

IBERIA PARISH COUNCIL

AGENDA

JULY 22, 2026

6:00 P.M.

MAIN COURTHOUSE BUILDING

NEW IBERIA, LA 70560

CALL TO ORDER

PRAYER & PLEDGE

ROLL CALL

COUNCIL MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

PARISH PRESIDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Policy allows Three (3) Minutes/person)

1. Comments from the General Public on Agenda Items.
 - a. Representatives of Kolder, Slaven and Company to present the Financial Audit Report for fiscal year ending December 31, 2025.
2. Persons being considered for appointment to Parish Boards/Commissions to address the Council.

COMMUNITY EVENTS AND PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

REPORTS (FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIONS):

1. Balance Sheets for June 2026. (On Request)
2. Budget to Actual Year-to-Date Reports for June, 2026. (On Request)
3. Quarterly Proprietary Funds Budget to Actual for January, 2026 through March, 2026. (On Request)
4. Quarterly Proprietary Funds Budget to Actual for April, 2026 through June, 2026. (On Request)
5. Special Revenue Funds Budget to Actual Semi-annual Report for January through June, 2026. (On Request)
6. Progress Update for 2025 Audit Findings. (On Request)

REPORTS (PARISH OR OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES):

1. Monthly Permit Report for the Month of June, 2026.
2. Mr. Mike Tarantino to provide an update on Professional Economic Services provided to the Parish, all as authorized by Resolution No. 2021-27.1.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORTS:

1. Public Works Department Report for Closed Work Orders dated June 10, 2026 through June 23, 2026.
2. Public Works Department Report for Closed Work Orders dated June 24, 2026 through July 7, 2026.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

None.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:

(To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

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Amendment to Minutes of May 27, 2026 Iberia Parish Council Meeting, Minute Book 62, Page No. 27352, Resolution No. 2026-91.

Regular Meeting of July 8, 2026.

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SUMMARY NO. 120 (Introduced by Parish President)

A Resolution granting Substantial Completion to the Iberia Parish Courthouse Lighting Improvements Project (Project No. 24-104), as completed by DXI Electric, LLC, and as recommended by Architect's Design Studio Corporation.

Note: This item was deferred at the July 8, 2026 Iberia Parish Council Meeting.

SUMMARY NO. 130 (Introduced by Parish President)

A Resolution of condolences to the family of Ms. Malinda Sue Meyers, mother of Iberia Parish Courthouse Security Guard Sharon Burks, who passed away on June 25, 2026.

SUMMARY NO. 131 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)

A Resolution accepting the resignation of Mr. Kernis Louviere, as a member of the Acadiana Fairgrounds Commission, representing St. Martin Parish, effective immediately.

SUMMARY NO. 132 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)

A Resolution accepting the resignation of Ms. Kirsten Bourque, as a member of the Iberia Parish Recreation and Playground Commission, representing the Village of Loreauville, effective immediately.

SUMMARY NO. 133 (Introduced by Sewer District No. 1)

A Resolution approving reappropriation of the 2025 Capital Outlay Funds and revision of the Project Description for FP&C Project No. 50-J23-25-01, as previously accepted through Iberia Parish Council Resolution No. 2025-200.

ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:

(To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 5448 (Introduced by Parish President)

An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of Sales Tax Revenue and Refunding Bonds of Sales Tax District No. 1 of the Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

SUMMARY NO. 5450 (Introduced by Regional Planning Commission)

An Ordinance granting a variance to allow 577 square feet over the 3,500 square feet limit, which exceeds the maximum allowable building square footage on the property belonging to Luke Jordan Properties, LLC, located at 2301 Old Jeanerette Road, Parcel No. 0401362965, District 6, Iberia Parish, subject to compliance with Board of Zoning Adjustments Staff Report BOZ2026-0004, all as reviewed and recommended by the Iberia Parish Regional Planning Commission.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:

(To be voted upon at tonight's meeting)

SUMMARY NO. 101 (Introduced by Legal Counsel)

A Resolution of the Iberia Parish Council finding that the property located at 5007 Anchor Drive, Parcel No. 0202448000, owned by Adam Viator and Melony Viator, constitutes a nuisance; ordering abatement of said nuisance; and providing for related matters.

