

IBERIA PARISH COUNCIL
AGENDA
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 2016
6:00 P.M.
MAIN COURTHOUSE BUILDING
NEW IBERIA, LA 70560

CALL TO ORDER

PRAYER & PLEDGE

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

None.

PERSONS TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL:

1. Mr. Gus Rantz to address the Council to announce his candidacy for Louisiana's 3rd Congressional District.
2. Mr. Raymond "Shoe-Do" Lewis to address the Council to announce his candidacy for District 5 representative of the New Iberia City Council.
3. Mr. Blair Hebert of the Iberia Parish County Agents Office to briefly introduce the LSU AgCenter and Iberia Extension Service.
4. Persons applying for consideration of appointments to Parish Boards/Commissions to address the Council to announce their interest in said position.

REPORTS (FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION):

1. Bid Tabulations for:
 - a. New Storage Building (Clerk of Court), opened May 26 2016; and
 - b. Water System Improvements - Jefferson Island Road (Norris Road to Jefferson Island Road Elementary School), opened May 26, 2016.

REPORTS (PARISH OR OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES):

1. Administration to provide Monthly Status Report on all grant projects, all in accordance with Resolution No. 2012-217.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORTS:

1. Public Works Department Report for Closed Work Orders dated May 9-14, 16-20, and 23-27, 2016.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

None.

COUNCIL MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

PARISH PRESIDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS

(Comments accepted from the general public)

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ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:

(To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 4761 (Introduced by Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., District 5)
An Ordinance amending Chapter 17 Of the Iberia Parish Compiled Ordinances to provide for the enforcement of the Parish's current noise regulations.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:

(To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 351 (Introduced by Lloyd Brown, District 4)
A Resolution rescinding Resolution No. 2015-325, which is a Resolution amending Resolution Nos. 2009-193 and 2011-10, which granted Final Approvals to Paul Segura Memorial Industrial Park, Phases I and II, respectively, in order to provide amendment to the dedicated rights-of-way.

Note: This item will be renumbered upon adoption in order for the numbering sequence to be correct for 2016.

SUMMARY NO. 111 (Introduced by Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., District 5)
A Resolution authorizing a freeze in funding for the amount of \$150,000 in the 2016 Royalty Fund Budget appropriated for Autumn Lane, Contract Payments Line Item, in order to allow Administration to provide the Council with a cost estimate for the development of a Road Priority List.

SUMMARY NO. 112 (Introduced by Ricky J. Gonsoulin, District 8)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Public Building Maintenance Fund Budget to delete funding for the following items: (a) in the amount of \$75,000 to reduce the New Iberia Veterans, Contract Payments Line Item, and (b) in the amount of \$300,000 to reduce the Sugarcane Festival Building, Repairs and Maintenance-Buildings Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 113 (Introduced by Ricky J. Gonsoulin, District 8)
A Resolution amending the 2016 General Fund Budget to delete funding for the following items: (a) in the amount of \$2,300 to reduce the Governing Body, Uniforms Line Item, and (b) in the amount of \$15,080 to reduce the Governing Body, Equipment Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 114 (Introduced by Ricky J. Gonsoulin, District 8)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Parishwide Drainage Maintenance Fund Budget in the amount of \$145,000 to delete the purchase of a 140 E - Excavator from the Flood Control, Equipment Line Item, and further recommending the Administration to consider leasing said equipment.

SUMMARY NO. 115 (Introduced by Thomas J. Landry, District 3)
A Resolution authorizing the re-activation of the Sewerage Infrastructure Ad-Hoc Committee in order to provide the Council with a monthly update about current and future sewerage projects, and further authorizing the Council Chairman to appoint said members to the Committee.

SUMMARY NO. 116 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)
A Resolution authorizing the execution of a contract with The Daily Iberian for the publication of classified advertisements for the period of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 at a cost of \$9.89 per column inch.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:
(Continued...) (To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 117 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)
A Resolution authorizing the designation of The Daily Iberian as the official journal for Iberia Parish for the period of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.

