

The regular meeting of the East Feliciana Parish Police Jury was called to order on October 7, 2024, at 6:00 P.M. by Police Jury President Louis Kent. Opening prayer was offered by President Kent and the Pledge of Allegiance was then led by Juror Dexter Armstead.

The roll was called by Parish Secretary-Treasurer 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. Keith Mills, Mr. Richard Oliveaux, and Dr. Chrissie O'Quin.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Keith Mills to approve the agenda and move the visitors up. This motion passed unanimously without comment.

Broadband Presentation by Veneeth Iyengar with Connect LA

No action taken on resources for disadvantaged and low-income resident's item placed on the agenda by Reverend George Turner

A motion was made by Mr. Keith Mills, seconded by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin to place an item on the next regular meeting agenda to introduce an ordinance to abandon Beaver Creek Road and set a public hearing. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray seconded by Mr. Kyle Fleniken to approve payment from General Fund in the amount of 165,000.00 for Cramer vs East Feliciana Parish Police Jury litigation. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Keith Mills, seconded by Mr. Jason McCray to take action on Environmental contract with ELOS for Louisiana Watershed Initiative Grant. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Dexter Armstead, seconded by Mr. Keith Mills to table action on Administrative Consultant contract with HGA for Louisiana Watershed Initiative Grant. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Mr. Dexter Armstead to table action on Engineering Contract with PEC for Louisiana Watershed Initiative Grant. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Dexter Armstead, seconded by Mr. Keith Mills to table action on opening an account at Landmark Bank for Louisiana Watershed Initiative Grant. Motion passed

No action taken on Lillian Lane item. Mrs. Mendy Pritchard addressed the Jury with concerns on placement of resident's mailbox and road conditions

A motion was made by Mr. Keith Mills, seconded by Mr. Jason McCray to adopt Council on Aging resolution for Transportation. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Kyle Fleniken, seconded by Mr. Keith Mills to approve monthly invoices. Motion passed

Administrative Comments were as follows:

- The October 21, 2024 regular meeting has changed to Tuesday, October 22, 2024 due to the annual Police Jury association Region VI Meeting

Homeland Security updates on grants by Director Darryl Buhler

DPW Director Derrick Hill informed the Jury that a check for repairs to the excavator was received and he would move forward with repairs.

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray, seconded by Vice President Chrissie O'Quin to hire Bianca Anderson & Kyle Scott as DPW Operators. Motion passed

A motion was made by Mr. Jason McCray seconded by Mr. Keith Mills to approve items (a)-(h) under Planning & Zoning Commission. Motion passed unanimously with a roll call vote.

- a) Dennis Aucoin, Sr. map showing the survey and removal of Lot 1-B-2 from Tract 1-B located in Section 34, T-1-S, R-3-E, G.L.D East Feliciana Parish, Herrod Land Surveying, LLC. Surveyor.
- b) Patricia Patten map showing survey and removal of Tract P-2 from Tract P located in Section 51, T-1-S, R-1-W & Section 50, T-1-S & R-1-E , G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, Herrod Land Surveying, LLC. Surveyor
- c) Elaine W. Roddy map showing the subdivision of Tract 2 Lawrence E. Williams Property into Tracts 2-A, 2-B & 2-C, G.L.D. East Feliciana Parish, Skip Moody, Surveyor
- d) Russ and Amy Watts map showing survey and division of a 5.00 acres tract owned by Keith Carlton Watts and Madeline B. Watts into Lot A (2.50 acres) & Lot B (2.50 acres) located in Section 35, T-3-S – R-1-E G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, Jeffery Moody, Surveyor.
- e) John B. Strain map showing survey and division of Tract 1-B of the John Strain Property into Tracts 1-B1 and 1-B-2, located in Section 35 , T-3-S, R-1-E, St. Helena Meridian, G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, Bradley J. Roberts, Surveyor.
- f) La Bon Vie Plantation, LLC. map showing survey and division of a 66.97 acre portion of the Whispering Pines Tree Farm, LLC Property into Tract A, located in Section 84, T-1-S, R-1-E, St. Helena Meridian, G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, Bradley J. Roberts, Surveyor.
- g) Edward Carroll Preliminary Plat showing the proposed of Tract B-5-B-1 of Pretty Creek Estates into Tracts B-5-B-1-A & B-5-B-1-B, located in Section 74, T-2-S, R-2-E, G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, Jeffery Moody, Surveyor.
- h) Richard McKnight, Jr. map showing family partition of Tract D into Tract D-1 & Lot D-2. Located in Section 34 , T-3-S, R-3-E, G.L.D., East Feliciana Parish, Herrod Land Surveying, LLC. Surveyor.

Public Comments:

- Ms. Faye Talbot gave an update on East Feliciana Parish Chamber of Commerce events

- Mr. John Rouchon informed the Jury that an agenda item to hire the two employees that were hired did not appear on the agenda

A motion was made by Mr. Keith Mills, seconded by vice President Chrissie O'Quin to adjourn

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Yamesha Harris, Parish Secretary

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Louis Kent, Police Jury President