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Public Hearing related to the property located at 5007 Anchor Drive, Parcel No. 0202448000, owned by Adam Viator and Melony Viator, as recommended by Permitting, Planning and Zoning. Note: This item was deferred at the May 27, 2026 Iberia Parish Council Meeting.

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SUMMARY NO. 134 (Introduced by Parish President)

A Resolution accepting the audit report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2025 as prepared by Kolder, Slaven and Company, and, further acknowledging the submissions of said audit to the Louisiana Legislative Auditor and the Federal Audit Clearinghouse.

SUMMARY NO. 135 (Introduced by Parish President)

A Resolution amending the 2026 Economic Development District No. 1 Fund Budget in the amount of \$10,000,000 as a reserved commitment in support towards the planned \$60,000,000 Sewer Treatment Plant Project, all to be funded from Fund Balance - Previous Years.

SUMMARY NO. 136 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)

A Resolution acknowledging the appointment of one member to the Iberia Parish Recreation and Playground Commission, as nominated by the Village of Loreauville, to serve the remainder of the three year term, to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Ms. Kirsten Bourque, whose term expires on August 9, 2026, and, to continue service for an additional three year term until August 9, 2029. (Applications of Interest on File from: (a) Ms. Anjelle Richter)

SUMMARY NO. 137 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)

A Resolution authorizing a permanent change in the polling place location for District 2, Precinct 2, from Westgate High School to Sugarland Elementary School, located at 2111 Jefferson Island Road, New Iberia, Louisiana, effective immediately.

Note: A motion to Suspend the Rules is needed as this item was not considered by the Joint Committee.

SUMMARY NO. 138 (Introduced by Clerk of the Council)

A Resolution authorizing a permanent change in the polling place location for District 1, Precinct 8, from Anderson Middle School to Johnston-Hopkins Elementary School, located at 1200 S. Hopkins Street, New Iberia, Louisiana, effective immediately.

Note: A motion to Suspend the Rules is needed as this item was not considered by the Joint Committee.

ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLICATION:

(To be voted upon at next Council meeting, at which time comments from the general public will be heard)

None.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Next Council Meeting:

August 12, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.

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<https://iberiaparishgovernment.com> to complete the Stormwater Management Survey.

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ADJOURNMENT

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JOINT COMMITTEE MEETINGS
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DATE: Wednesday, July 22, 2026

TIME: Immediately following the 6:00 p.m. Iberia Parish Council Meeting

COMMITTEES: Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., Michael R. Landry, Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Lloyd Brown, Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Natalie Broussard, Dustin Suire, James P. Trahan, Scott Ransonet, Brock Pellerin, Brian P. Napier, Lady Fontenette Brown, Caymen Crappell, and Chad Maturin.

ROLL CALL

PUBLIC COMMENTS (Policy allows Three (3) Minutes/person)

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1. Comments from the General Public on Agenda Items.
 2. Comments from the General Public on Non-Agenda Items.

MINUTES Regular Joint Committee Meeting of July 8, 2026.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE Michael R. Landry, Chair
Brock Pellerin, Vice Chair

None.

FINANCE COMMITTEE Scott Ransonet, Chair
Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., Vice Chair

None.

PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE Brian P. Napier, Chair
Natalie Broussard, Vice Chair

None.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE Caymen Crappell, Chair
Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, Vice Chair

ITEM NO. 1: (Introduced by Lady Fontenette Brown, District 12)
Discuss and consider an Ordinance amending Chapter 20-22. Speed limits - Specific roads and areas of the Compiled Ordinances of Iberia Parish, Louisiana to reduce the speed limit from 35 mph to 15 mph on Back Road, District 12, and authorize the Public Works Department to install said speed limit signs.
Note: This item was tabled at the June 24, 2026 Joint Committee Meeting, with no action taken.

ITEM NO. 2: (Introduced by Lady Fontenette Brown, District 12)
Discuss and consider costs associated with the replacement of the sign for The American Legion Post 549, Harry Eugene Veterans Hall located at 709 Kent Street, Jeanerette, Louisiana, District 12.

ITEM NO. 3: (Introduced by Parish President)
Discuss and consider the Teche Lake Canal Road Project and recommendations for disposal of the abandoned roadbed.

ITEM NO. 4: (Introduced by Michael R. Landry)

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Discuss and consider a Resolution requesting the Department of Transportation and Development to install a traffic light at the corner of Jefferson Island Road and Grand Prairie Road.

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