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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

APRIL 2, 2024

REGULAR MEETING

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen/Alderwoman of the Town of Port Barre met in regular session in the town hall on Tuesday, April 2, 2024, at the hour of 6:00 p.m.

Mayor Ardoin called the meeting to order. Present were: Robin, Hebert and Kimble. Absent: S. Hardy, G. Hardy.

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen/Alderwoman of the Town of Port Barre, Parish of St. Landry, State of Louisiana, were duly convened as the governing authority of said town by Mayor John P. Ardoin, whom stated that the Council was ready for the transaction of business.

Motion by Hebert, seconded by Robin, accepting the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on March 5, 2024, and to dispense with the reading thereof. Unanimous.

Mayor Ardoin gave an update on business items from the March 5, 2024 meeting.

Motion by Hebert, seconded by Kimble condemning the property located at 202 West Courtableau upon the recommendation of Building Code Inspection Services. Unanimous.

Motion by Robin, seconded by Hebert condemning the property located at 129 Josie Street upon the recommendation of Building Code Inspection Services. The owner was present and stated that she did not want to demolish the house and that she would bring it up to code. Motion passed unanimously to condemn.

Motion by Hebert, seconded by Robin condemning the property located at 133 Josie Street upon the recommendation of Building Code Inspection Services. Unanimous.

TOWN COUNCIL: DONALD ROBIN SAMMY W. HARDY, II GREGORY P. HARDY RONNIE KIMBLE SUSIE HEBERT Motion by Kimble, seconded by Hebert hiring Ms. Leona LeBleu as a full-time dispatcher upon the recommendation of Chief Boudreaux. Unanimous.

Mayor Ardoin called upon Chief Boudreaux. Chief Boudreaux rendered the monthly report of Police Department activities.

Mayor Ardoin called upon Gregory Leger, Town Superintendent, who gave an update on public works activities.

Mayor Ardoin called upon Kyla Rivette, Parks & Recreation Director. Ms. Rivette was not in attendance, so Mayor Ardoin gave an update on Youth League activities.

Motion by Robin, seconded by Kimble accepting all financial and departmental reports. Unanimous.

Mayor Ardoin called upon the town council, then the audience. General discussion was had, including legislation being considered in Baton Rouge that would affect municipalities, police retirement, street lights, blighted property, restroom facility in the park, grass clippings being left on streets.

Motion by Hebert, seconded by Robin to adjourn. Unanimous.

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