SUMMARY NO. 118 (Introduced by Fire District No. 1)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Fire District No. 1 Fund Budget in the amount of \$10,900 for thermal imaging cameras and mule, all to be funded from the Fund Balance - Previous Years Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 119 (Introduced by Library Board)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Public Library Board Fund Budget in the amount of \$68,000 in order to purchase supplies and equipment, all to be funded from the Fund Balance - Previous Years Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 120 (Introduced by Playground and Recreation District)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Recreation and Playground Fund Budget for adjustments to their operating budget in the amount of \$21,262, all to be funded from the Fund Balance - Previous Years Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 121 (Introduced by Sewerage District No. 1)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Sewerage District No. 1 Fund Budget in the amount of \$42,400 to carry forward funding for the repair of Freyou and Greenbriar Stations and Highway 14 Station, all to be funded from the Fund Balance - Previous Years Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 122 (Introduced by Sewerage District No. 1)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Sewerage District No. 1 - Port of Iberia Fund Budget in the amount of \$55,000 to fund Logan Industrials Lift Station and Extension to the Port of Iberia Force Main, all to be funded from the Fund Balance - Previous Years Line Item.

SUMMARY NO. 123 (Introduced by Parish President M. Larry Richard)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Adult Drug Court Fund Budget in the amount of \$50,000 in order to adjust line items to reduce budgeted amount from State.

SUMMARY NO. 124 (Introduced by Parish President M. Larry Richard)
A Resolution approving a request from Vermilion Parish Police Jury to dissolve the Coastal Coalition, including a transfer of funds back to Iberia Parish, and further amending the 2016 General Fund Budget in order to accept said funding.

SUMMARY NO. 125 (Introduced by Parish President M. Larry Richard)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Public Building Maintenance Fund Budget in the amount of \$54,000 to provide for the continuation of funding for the rental of office space at 115 Hansel Street for the Iberia Parish Sheriff's Department, as previously authorized by Resolution No. 2015-138.

SUMMARY NO. 126 (Introduced by Parish President M. Larry Richard)
A Resolution amending the 2016 Royalty Fund Budget in the amount of \$75,000 to provide funding to the Iberia Parish Levee, Hurricane, and Conservation District as indicated in a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the District, all as approved by Resolution No. 2015-345.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:
(Continued...) (To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 127 (Introduced by Parish President M. Larry Richard)
A Resolution authorizing the Parish President to execute Change Order No. 2 in the total amount of \$99,807.93 for the North Taxi Lane Improvements.

SUMMARY NO. 128 (Introduced by Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., District 5)
A Resolution requesting the Department of Transportation and Development and the City of New Iberia to reimplement a turning signal from Admiral Doyle Drive (La. 674) into South Wood Subdivision (Elm Street).

ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLICATION:
(To be voted upon at next Council meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 4762 (Introduced by Legal Counsel)
An Ordinance amending and re-enact portions of Chapter 2 of the Compiled Ordinances regarding Council and Committee meetings to provide with respect to the times and dates of such meetings, agenda closure deadlines and agenda procedures; to provide policies and procedures for citizens to address the Council and its committees; to provide for the effective date thereof, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

SUMMARY NO. 4763 (Introduced by Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., District 5)
An Ordinance authorizing the levy of millages for the year 2016, as follows: (a) General Parish Millage (formerly known as the General Alimony Millage), in the rural areas of the Parish only, at the rate of 3.92 mills; (b) Exempted Municipalities Millage (formerly known as the Criminal Tax Millage), in the incorporated areas of the Parish only, at a rate of 1.71 mills; (c) Courthouse and Jail Millage, in the incorporated areas of the Parish only, at a rate of 0.76 mills; (d) Parish Library Millage, for parishwide property, at a rate of 4.00 mills; (e) Public Buildings Maintenance Millage, for parishwide property, at a rate of 4.00 mills; (f) Health Unit Millage, for parishwide property, at a rate of 1.55 mills; (g) Drainage Facilities Millage, for parishwide property, at a rate of 2.93 mills; (h) Fire Protection District No. 1 Millage, for the rural areas only, at a rate of 7.00 mills; and (I) Parish Library Millage, for parishwide property, to be used to pay outstanding debt for the Parish Library System, at a rate of 0.25 mills.

(Note: Voice Vote is required on this item.)

SUMMARY NO. 4764 (Introduced by Marty Trahan, District 13)
An Ordinance amending Chapter 20 of the Compiled Ordinances to amend procedures for the abandonment or reduction of easements in Iberia Parish.

ADJOURNMENT