



Iberia Parish Fire Protection District #1

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REGULAR BOARD MEETING

IBERIA PARISH FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #1

MINUTES

THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 2025

4:00P.M.

IBERIA PARISH FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TRAINING FACILITY

2417 DARNALL ROAD

NEW IBERIA, LA 70560

The following are the minutes of the Thursday, April 17, 2025 Iberia Parish Fire Protection District #1 Board of Commissioners. The meeting was held at the Iberia Parish Fire Protection #1 Fire Training Facility starting at 4:00 PM, with Board Member Joey Durand presiding.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Joey Durand, Kerry Romero, Jarrod Suire

ABSENT

Terri Green, James Deshotels

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING, THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 2025

A motion was made by Kerry Romero to accept the meeting minutes as presented. Second motion by Jarrod Suire. Motion passed. (3-0)

FINANCE REPORT

The board was presented with the finance report at the meeting. A motion was made by Kerry Romero to accept the finance report as presented. Second motion made by Jarrod Suire. Motion passed. (3-0)

NEW BUSINESS

- 1. TO CONSIDER AND TAKE ACTION WITH RESPECT TO ADOPTING A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 1 OF THE PARISH OF IBERIA, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ON SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 2025, TO AUTHORIZE THE LEVY OF A SPECIAL TAX THEREIN – A motion was made by Kerry Romero. Second motion made by Jarrod Suire. Motion passed. (3-0)**



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2. **TO AMEND THE 2025 FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT FUND BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$43,000.00 TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING FOR STATION 100 BUILDING REPAIRS - COMPLETED AT END OF YEAR 2024 BY ARL CONSTRUCTION. TO BE FUNDED FROM PREVIOUS YEAR FUND BALANCE TO MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS LINE ITEM: 1050-543100-2210-0000-0000. (NOTE: MONIES WAS ORIGINALLY ALLOCATED INTO THE 2024 BUDGET BUT THE INVOICE WASN'T RECEIVED TILL 2025. THE MONEY WAS PUT BACK INTO THE GENERAL FUND) – A motion was made by Kerry Romero. Second motion was made by Jarrod Suire. Motion passed. (3-0)**
3. **APPROVAL FOR ADJUSTMENT OF BASE PAY INCREASE AS PRESENTED BY CHIEF BONIN, TO BE IMPLEMENTED ON JUNE 1, 2025 – A motion was made by Kerry Romero to continue the growth of the Fire District and approve the base pay increase and adjustments to salaries as presented by Chief Bonin, and to be implemented on payroll period beginning Friday, June 6, 2025. Second motion made by Jarrod Suire. Motion passed. (3-0)**

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn was made by Jarrod Suire. Second motion by Kerry Romero. Motion passed. (3-0)

Submitted By:

Accepted By:

Guy M. Bonin
Fire Chief
Iberia Parish Fire District #1

Jarrold Suire
Chairman
IPFPD Board of Commissioners