East Feliciana Parish Police Jury Clinton, LA Regular Meeting May 6, 2024 6:00 P.M.

The regular meeting of the East Feliciana Parish Police Jury was called to order on May 6, 2024, at 6:00 P.M. by Police Jury President Louis Kent. Opening prayer was offered by President and the Pledge of Allegiance was then led by Mr. Jason McCray.

The roll was called by Parish Secretary Yamesha Harris and the following jurors were present: Mr. Dexter Armstead, Mrs. Kristin Chasteen, Mr. Michael Cheatham, Mr. Kyle Fleniken, Mr. Louis Kent, Mr. Jason McCray, Mr. Richard Oliveaux, and Dr. Chrissie O'Quin. Mr. Keith Mills was absent.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Michael Cheatham to approve the agenda with two additions. 1) Approval of contract with State for April Severe Storms Debris Removal. 2) George Turner Map recommendation (Planning & Zoning Commission). This motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to adopt minutes from the April 15, 2024 Regular Meeting. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Michael Cheatham to allow Housing Choice Vouchers in East Feliciana Parish. Vice President Chrissie O'Quin and Mrs. Kristin Chasteen opposed. Mr. Richard Oliveaux abstained. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to table Cramer v. East Feliciana Parish Police Jury item until legal counsel is present. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to table Voting Precinct at 8550 Hwy 955E. Ethel item. Motion passed

A motion was made by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to adopt resolution approving the holding of an election in the East Feliciana Communications Dist. #1. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin, seconded by Mr. Jason McCray to approve contract with the State for April Severe Storms Debris Removal. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin to approve monthly invoices. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Richard Oliveaux, seconded by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin to approve an additional \$10,000.00 to Council on Aging for operations, total of \$25,000.00 annually from General Fund. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Richard Oliveaux, seconded by Mrs. Kristin Chasteen to approve salary increase request from Judge Jones for two employees, to be reimbursed to the Police Jury, all except increase in withholdings. Motion passed

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A motion was made by Vice President Chrissie O' Quin seconded by Mrs. Kristin Chasteen to approve \$25,000.00 Task Order with HGA for April Severe Storm. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Kyle Fleniken, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to table accepting of proposal from Wright Construction Group at a rate of %5.25/CY funded by Solid Waste, to pick up debris at Vegetative Waste Site to haul, burn and disposal of ashes. Motion passed

## Administrative Comments were as follows:

 A motion was made to table action on approval to bid Old School on Bank Street. Motion passed

## No Treasurer's Report

A motion was made by Mrs. Kristin Chasteen, seconded by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin to accept Planning & Zoning Commission recommendation to deny approval of George Turner Map. Motion passed unanimously with a roll call vote.

A motion was made by seconded Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin to accept Planning & Zoning recommendation to approve items a-e under Planning & Zoning Commission. Motion passed unanimously with a roll call vote.

- (a) Recommend approval for Randy James Richard map showing survey and subdivision of 1.15 acre Lot 6 into 0.68 acre Lot 6-A and 0.47 acre Lot 6-B Pecan Grove Subdivision first filing located in Section 56, T-4-S, R-2-W, G.L.D. East Feliciana Parish, Louisiana, Toby Ford, Surveyor.
- (b) Recommend approval for Bob G. Jones, et al map showing the survey and removal of Lot LW-1 from Tract LW "lower woods" located in Sections 3, East Feliciana Parish, G.L.D., Johnathan R. Herrod, Surveyor.
- (c) Recommend approval for Jacob Shoemake map showing the subdivision of Lot 1-A-3 into Lots 1-A-3-A & 1-A-3-B located in Section 57, T-4-S, R-1-E, G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, LA, Johnathan R. Herrod, Surveyor.
- (d) Recommend approval for Leila and Dakota Bercegeay map showing survey and division of Lots D-1-A and D-1-A-1 of the Bercegeay Property into Lots D-1-A-2, D-1-A-3, and D-1-A-1-A located in Sections 1 and 2, T-4-S, R-1-E, ST. Helena Meridian, G.L.D, East Feliciana Parish, Louisiana, Bradley J. Roberts, Surveyor.
- (e) Recommend approval for Karen Breeden & Tessie Shumate map showing the exchange of property between Tract A-1 & Tract C-1 into Tract A-1-A & Tract C-1-A located in Section 60, T-4-S, R-3-E, G.L.D.East Feliciana Parish, Louisiana, Shane J. Nicholas, Surveyor.

## Public Comments were as follows:

- Faye Talbot asked that the Jury confirm debris pickup dates from the last storm
- Debbie Kemp addressed the Jury announcing Clinton's 200 year anniversary
- Billy Parks asked will the Jury begin spaying along the side of Parish Roads
- Curt Johnson asked that the Jury consider cutting dead trees along the side of Parish Roads and shared information of meetings with DEMCO & DOTD to ask that FEMA would consider funding a project to cut dead trees.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to adjourn.

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