8/11/22	PAYROLL FUND	131,480.15
29714	8/11/22	FIREFIGHTERS' RETIREMEN	70,626.41
29715	8/11/22	BRANDON W BRIGGS	2,000.00
29716	8/12/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	62,483.28
29717	8/12/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	100.00
29718	8/15/22	RANDALL ABSHIRE	900.00
29719	8/19/22	LAURA FREDERICK	391.66
29720	8/18/22	PAYROLL FUND	1,617.20
29721	8/18/22	PAYROLL FUND	57.22
29722	8/18/22	PAYROLL FUND	42,358.76
29723	8/18/22	ACCDUNTS PAYABLE	57,119.34
29724	8/19/22	CITY OF NEW IBERIA	20,000.00
29725	8/19/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	300.00
29726	8/23/22	MYLES HUTCHINSON	250.00
29727	8/23/22	NORRIS BAUDOIN	600.00
29728	8/23/22	TICKETS SERVICE, LLC	600.00
29729	8/23/22	AROSS BROWN	234.00
29730	8/24/22	TICKETS SERVICE, LLC	100.00
29731	8/24/22	L A C P	150.00
29732	8/24/22	FELICIA THIBEAUX	590.00
29733	8/25/22	PAYROLL FUND	133,570.96
29734	8/26/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	24,538.04
29735	8/29/22	BRANDON W BRIGGS	150.00
29737	8/30/22	BRENT LANDRY	249.66
29738	8/31/22	LOUISIANA SPECIAL SYSTE	96.00
		ACCT 001020 TOTALS	903,469.96
		FUND 00 TOTALS	903,469.96

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2 14289 8/22/22 2016 REVENUE BONDS DEBT 7,289.50

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13695	8/18/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	249.00

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15280	8/04/22	PAYROLL FUND	828.08
15281	8/05/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	2,080.10
15282	8/18/22	PAYROLL FUND	828.08
15283	8/18/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	1,925.79
15284	8/26/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	1,353.00

ACCT 001024 TOTALS 7,015.05

FUND 07 TOTALS 7,015.05

PARK & RECREATION FUND
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2192	8/01/22	QUALITY SPORTS AUTHORIT	8,334.00
		ACCT 001020 TOTALS	8,334.00
		FUND 10 TOTALS	8,334.00

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2	17011	8/05/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	17,373.63
3	17012	8/09/22	MARIA ARMINDA CHAPARRO	3,400.00
4	17013	8/18/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	53,300.37
5	17014	8/19/22	CITY OF NEW IBERIA	1,000.00
6	17015	8/22/22	2021 REVENUE BONDS DEBT	30,209.00
7	17016	8/22/22	2014 SALES TAX REVENUE	16,903.00
8	17017	8/23/22	BRANDON W BRIGGS	450.00
9	17018	8/23/22	BRANDON W BRIGGS	360.00
10	17019	8/23/22	MARIA ARMINDA CHAPARRO	350.00
11	17020	8/26/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	269.99
12	17021	8/29/22	BRANDON W BRIGGS	180.00

ACCT 001021 TOTALS 123,795.99

FUND 11 TOTALS 123,795.99

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2	1218	8/04/22 GENERAL FUND	5,000.00
3	1219	8/04/22 UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	10,000.00
4	1220	8/11/22 GENERAL FUND	28,000.00
5	1221	8/18/22 GENERAL FUND	5,000.00
6	1222	8/18/22 UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	10,000.00
7	1223	8/25/22 GENERAL FUND	28,000.00
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585	8/11/22	GENERAL FUND	30,000.00
586	8/25/22	GENERAL FUND	30,000.00

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FUND 13 TOTALS 60,000.00

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2	1463	8/05/22	GENERAL FUND	49,400.00
3	1464	8/05/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	15,600.00
4	1465	8/10/22	GENERAL FUND	21,000.00
5	1466	8/10/22	GENERAL FUND	17,000.00
6	1467	8/10/22	GENERAL FUND	6,285.00
7	1468	8/10/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	7,375.00

