

**CONCORDIA PARISH POLICE JURY
REGULAR MEETING**

**MARCH 25, 2024
6:00 P.M.**

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

President	Collin Edwards
Members	Maurice Bachus, Wilbert Washington, Cornell Lewis, Genesis Allen, Red Tiffie
Absent	Adam Probst and Kenny Simpson
Secretary/Treasurer	Ariella Carter
Invocation	Maurice Bachus
Pledge of Allegiance	Genesis Allen

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

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Davis to approve the minutes from the March 11, 2024, regular meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Bachus, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to excuse the absence of Mr. Kale Davis from the March 11, 2024 regular meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to pass a resolution referencing the benefits of LCDBG and the negative impacts, which would be caused by funding cuts. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Tiffie to approve to have Trane repair a leaking valve on the oil line of circuit 2 in the amount of \$3,155.00 Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Tiffie, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to approve to piggyback the City of Alexandria's contract to purchase the two trucks using LGAP funds. Motion carried unanimously.

Work Orders from the Jurors were next brought forward. A motion was made by Mr. Tiffie, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to approve the following:

Mr. Washington – Tillman Road

Mr. Lewis – Advised that he would send a pickup route to Superintendent Guillory.

The following updates were provided for Superintendent's Work Orders:

610 (yards) – 16yds Wild Cow, 48yds Bee Brake, 16yds Como

Washed Gravel (yards) – 48yds Wild Cow, 80yds Fraizer, 16yds McCall, 64yds Luneau

A motion was made by Mr. Tiffie, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to approve the material list and job advertisement. Motion carried unanimously.

Under new business, the following was brought forward:

Mr. Bachus asked for information on having waterways sprayed.

Mrs. Allen introduced the new Coroner, Ms. Pamela Poole, R.N. Ms. Poole introduced herself to the jury and advised that she would schedule a meeting with them at a later date.

Upon a motion by Mr. Tiffie, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to enter executive session. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Tiffie, duly seconded by Mr. Davis to exit executive session. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to start an Old Courthouse Restoration Committee. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Lewis asked Secretary-Treasurer Carter to contact D&J Construction to see what needed to be done in reference to vehicle damages on paved road project.

Upon a motion by Mr. Lewis, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to have the owner of Hometown Waste come to the next meeting to address trash pickup in his district. (trash not being picked up, or trash being left in trash cans). Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Tiffie to adjourn 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 25th day of March 2024, in Vidalia, Louisiana.



Ariella Carter, Secretary/Treasurer