

The Police Jury met in regular session assembled with the following members present: Bryan Vidrine, Ryan Williams, Ryan Ardoin, Sidney Fontenot, Kevin Veillon, Lelia Thrasher, Daniel Arvie, Keith Saucier, and Eric Soileau. All members were present.

There were no comments from the public regarding the agenda items.

Motion was made by Sidney Fontenot and seconded by Kevin Veillon to approve the March 7, 2022 public hearing, committee and regular meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Keith Saucier approving to adopt the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following millage(s) are hereby levied on the 2022 tax roll on all property subject to taxation by the Evangeline Parish Police Jury:

<u>TAXING DISTRICT</u>	<u>2022 LEVY</u>
General Parish Alimony	3.800
Exempted Municipalities	1.900
Health Unit Tax	2.110
Library	5.300
Elderly Services Center	1.040
Fire Protection District No. 2	5.600
Fire Protection District Pine Prairie	11.010
Cemetery District No. 4	2.160
Cemetery District No. 5	1.000
Cemetery District No. 1	0.840
Cemetery District No. 6	1.120
Road District No. 1	5.290
Road District No. 2	15.330
Road District No. 3	10.410
Road District No. 5	5.060
Cemetery District No. 2	1.090
Cemetery District No. 3	1.140
Cemetery District No. 7	1.040
Road District No. 4	15.820
Communications District 911	1.040
Road District No. 5	9.970
Cemetery District No. 1	1.120
Cemetery District No. 5	1.010
Fire Protection District No. 2	5.600
Lone Pine Fire Protection District	20.000

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the proper administrative officials of the parish of Evangeline, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as herein above set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for the year 2022, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the taxing authority, according to law, and that the taxes herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on all property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided by law.

The foregoing resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by the following votes:

YEAS: Ryan Ardoin, Ryan Williams, Lelia Thrasher, Bryan Vidrine, Sidney Fontenot, Eric Soileau, Daniel Arvie, Keith Saucier, Kevin Veillon

NAYS: None.

ABSTAINED: None.

ABSENT: None.

Motion was made by Ryan Ardoin and seconded by Ryan Williams, to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, The Evangeline Parish Police Jury, governing authority of the Parish of Evangeline, State of Louisiana, does hereby approve a contract between the Evangeline Parish Police Jury and the Department of Health and Hospitals for social services for the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (LA WIC Program) effective July 1, 2022-June 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the facilities and staff of the Department of Health and Hospitals will be provided to recruit potentially eligible individuals for WIC Program participation; determine eligibility for program participation; conduct nutrition risk assessment; provide nutrition education; develop nutrition care plans; issue food instruments for use in exchange for supplemental foods; train and monitor WIC vendors; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the President of the Evangeline Parish Police Jury is hereby authorized to sign any and all documents related to said contract;

The above and foregoing, having been submitted to a vote was unanimously approved this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.

Motion was made by Keith Saucier and seconded by Lelia Thrasher approving Small Business Rules for the Evangeline Parish Industrial Park. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Kevin Veillon approving the appointment of Joseph W. Deville to replace Lloyd D. Fontenot to fill the remaining term on the Evangeline Parish Water District #1, expiring December 2024 . Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sidney Fontenot and seconded by Ryan Williams approving the jail supply list as submitted. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sidney Fontenot and seconded by Kevin Veillon authorizing the payment of bills on file in the Police Jury Office. Motion carried.

Public Works Director gave the following report:

- Approve hiring of employees.

Motion was made by Keith Saucier and seconded by Ryan Williams to approve the hiring of Darrel Veillon part time for District #1. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Kevin Veillon and seconded by Sidney Fontenot to approve the hiring of Seth Guillory as limb cutter for District #5 and #7 at \$13/hour retroactive to March 20, 2022. Motion carried.

- Parish wide drainage equipment is currently being used in District #6 then moving to District #4.
- Ward 1 drainage equipment is located on Poodle Lane.
- Road names for the Chip Seal Project will be needed in order to get things prepared.

No Parish Engineer report was given at this time.

Secretary-Treasurer, Donald Bergeron, gave the following reports:

- Acadian Ambulance monthly report is in compliance with the ordinance.
- Mr. Bergeron stated that each juror has been emailed the parish budget to actual comparison reports for each fund and asked the Jury if there were any questions regarding those reports. No comments were reported.
- 2% Sales Use Tax collected in March 2022 for the month of February 2022, \$362,056.30.

Motion was made by Kevin Veillon and seconded by Sidney Fontenot approving to adjourn the meeting.  
Motion carried.

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Bryan Vidrine, President

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Donald Bergeron, Secretary-Treasurer