10			ACCT 001020 TOTALS	116,660.00
12			FUND 14 TOTALS	116,660.00

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2	22435	8/04/22	OPTUMRX FOR RX CLAIMS	64,141.06
3	22436	8/04/22	OPTUMRX FOR RX FEES	60.60
4	22437	8/04/22	CENTENE MANAGEMENT CORP	1,115.78
5	22438	8/11/22	TRICIA H LEGE	413.21
6	22439	8/11/22	ABSHIRE CHIROPRACTIC	2.58
7	22440	8/11/22	CENTENE MANAGEMENT CORP	33.60
8	22441	8/11/22	TIFFANY CAPPS	89.59
9	22442	8/11/22	GRACE GYNECOLOGY AND WELL	104.96
10	22443	8/11/22	LOUISIANA RETINA CENTER	169.46
11	22444	8/11/22	GULF REGIONAL OCCUPATIONA	104.00
12	22445	8/11/22	GULF REGIONAL OCCUPATIONA	115.00
13	22446	8/18/22	OPTUMRX FOR RX CLAIMS	43,295.62
14	22447	8/18/22	OPTUMRX FOR RX FEES	75.60
15	22448	8/18/22	MICHAEL PONTIFF	1.66
16	22449	8/18/22	ABSHIRE CHIROPRACTIC	321.44
17	22450	8/18/22	AMERIGROUP LOUISIANA	491.90
18	22451	8/18/22	GLYNIS RENNELS	89.59
19	22452	8/18/22	UMR CRS FEES	158.91
20	22453	8/25/22	OUR LADY OF THE LAKE	256.00
21	22454	8/25/22	LAURA M BROUSSARD	47.44
22	22455	8/25/22	ALLEN M HEBERT	6.78
23	22456	8/25/22	WILDA R FONTENOT	8.00
24	22457	8/25/22	ABSHIRE CHIROPRACTIC	144.73
25	22458	8/25/22	GLYNIS RENNELS	358.36
26	80422	8/04/22	EFT FOR CLAIMS PAID	9,276.66
27	81122	8/11/22	EFT FOR CLAIMS PD	42,137.65
28	81822	8/18/22	EFT FOR CLAIMS PD	25,500.11
29	82522	8/25/22	EFT FOR CLAIMS PAID	17,814.83
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32		ACCT 001021	TOTALS	206,335.12
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2	16262	8/01/22	OPTUM	285.00
3	16263	8/01/22	THE HARTFORD	2,534.01
4	16264	8/01/22	UMR (HEALTH)	8,882.05
5	16265	8/01/22	UMR (STOP LOSS)	30,831.81
6	16266	8/05/22	EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURAN	74,594.10
7	16267	8/08/22	ABBEVILLE GENERAL HOSPI	800.00
8	16268	8/12/22	EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURAN	43,170.05
9	16269	8/17/22	UNITED HEALTHCARE INS.	5,474.52
10	16270	8/19/22	EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURAN	69,934.83
11	16271	8/26/22	EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURAN	18,636.14

ACCT 001025 TOTALS 255,142.51

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24170	8/04/22	PAYROLL FUND NOW	38,864.04
24171	8/04/22	CITY COURT OF ABBEVILLE	128.76
24172	8/04/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	149.74
24173	8/04/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	215.06
24174	8/04/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	24.22
24175	8/04/22	TEXAS CHILD SUPPORT SDU	173.54
24176	8/04/22	VERMILION SCHOOL EMPLOY	1,760.00
24177	8/11/22	PAYROLL FUND NOW	50,359.10
24178	8/11/22	F O P ABBEVILLE LODGE 4	308.71
24179	8/11/22	ABBEVILLE FIREFIGHTERS	280.00
24180	8/11/22	VERMILION SCHOOL EMPLOY	1,490.17
24181	8/11/22	KEITH A RODRIQUEZ	57.70
24182	8/11/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	96.92
24183	8/11/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	86.53
24184	8/11/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	274.03
24185	8/11/22	TEXAS CHILD SUPPORT SDU	120.19
24186	8/18/22	PAYROLL FUND NOW	37,673.07
24187	8/18/22	CITY COURT OF ABBEVILLE	120.99
24188	8/18/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	24.22
24189	8/18/22	VERMILION SCHOOL EMPLOY	1,760.00
24190	8/18/22	TEXAS CHILD SUPPORT SDU	173.54
24191	8/18/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	149.74
24192	8/18/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	215.06
24193	8/25/22	PAYROLL FUND NOW	50,793.51
24194	8/25/22	F O P ABBEVILLE LODGE 4	308.71
24195	8/25/22	ABBEVILLE FIREFIGHTERS	280.00
24196	8/25/22	KEITH A RODRIQUEZ	57.70
24197	8/25/22	VERMILION SCHOOL EMPLOY	1,490.17
24198	8/25/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	96.92
24199	8/25/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	278.45
24200	8/25/22	TEXAS CHILD SUPPORT SDU	122.13
24201	8/25/22	DEPT OF CHILDREN AND FA	87.93
24202	8/25/22	UNITED WAY OF ACADIANA	67.00
4000000	8/03/22	PAYROLL FUND	79,131.14
4000000	8/10/22	PAYROLL FUND	82,442.61
4000000	8/17/22	PAYROLL FUND	76,934.62
4000000	8/24/22	PAYROLL FUND	83,213.69
		ACCT 001020 TOTALS	509,749.91

