

Executive Committee
November 7, 2022

The Executive Committee met with the following members present: Bryan Vidrine, Keith Saucier, Ryan Ardoin, Ryan Williams, Sidney Fontenot and Lelia Thrasher. Absent and excused was Eric Soileau. A quorum was present.

A discussion was held on the use of grant proceeds from Local Tribes and Consistency Fund. The Parish will be receiving \$50,000 this year and \$50,000 next year to be used as general revenue. The Jury will need to decide what area to spend these funds. It was stated that an animal shelter is needed, which can be one area to utilize these funds. Motion was made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Sidney Fontenot to approve allocating these funds for future grant matching funds to be used towards an animal shelter. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sidney Fontenot and seconded by Ryan Ardoin to approve the repairing of cracked sheetrock and the painting of hall ways and lobbies at the Ville Platte Health Unit. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sidney Fontenot and seconded by Ryan Williams approving to adjourn the executive committee meeting. Motion carried.

Bryan Vidrine, Chairman

Donald Bergeron, Secretary-Treasurer

The Road and Bridge Committee met with the following members present: Ryan Williams, Bryan Vidrine, Eric Soileau, Sidney Fontenot and Lelia Thrasher. All members were present.

Mr. Wilfred Ardoin addressed the Jury requesting to reverse action on roads abandoned officially by the parish in 1986. Public Works Director stated that in order for the parish to accept the roads back into the system they must fall into a certain criteria. Motion was made by Bryan Vidrine and seconded by Eric Soileau approving to turn this matter over to the Jury's legal counsel for further guidance. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Lelia Thrasher and seconded by Bryan Vidrine to approve the following raises for District 4 employees, effective today:

Tim Causey	\$1/hour increase
Nolan Soileau	\$1/hour increase
Huey Johnson	\$1/hour increase
Eddie Clark	Promoted to full-time –Increase from \$13.00 to \$18.00/ hour.

Motion carried.

Motion was made by Lelia Thrasher and seconded by Eric Soileau to approve calling a public hearing on Monday, December 5, 2022 at 4:45 p.m. in the Police Jury Meeting Room of the Courthouse Building, 200 Court Street, Ste. 207, Ville Platte, La to hear public comments and/or questions on the abandonment on a portion of Wade Road and Bessie Road and full abandonment of Nobrac Road and Owl Street. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Eric Soileau and seconded by Lelia Thrasher approving to adjourn the Road and Bridge Committee. Motion carried.

Eric Soileau, Chairman

Donald Bergeron, Secretary-Treasurer

Claims Committee
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The Claims Committee met with the following members present: Kevin Veillon, Ryan Williams, Keith Saucier, Sidney Fontenot and Bryan Vidrine. All members were present.

Damage claim was discuss regarding an employee in a parish truck who backed up into a private vehicle while on private property. Lowest estimate was received in the amount of \$3,972.48, and Parish insurance deductible is \$1,000.00. Motion was made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Bryan Vidrine to approve the payment of the claim for damages done. Motion carried.

Damages were also done to an employee's personal vehicle while parked in the Region A maintenance yard. Employee claims the vehicle sustained a scratch while parked. There were no witnesses. Estimate is \$500 to touch up paint. Motion was made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Keith Saucier approving the payment of the claim of \$500.00 out of District 8 funds. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sidney Fontenot and seconded by Bryan Vidrine approving to adjourn the Claims Committee. Motion carried.

Kevin Veillon, Chairman

Donald Bergeron, Secretary-Treasurer