

**CONCORDIA PARISH POLICE JURY
REGULAR MEETING
NOVEMBER 28, 2022
6:00 P.M.**

The Concordia Parish Police Jury met this day in regular session convened. There were present the following members:

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| Vice President | Adam Probst |
| Members | Collin Edwards, Gary Neal, Marie Yearby Scottie Whittington, Brad Adams, Maurice Bachus, Genesisia Allen |
| Absent | Joseph Parker Sr. |
| Secretary/Treasurer | Ariella Carter |
| Invocation | Maurice Bachus |
| Pledge of Allegiance | Genesisia Allen |

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Edwards. Mrs. Carter conducted the roll and a Quorum was declared present.

Public comments were received. Below is an overview of the discussion that took place:

Mr. Willie Dunbar spoke making the Jury aware that at the November 14th meeting he requested a copy of work orders and an updated copy of the District 2 map. Mr. Dunbar stated that he had received the work orders, but not the District 2 map. President Edwards advised Mr. Dunbar that he had been made aware of the issues with the Registrar of Voters, and that he would be addressing the issue with not being able to obtain a copy of the District 2 map. Mr. Dunbar then went on to state that under the public records law that there are three (3) days to present the requested documents in which the ROV had failed to present the documents in that allotted timeframe, and that the ROV should be penalized and fined according to the Public Records Law. Mr. Dunbar stated that the penalties for violating the public records law was a fine of \$100.00 - \$1000.00 or imprisoned for up to six months. President Edwards ensured Mr. Dunbar that this issue would be addressed and taken care of, and that Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Darden will meet with the DA to address these issues as well.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Bachus to approve the minutes of the November 14, 2022, regular meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Bachus, duly seconded by Mr. Probst it was unanimously Agreed to waive the absence of Genesisia Allen and Joseph Parker Sr. from the meeting held on November 14, 2022.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to approve to advertise for a Public Hearing pertaining to the 2023 Budget. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Whittington, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to approve engagement with Silas Simmons Accounting Firm to perform the 2022 audit. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly second by Mr. Neal to advertise for Maintenance unit Materials. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Neal to approve the Occupational License for Shunda Lloyd Young dba Young Learning Academy of Ferriday. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion made by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Whittington to approve the Louisiana Department of Veteran Affairs-Cooperative Endeavors. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion made by Mr. Adams, duly seconded by Mr. Bachus to approve and sign task orders for Rostan 4462. Motion carried unanimously.

Maintenance Supervisor Tony Guillory gave the following updates on Superintendent's Work Orders:

610- 60 yards on Boggy Bayou, 30 yards on Bodark, 15 yards on Townsend.

Pitrun – 30 yards on Newman and 30 yards on Sunshine Rd.

Maintenance Gravel – 90 yards on Poole Rd., 45 yards on Wild Cow Rd., and 75 yards on Haley Rd. A motion was made by Mr. Neal, duly seconded by Mr. Probst to approve work orders.

Work orders from Jurors were next brought forward. A motion was made by Mr. Neal, duly seconded by Mr. Probst to approve the following:

Mr. Bachus – A letter needs to be sent to the Town of Ferriday to have the culverts on Grayhouse Rd. cleaned out.

Mrs. Yearby - Hometown Waste needs to be contacted due to the garbage not being picked up on Mooselodge Road in three weeks.

Mr. Whittington- Culvert on Roundtree Rd. needs to be cleaned out, and since the grass is dying there is a lot of trash on the roads and in ditches that need to be cleaned out.

Mr. Adams – McCall Rd. needs 610 in the holes, and the levee needs to be graded.

Upon a motion made by Mr. Neal, duly seconded by Mr. Adams to add renewing Jill Britt to the Concordia Parish Library board. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion made by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Bachus to accept the library's request to renew Jill Britt to Concordia Parish Library Board for another five year term. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion made by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Probst to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

CERTIFICATE

I, Ariella Carter, Secretary/Treasurer of the Concordia Parish Police Jury do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Concordia Parish Police Jury at which a quorum was present and participating on the 28th day of November, 2022, in Vidalia, Louisiana.

Ariella Carter, Secretary/Treasurer