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809	8/09/22	EFT FOR JUDGE'S RET JULY	609.96
17503	8/01/22	A F L A C INC	5,156.81
17504	8/01/22	TRANS AMERICA LIFE INS	579.59
17505	8/01/22	AMERITAS	6,928.89
17506	8/01/22	FAMILY LIFE INS CO	19.00
17507	8/01/22	WASHINGTON NATIONAL INS	1,304.95
17508	8/01/22	AOL	76.67
17509	8/05/22	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	20,084.82
17510	8/09/22	MUN EMPLOYEES RETIREMEN	9,356.81
17511	8/11/22	FIREFIGHTERS' RETIREMEN	21,241.02
17512	8/26/22	EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURAN	16,077.60
17513	8/30/22	FAMILY LIFE INS CO	19.00
17514	8/30/22	A F L A C INC	5,156.81
17515	8/30/22	AOL	76.67
17516	8/30/22	AMERITAS	6,737.81
17517	8/30/22	TRANS AMERICA LIFE INS	660.51
17518	8/30/22	WASHINGTON NATIONAL INS	1,256.45
80122	8/01/22	BANK W/D STATE W/H PR 7/3	6,574.00
80522	8/05/22	BANK W/D FED W/H PR 8/5/2	26,905.92
80922	8/09/22	EFT DB FOR POL RET JULY	53,508.57
81222	8/12/22	BANK W/D FED W/H PR 8/12/	27,339.16
81522	8/15/22	BANK W/D STATE W/H PR 8/1	7,446.00
81922	8/19/22	BANK W/D FED W/H PR 8/19/	25,930.16
82622	8/26/22	BANK W/D FED W/H PR 8/26/	27,541.78

