

Minutes of Regular Meeting (rescheduled)
Of the
Fordoche Town Council
March 9, 2021
6:30 p.m.
Fordoche Community Center, 4261 Overton St, Fordoche, Louisiana, 70732

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm by Mayor Gros

Pledge of Allegiance

Pledge of Allegiance led by Chief Gueho

Roll call

Present: Ronnie Bonaventure, Jr, Robin Cashio, Tiffany Gremilliom, Callie Meche, Don Sonnier

Absent: None

Adopt Minutes

Motion by Robin Cashio, seconded by Callie Meche

Resolved, Minutes of February 9, 2021 meetings approved as written.

Review and approval of invoices and financial statements

Motion by Robin Cashio, seconded by Callie Meche

Resolved, invoices and financial statements of previous month reviewed and approved.

Public Comment

Ms. Amy, with Fordoche Neighborhood Watch, was present and inquiring about a phone call system that would notify all residents, that would be subscribed, of any eminent danger or threat to the town's people.

The mayor and council advised that the town's website has the capability of sending out alerts.

This could possibly be used to send out alerts during business hours.

Mayor also advised that the Parish Government is working on such abilities now.

Reports

Mayor said the new utility truck is now in service. There are a few things we need to get to complete it for its duties.

All went well during the ice-storm. We never lost water, or power for that matter.

Police Chief Gueho reported 24 citations written and \$2,060.00 collected for the month of February.

There was a drug bust in town and an arrest made on a stolen van.

Two dog complaints, one of which was a bite to a human.

Call to an altercation disturbance.

And there is a stand-still on the police unit we are getting from the Sheriff's department.

Maintenance Supervisor, Shane Pickett, reported that he and the mayor stayed vigilant for about 4 days and nights during the ice-storm to ensure that the town would not lose water. He thanked the mayor for staying up and out with him for many hours during this time.

New Business

Fair Housing Proclamation

Proclamation declaring April as Fair Housing Month

Motion by Don Sonnier, seconded by Tiffany Gremillion

Resolved, to adopt proclamation declaring April as Fair Housing month

Introduction of Amendment to Article II, Section 12-40 of the Code of Ordinances - "Littering"

An amendment to "Littering" ordinance was introduced by Don Sonnier". Motion was seconded by Tiffany Gremillion, and carried. A public hearing will be held prior to the ordinance being considered for adoption at the next regular meeting.

Adjournment

Motion by, Tiffany Gremillion, seconded by Don Sonnier

Resolved, to adjourn the meeting at 7:07 pm

By our signatures, we hereby attest true and approved minutes of the Fordoche Town Council.

Teddy Gros, Mayor

Lisa Cormier, MMC