

The special meeting of the East Feliciana Parish Police Jury was called to order on May 9, 2018, at 4:00 P.M. by Mr. Louis Kent, President. Opening prayer was offered by Mr. Louis Kent and the Pledge of Allegiance was then led by Mr. Keith Mills.

Mr. Louis Kent asked that Mrs. Yamesha Harris call roll to approve the agenda with one addition. The addition was to select an insurance agent for health, dental, and vision insurance. This motion passed unanimously without comment. Jurors voting yes to the agenda addition were Mr. Louis Kent, Mr. Keith Mills, Mr. Glen Kent, Mr. Chris Hall, Mr. Jason McCray, Mr. Dwight Hill, Mr. Michael Cheatham, and Mr. Sean Smith.

The roll was called by the Secretary, Mrs. Yamesha Harris and the following jurors were present: Mr. Louis Kent, Mr. Keith Mills, Mr. Glen Kent, Mr. Chris Hall, Mr. Jason McCray, Mr. Dwight Hill, Mr. Michael Cheatham, and Mr. Sean Smith.

Administrative Comments were as follows:

- Parish Manager Sonya Crowe requested that when someone is addressing the jury, they are not interrupted while speaking.

Mr. Chris Hall explained his concerns to the jurors on spending 2 hours in a Finance & Executive Committee meeting and deciding unanimously by the committee to bring a recommendation to the full jury, but when the recommendation made it to full jury, the committee members no longer agreed with the recommendation. Mr. Chris Hall asked that the jury give the committee respect for doing the work. After a discussion between the jurors and Parish Manager Sonya Crowe, Mr. Louis Kent stated that the jury does not have to agree with the recommendation of the committee.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Keith Mills to approve renewal of health, dental, and vision insurance with Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Louisiana. Motion passed. Mr. Glen Kent opposed. Mr. Rusty Bowser addressed the jury with his concerns of the renewal for health, dental, and vision insurance. He thanked Mr. Louis Kent and Mr. Edward Brooks for their support and informed the jury that he is no longer interested in being the insurance agent for the Police Jury. Mr. Louis Kent thanked Mr. Bowser for his service to the parish.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Sean Smith to approve Dart Agency as the health, dental, and vision insurance agent. This motion passed unanimously. Mr. Bill Dart addressed the jury and thanked them for passing the motion allowing Dart Insurance to serve the Police Jury as their health, dental, and vision insurance agent. Mr. Louis Kent thanked Mr. Dart for his service to the Police Jury.

No public comments.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Sean Smith to adjourn.