ACCT 001025 TOTALS 270,588.96

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UTILITY SYSTEM FUND
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2	14209	8/01/22 SPOTLESS CLEANING SYSTE	400.00
3	14210	8/04/22 GLORIA BRAILEY	200.00
4	14211	8/04/22 ST MARY COMMUNITY ACTIO	96.29
5	14212	8/04/22 ACS ABBEVILLE PLAZA LA	107.34
6	14213	8/04/22 PAYROLL FUND	2,591.93
7	14214	8/04/22 PAYROLL FUND	71,444.98
8	14215	8/04/22 GENERAL FUND	30,000.00
9	14216	8/05/22 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	104,242.22
10	14217	8/05/22 GENERAL FUND	190,000.00
11	14218	8/08/22 BANK OF ABBEVILLE & TRU	362.83
12	14219	8/09/22 MUN EMPLOYEES RETIREMEN	17,880.69
13	14220	8/09/22 GENERAL FUND	60,000.00
14	14221	8/10/22 STINE LUMBER COMPANY IN	771.12
15	14222	8/11/22 PAYROLL FUND	4,058.81
16	14223	8/11/22 BRANDON W BRIGGS	125.00
17	14224	8/12/22 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	21,165.91
18	14225	8/12/22 GENERAL FUND	65,000.00
19	14226	8/17/22 ENTERGY	40.00
20	14227	8/17/22 COMMITTEE OF CERTIFICAT	20.00
21	14228	8/18/22 PAYROLL FUND	2,468.76
22	14229	8/18/22 PAYROLL FUND	69,731.72
23	14230	8/18/22 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	38,677.72
24	14231	8/18/22 GENERAL FUND	95,000.00
25	14232	8/23/22 TICKETS SERVICE, LLC	12,500.00
26	14233	8/24/22 HARRY SCHEXNAYDER	25.00
27	14234	8/24/22 ST MARY COMMUNITY ACTIO	323.82
28	14235	8/24/22 MYLES F HEBERT	300.00
29	14236	8/24/22 UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	150.00
30	14237	8/24/22 UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	106.00
31	14238	8/25/22 PAYROLL FUND	3,121.25
32	14239	8/26/22 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	33,420.90
33	14240	8/26/22 GENERAL FUND	25,000.00
34	14241	8/29/22 PATRINA LEVY	390.79
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3	822	8/18/22	EXELON GENERATION CO.	570,547.11
4	825	8/25/22	ACH RET ST PMT PHAN THAO	80.06
5	825	8/25/22	ACH RETNSF ROD DARBY	428.72
6	825	8/25/22	ACH RET FROZEN/E GUILLORY	206.96
7	17731	8/02/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	300.00
8	17732	8/03/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	400.00
9	17733	8/04/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	600.00
10	17734	8/04/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	95,000.00
11	17735	8/05/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	800.00
12	17736	8/05/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	270,000.00
13	17737	8/08/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	300.00
14	17738	8/09/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	75,000.00
15	17739	8/10/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	157.00
16	17740	8/11/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	1,150.00
17	17741	8/11/22	GENERAL FUND	90,000.00
18	17742	8/12/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	85,000.00
19	17743	8/15/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	300.00
20	17744	8/17/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	450.00
21	17745	8/17/22	DEPT OF HEALTH & HOSPIT	14,059.05
22	17746	8/18/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	87.00
23	17747	8/18/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	195,000.00
24	17748	8/19/22	GENERAL FUND	20,000.00
25	17749	8/23/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	10,000.00
26	17750	8/24/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	1,350.00
27	17751	8/25/22	GENERAL FUND	75,000.00
28	17752	8/26/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	60,000.00
29	17753	8/29/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	44.00
30	17754	8/30/22	UTILITY METER DEPOSIT F	150.00
31	80922	8/09/22	STATE SALES TAX JULY 2022	10,596.00
32	81222	8/12/22	MISO INVOICE 8546248401	106,226.10
33	81222	8/12/22	MISO INVOICE 8546248410	3,917.35
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22342	8/04/22	STINE LUMBER COMPANY IN	2,163.83
22343	8/04/22	CARL BENNETT &	79.93
22344	8/04/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	11,782.46
22346	8/04/22	JOHN NOEL JR	241.11
22347	8/04/22	DONALD HENDERSON	217.86
22348	8/04/22	QUANDERLYNN M WILLIAMS	100.74
22349	8/04/22	RUSTI S HARGRAVE	147.29
22350	8/04/22	KITRE M TOUPS	276.11
22351	8/04/22	EMILE E CHIASSON	268.60
22352	8/04/22	MITZI E ROMANELLI	79.65
22353	8/04/22	ROBERT M SULLIVAN	58.40
22354	8/04/22	CURTIS BATISTE	224.57
22355	8/04/22	ABBY CLARE MCREE	46.33
22356	8/04/22	JAMEKA LANDRY	257.62
22357	8/04/22	EDMAE ROMERO	166.83
22358	8/04/22	RUBY N WESTERBUHR	182.78
22359	8/04/22	GLENDA SONNIER	157.50
22360	8/04/22	TYNEISHA MITCHELL	196.49
22361	8/04/22	JOHNEISHA J JOHNSON	62.36
22362	8/04/22	TAYLOR PRIMEAUX	74.44
22363	8/04/22	MANUEL BUILDERS	273.44
22364	8/05/22	TROY E WOOD	92.82
22365	8/05/22	MELISSA C THURMAN	53.46
22366	8/05/22	ST MARY COMMUNITY ACTIO	330.57
22367	8/05/22	BRYANT A BEGNAUD	345.29
22368	8/10/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	72.94
22369	8/24/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	6,182.33
22370	8/24/22	ISAIAH CAMPBELL &	99.16
22371	8/24/22	JOSEPH BONESKI II	12.28
22372	8/24/22	SARA ROMERO	24.18
22373	8/24/22	ANTOINE & BETTY SVIRE	229.37
22374	8/24/22	KIPP L DUPLICHINE	63.19
22375	8/24/22	GABRIEL L ROMERO	170.74
22376	8/24/22	LAUREL MOSS BRIGHT	271.66
22377	8/24/22	CHRISTINE ROMERO	220.55
22378	8/24/22	KELIE YOUNG	54.35
22379	8/24/22	ANTHONY J LANDRY	199.47
22380	8/24/22	MELVINISHIA EDWARDS	167.70
22381	8/24/22	WILLIAM FOUCHEAUX	184.26
22382	8/29/22	AKEVA BAUDOIN	106.87
22383	8/31/22	UTILITY SYSTEM FUND	10,736.18
22384	8/31/22	MICHAEL ZAMBERS	174.85
22385	8/31/22	TAMMY G CORMIER	267.15
22386	8/31/22	MADISON C COOK	25.85
22387	8/31/22	CHIROPRACTIC PAIN MGMT	171.98
22388	8/31/22	MELISSA A MILLER	194.74
22389	8/31/22	TIONI PREJEAN &	200.44
22390	8/31/22	TOMIKA MITCHELL	261.94
22391	8/31/22	CASSIE G DRUMMER	72.86
22392	8/31/22	CHRISTHOPHER BLEVINS	162.42
22393	8/31/22	KENDALE W GASPARD	209.91
22394	8/31/22	CLAUDIA BROUSSARD	256.44
22395	8/31/22	JASMINE E LEWIS	158.47
22396	8/31/22	CALEB R GRAGG	183.51

