

**PARISH POLICE JURY  
SPECIAL MEETING  
FEBRUARY 4, 2020  
6:00 P.M.**

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

President: Joseph Parker, Sr.

Members: Maurice Bachus, Willie Yearby, Adam Probst, Scottie Whittington,  
Genesia Allen, Gary Neal, Collin Edwards, Brad Adams

Absent:

Secretary Treasurer: Sandi T. Burley

Invocation: Mr. Bachus

Pledge of Allegiance: Mr. Edwards

- 1) Discussion of the Library Board was held. In review since the last regular meeting, a policy implemented by the Police Jurors in 1990 was discovered and reviewed. The Boards Committee had met to address the policy and resolution. Mr. Edwards brought forth the recommendations and discussion of the Boards Committee. A motion was made by Mr. Neal seconded by Mr. Whittington to unappoint the members to the Library Board passed at the last regular meeting. This would be to unappoint Mr. Bobby Sheppard, Mr. James Lee, and Ms. Rachea Bailey. A vote was called and the vote was 7-1 with Mr. Yearby voting nay and Ms. Allen had yet to arrive. Mr. Yearby and Mr. Curry asked why the policy could not be rescinded. Mr. Parker responded that there was no motion in place and would require a higher opinion, probably the Attorney General, to decide what options are compliant to rescind a policy from a previous Jury.

A new motion was made by Mr. Edwards seconded by Mr. Whittington to appoint the recommendations made by the Library Board. These were to reappoint Mr. Bobby Sheppard and Mr. Renard Chatman for another term and to appoint Mr. James Lee to fill the vacancy left by Ms. Margie Vogt. A vote was called and the vote was 7-1 with Mr. Yearby voting nay and Ms. Allen had yet to arrive.

- 2) Mr. Parker then turned the meeting over to Mr. Bill Beasley to conduct his drainage presentation. Mr. Beasley distributed graphics and information to the Jurors and presented a power point demonstration of the data and information of the drainage throughout Concordia Parish. Mr. Beasley also answered questions by those present. Mr. Beasley finalized his presentation by giving concerns and potential projects that would benefit the parish. (Ms. Allen arrived at 6:10 p.m.)
- 3) There was no Public Comment from the audience.
- 4) There being no further discussion, a motion was made by Mr. Probst, seconded by Ms. Allen to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

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Sandi T. Burley, Secretary / Treasurer