

NOVEMBER 19, 2025

NEW IBERIA, LOUISIANA

IBERIA PARISH COUNCIL

JOINT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

The Joint Committee Meeting was called to order by Chairman James P. Trahan at 6:59 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Those members recorded as present were as follows:

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

Those members recorded as absent were as follows:
Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

Others in Attendance:

Legal Counsel Ian Alpha
Parish President Larry M. Richard
Chief Operating Officer Michael Broussard
Director of Finance Erica Duplechain
Public Works Director Jean D. Romero
Director of Homeland Security Brandon Miguez

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

A motion was made by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., seconded by Mr. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr., that the Iberia Parish Joint Committee does hereby recess its Regular Session and convene in a Public Hearing to obtain comments from the public at this time.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

1. There were no comments from the General Public on Agenda Items.
2. There were no comments from the General Public on Non-Agenda Items.

A motion was made by Ms. Natalie Broussard, seconded by Mr. Francis "Tommy" Pollard, Sr. that the Iberia Parish Joint Committee Meeting does hereby adjourn its Public Hearing and reconvene into Regular Session at this time.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

MINUTES:

Regular Joint Committee Meeting of November 12, 2025.

A motion was made by Mr. Michael R. Landry, seconded by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., that the Regular Meeting Minutes of November 12, 2025 be adopted.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Chairman Michael R. Landry called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

1. Discuss and consider amending Chapter 6, Sec. 6-2. Restrictions of the Compiled Ordinances of Iberia Parish, by amending and reenacting same, to provide for the effective date thereof; and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

A motion was made by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., seconded by Mr. Brian P. Napier, that the Executive Committee does hereby recommend that the Iberia Parish Council adopt the abovementioned Resolution.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

2. Discuss and consider authorizing the Parish President to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement between Iberia Parish Government and 16th Judicial District Court Judges and District Attorney regarding the Criminal Court Fund.

A motion was made by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., seconded by Mr. Brian P. Napier, that the Executive Committee does hereby recommend that the Iberia Parish Council adopt the abovementioned Resolution.

A motion was made by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., seconded by Mr. Brian P. Napier, that the Executive Committee No. 2 be deleted, at this time.

This motion to Delete having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion to Delete was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

Upon hearing no further business to come before the Executive Committee, a motion was made by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., seconded by Mr. James P. Trahan, that the Executive Committee does hereby adjourn.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

Chairman Michael R. Landry declared the Executive Committee Meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Chairman Scott Ransonet called the meeting to order at 7:08 p.m.

1. Discuss and consider in collaboration with the Parish President an additional build out of the Clerk of Court Civil Department with additional security features to be implemented.

A motion was made by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., seconded by Mr. Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, that the Finance Committee does hereby recommend that the Iberia Parish Council adopt the abovementioned Resolution.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

Upon hearing no further business to come before the Finance Committee, a motion was made by Mr. Marcus "Bruce" Broussard, seconded by Mr. Warren P. Gachassin, Jr., that the Finance Committee does hereby adjourn.

This motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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

NAYS: Brian P. Napier.

ABSENT: Dustin Suire and Brock Pellerin.

And the motion was declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2025.

Chairman Scott Ransonet declared the Finance Committee Meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE:

There were no items to come before the Public Health & Safety Committee.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE:

There were no items to come before the Public Works Committee.

Chairman Scott Ransonet declared the Finance Committee Meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

There being no other business, the Iberia Parish Council adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING TO BE EXACT AND TRUE:


Clerk of the Council