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3	22398	8/31/22 TECHE ELECTRIC SUPPLY	346.49
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6		ACCT 001085 TOTALS	40,319.22
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1014 8/22/22 GULF COAST BANK 3,735.00

ACCT 001021 TOTALS 3,735.00

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1002 8/22/22 GULF COAST BANK 26,250.00

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FUND 53 TOTALS 26,250.00

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1016	8/15/22	READY2GO RESTROOM TRAIL	82,715.00
		ACCT 001021 TOTALS	82,715.00
		FUND 60 TOTALS	82,715.00

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1026 8/17/22 GEOSURFACES, INC 119,900.00

ACCT 001020 TOTALS 119,900.00

FUND 62 TOTALS 119,900.00

The following ordinance having been introduced at a duly convened meeting on September ____, 2022, and notice of its introduction having been published in the official journal and a public hearing having been held in connection therewith on this date, was offered for final adoption by _____ and seconded by _____:

ORDINANCE 22-__

WHEREAS, Section 2-9 of the City of Abbeville Code of Ordinances establishes the position of “City Attorney;” and

WHEREAS, the City Council does hereby determine that it is in the best interest of the City to remove the position of City Attorney from the listing of unclassified employees and designation as a municipal officer of the City of Abbeville ; and

WHEREAS, to that end the City council does hereby determine that the position be eliminated.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Abbeville (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the City of Abbeville, State of Louisiana, that Sec. 9-2 of the City of Abbeville Code of Ordinances be, and the same is hereby amended and re-enacted as follows:

Sec. 2-9. - Designation of municipal officers, and appointment of same.

The following municipal positions are hereby classified as officers of the municipality and shall be filled by the city council in accordance with the Municipal Employees' Civil Service protocol, if applicable:

- (1) Administrative assistant to the council;
- (2) Director of Public Works;
- (3) Supervisor of electrical department
- (4) Supervisor of street and bridge department;
- (5) Supervisor of wastewater plant;
- (6) Supervisor of water plant

Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective upon execution by the Mayor.

This ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSENT:

And the ordinance was declared adopted on this, the ____ day of September, 2022.

Kathleen Faulk, Clerk

Roslyn R. White, Mayor

STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE, RECREATION AND TOURISM
OFFICE OF CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT
DIVISION OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION



LETTER OF AGREEMENT

This agreement is entered into and executed by Louisiana Main Street and the local Main Street program, hereinafter referred to as the local program.

This agreement is for the purpose of implementing the Main Street Approach™ in the local community, as well as maintaining Main Street designation with the Louisiana Main Street network.

