

**CONCORDIA PARISH POLICE JURY
REGULAR MEETING
MARCH 10, 2025
6:00 P.M.**

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

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

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

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Bachus to approve the minutes from the February 24, 2025 regular meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Bachus to waive the absence of Mr. Collin Edwards, Wilbert Washington, Kenny Simpson, and Genesisia Allen from the February 24, 2025 regular meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Bachus, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to approve the purchase orders, statutory reports, and bank reconciliations as reported. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Simpson to approve to advertise for a public hearing to adopt Mallard, East, and West Cottondale Roads. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Tiffie, duly seconded by Mr. Simpson to approve the following:

- Safety-Kleen on Lubrication Fluids
 - Scott Petroleum on Fuel
 - Culverts will remain on obtaining quotes
- Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Edwards, duly seconded by Mrs. Allen to approve having Wilmar Construction upgrade the jury meeting room in the amount of \$7,290.00. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Edwards, duly seconded by Mr. Probst to approve having J&J Carpet Inc. install new carpet in the Clerk of Court, Tax Assessor, and Jury Meeting Room in the amount \$29,303.15. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Edwards, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to have repairs done on air handler #2 by Trane in the amount of \$18,755.00. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Washington, duly seconded by Mr. Bachus to discuss approving a hold harmless agreement to assist filling pot holes in the parking lots of Vidalia Lower and Vidalia Junior High. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Washington, duly seconded by Mr. Simpson to discuss approving to write a letter of support on behalf of Concordia Recreation District #1 to receive a donation of reclaimed asphalt from DOTD to be used in the parking area in front of the Youth Center in Learned Park. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Edwards, duly seconded by Mr. Probst to approve appointing Mr. Clyde Boiling to become a member of the Concordia Parish Sewer District #1 Board. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Davis to cite the following ordinance violations. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Davis – 179 N. Grove on harboring junk and 236 N. Grove Drive on harboring junk.

Work Orders from the Jurors were next brought forward. A motion was made by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Davis, to approve the following:
Mrs. Allen – off Sunflower Lane at Debra Davis Lane needs reclaim due to Hometown Waste backing up and damaging road.

The following updates were provided for Superintendent's Work Orders:
610 (yds) – 65yds Poole Rd., 15yds on Ellard, 15yds on Terry Ln., 30yds on Ellard, 7yds on Levens Addition, 12yds on Ames Rd., 62yds on Deacon Whales, 14yds on Townsend.
Culverts – 48" x42' on Leo Ivy and 24" X36' x2 on Wildsville Rd.
A motion was made by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Davis to approve superintendent's work orders. Motion carried unanimously.

New Business

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Edwards to un-table Concordia Recreation District #3 recommendation to have David "Trey" Lillie replace Jessie Whitehead on the Concordia Recreation District #3 Board. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Edwards to appoint Mr. Jordan Farmer to replace Mr. Jessie Whitehead on the Concordia Recreation District #3 Board. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Simpson to un-table approving Concordia Recreation District #3 recommendation to reappoint Mr. James Thomas and Mr. Fred Marsalis for another 4-year term on the Concordia Recreation District #3 Board. Motion carried unanimously.

Upon a motion by Mr. Probst, duly seconded by Mr. Washington to notify Concordia Recreation District #3 that there are more applicants that want to be placed on the board, therefore no reappointments will be done at this time. Motion carried unanimously.

Mrs. Carter reminded Jurors that their TIER I reports are due by May 15th.

Upon a motion by Mrs. Allen, duly seconded by Mr. Edwards 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 10th day of March 2025, in Vidalia, Louisiana.



Ariella Carter, Secretary/Treasurer