

# TOWN OF PORT BARRE

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## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

JULY 7, 2020

## 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, July 7, 2020, at the hour of 6:00 p.m.

Mayor Ardoin called the meeting to order. Present were: Pickney, Barron, Abshire, Hardy and Robin. Absent: None.

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 Robin, seconded by Hardy, accepting the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on June 2, 2020, and to dispense with the reading thereof. Unanimous.

Mayor Ardoin gave an update on business items from last month's meeting.

Motion by Robin, seconded by Pickney adopting a Resolution setting the General Alimony Millage Rate of 5.380 mills for the tax year 2020. Unanimous.

Motion by Barron, seconded by Hardy adopting a Resolution to amend the use of proceeds for a December, 2016 lease purchase agreement to include the purchase of a truck for the Parks and Recreation Department. Unanimous.

Mayor Ardoin presented the monthly reports of the Public Works Supervisor and Parks and Recreation Director.

Mayor Ardoin called upon Chief Boudreaux, who rendered his monthly report, and requested that the council hire Mr. Mark Gilliam and Mr. Charles Doucet as full-time, post-certified police officers.

Motion by Abshire, seconded by Pickney to hire Mr. Mark Gilliam and Mr. Charles Doucet as full-time, post-certified police officers. Unanimous.

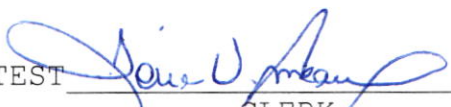
Motion by Abshire, seconded by Hardy to go into Executive Session. Unanimous. Council went into Executive Session at approximately 6:27 p.m.

Motion by Pickney, seconded by Robin to return to Regular Session. Unanimous. Council returned to Regular Session at approximately 6:53 p.m.

Mayor Ardoin called upon the Town Council, then the audience. General discussion was had, including ditches and drainage, junk cars, tall grass, dogs at large, live streaming of meetings, trash cans, and grass cuttings on town streets. Alderman Abshire introduced Ordinance No. 1 of 2020, amending Ordinance No. 1 of 2017 regarding the curfew for minors.

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

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

ATTEST   
CLERK

  
MAYOR