IN CONSIDERATION OF THIS EXECUTED AGREEMENT:

SECTION I

Louisiana Main Street agrees to:

1. Designate a Louisiana Main Street Director to handle all communications between the community and Main Street America.
2. Arrange, coordinate, and participate in all Main Street America visits and other specialist visits as requested and mutually agreed upon.
3. Conduct quarterly meetings and workshops to further develop and enhance the skills of local directors and board/committee members and to provide an annual calendar with the dates and locations (if known) of training sessions at the beginning of the fiscal year.
4. Provide advice and information to the local program's director on a continuing basis including unlimited telephone consultation.
5. Collect and publish economic development statistics both statewide and by community.
6. Make at least one on-site visit within a two-year period to each officially-designated active Louisiana Main Street community to review the overall program in order to keep abreast of local activities and to advise the local director and board. More frequent visits may be scheduled at the request of the local Main Street organization.
7. Provide design assistance to assist property owners and tenants in rehabilitating storefronts, buildings and interior spaces.

8. Provide business consultation services to strengthen existing businesses, help identify new business opportunities, and improve local business management; and
9. Perform annual assessments to evaluate the local organization's progress and assist with the organization's national accreditation as outlined by Main Street America.

SECTION II

The local program agrees to:

1. Develop, implement, and maintain program commitment to the comprehensive Main Street Four-Point Approach™ as advocated by Main Street America.
2. Maintain the focus of the local Main Street program on the district as spelled out in the local program's application for Louisiana Main Street designation or as subsequently updated in consultation with Louisiana Main Street.
3. Maintain broad-based community support for the program by the public and private sectors through financial contributions and in-kind or volunteer support.
4. Promote and encourage a historic preservation ethic.
5. Maintain an active board of directors that holds **monthly meetings** throughout the year for the local program.
6. Employ and maintain a professional Main Street director in accordance with current Main Street America guidelines based on community's population. Local director will be responsible for the day-to-day implementation of the Main Street program in the community. In the event the local director position becomes vacant, the local program shall notify Louisiana Main Street within 30 days of the vacancy and the position shall be filled within 4 months of the vacancy.
7. Maintain a full-time office in the Main Street district.
8. Maintain a **separate Main Street budget** with adequate funding for travel commitments, daily operation of the local program, and local programming.
9. Develop an annual work plan based on the vision and mission statements and on the identified transformation strategies for the local Main Street organization. The local organization will submit a copy of its yearly plan as part of the annual assessment process.
10. Maintain data for monitoring the progress of the local Main Street program, submit quarterly reports using the format provided by Louisiana Main Street, and provide other information requested by Louisiana Main Street. Quarterly reports must be submitted by the 15th day of the month following the end of the quarter.
11. Promote and encourage board member attendance at local, state, and national training opportunities.
12. Provide an adequate travel budget to cover the local director's mandatory attendance and participation at all Louisiana Main Street quarterly meetings and at the Main Street Now Conference. If the local director is unable to attend any mandatory meeting or if the local director position is vacant, at least one board member must attend the mandatory meeting.
13. Maintain a current, paid membership with Main Street America.



SECTION III

Louisiana Main Street and the local program jointly agree that:

1. This agreement may be modified only by written amendment executed by all parties and approved by the Louisiana Main Street Director and the Executive Director of the Louisiana Division of Historic Preservation.
2. Either party may terminate this agreement by giving written notice to the other at least 60 days before the effective date of such termination.
3. This agreement shall not be binding upon the parties until it contains all signatures.
4. The term of this agreement shall be from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023.

SECTION IV

Accountability

If a local Main Street organization fails to comply with the provisions of the annual Letter of Agreement, the Executive Director of the Louisiana Division of Historic Preservation may choose to send that program a written initial notice. At that point, the local program will be put on probationary status and will be ineligible for any services or grant funds from Louisiana Main Street. The notice will include a summary of non-compliance issues and provide guidance on how to resolve them.

The Louisiana Main Street Director will reevaluate the local program 90 days following the first notice. If the local program has failed to correct the issues noted in the first notice, the Executive Director of the Louisiana Division of Historic Preservation will issue a final notice. Furthermore, the Executive Director of the Louisiana Division of Historic Preservation may terminate the Letter of Agreement with the local program and discontinue all Louisiana Main Street services and activities provided in the Agreement. Once the Letter of Agreement is terminated, the local organization will have 30 days to appeal to the State Historic Preservation Officer.

If a local organization loses its designation as a Louisiana Main Street organization, it must reapply for Louisiana Main Street designation before it can receive Louisiana Main Street program services.

If a local Main Street program has received either an initial notice or final notice and is not yet in compliance when the next annual letters of agreement are signed, the Executive Director of the Louisiana Division of Historic Preservation will postpone signing that Letter of Agreement until compliance is attained.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this agreement.

By: _____
Mayor Date
(Mayor’s signature only required if local Main Street director is a municipal employee)

Mayor’s email address Name of Municipality

Board President Date
(Board President’s signature is required for all local Main Street organizations)

Board President’s email address Name of local program

Local Director Date
(Local Director’s signature is required for all local Main Street organizations)

Nicole Hobson-Morris, Director Date
Louisiana Division of Historic Preservation

Ray Scriber, Director Date
Louisiana Main Street



The following resolution was offered by _____, seconded by _____ and duly resolved:

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION REQUESTING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
FROM THE STATE OF LOUISIANA
UNDER THE FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023
LOCAL GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
AND
COMMUNITY WATER ENRICHMENT FUND PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Legislature has appropriated funding for the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Local Government Assistance Program (LGAP) and Community Water Enrichment Fund (CWEF) Program; and

WHEREAS, the Local Government Assistance Program offers grants to eligible municipalities and parishes for a wide range of projects to improve public health, public safety, living conditions and for economic development purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Community Water Enrichment Fund Program offers grants to eligible municipalities and parishes for rehabilitation, improvements and new construction projects for community potable water systems; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary and proper to submit applications to the Louisiana Office of Community Development under the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Local Government Assistance Program and also the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Community Water Enrichment Fund Program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Abbeville that Mayor Roslyn R. White is hereby authorized to sign and submit an application to the State of Louisiana, Office of Community Development under the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Local Government Assistance Program and also execute any and all documents should this grant be funded; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mayor Roslyn R. White is hereby authorized to sign and submit an application to the State of Louisiana, Office of Community Development under the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Community Water Enrichment Fund Program and also execute any and all documents should this grant be funded.

THEREUPON, the above resolution was declared adopted.

CERTIFICATE

I, Kathleen S. Faulk, Secretary/Treasurer of the City of Abbeville, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Abbeville on September 6, 2022 at which time a quorum was present and voting.

KATHLEEN S. FAULK
SECRETARY/TREASURER
CITY OF ABBEVILLE



QUOTATIONS
REPLACEMENT OF SLUDGE BLOWDOWN VALVE
FOR THE
CITY OF ABBEVILLE, LA

S/A File No. 8844-34

Quotation Opening: 08/19/2022

				SOUTHERN CONSTRUCTORS 6313 Highway 90 East New Iberia, LA 70560	GRINER DRILLING 3833 Crowley-Rayne Hwy. / P. O. Box 900 Rayne, LA 70578	E. B. FEUCHT 3974 Highway 190 Eunice, LA 70535
ITEM	DESCRIPTION	MEASUREMENT	QUANTITY	LUMP SUM PRICE	LUMP SUM PRICE	LUMP SUM PRICE
1.	PROPOSAL NO. 1: Furnish and Install new 8-Inch Pneumatic Plug Valve and Appurtenances Including All Modifications Required for a Complete Working System. Existing Materials to be Salvaged to the Owner.	Lump Sum	1.00	\$ 35,500.00	\$ 39,855.00	\$ 46,400.00
	Contract Time Required:	—	—	30-Weeks	14 to 16-Weeks	30-Weeks
2.	PROPOSAL NO. 2: Furnish and Install New 8-Inch Motor Operated Plug Valve and Appurtenances Including All Modifications Required for a Complete Working System. Existing Materials to be Salvaged to the Owner.	Lump Sum	1.00	No Bid	No Bid	\$ 53,380.00
	Contract Time Required:	—	—	—	—	46-Weeks
				Addendum 1 and 2: Acknowledged	Addendum 1 and 2: Acknowledged	Addendum 1 and 2: Acknowledged

I hereby certify that the values shown above are true and reflect the original quotation prices received for this project.


 JOHN A. KEY, P.E., P.L.S., PROJECT ENGINEER