

**Minutes of Regular Meeting
Of the
Fordoche Town Council
September 9, 2025
6:30 p.m.
Fordoche Town Hall- 5390 Fordoche Road, Fordoche, Louisiana, 70732**

Regular Meeting

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 6:36 p.m. by **Mayor Pro-Tempore Beth LaCombe**

Pledge of Allegiance

Pledge of Allegiance led by Beth LaCombe

Roll call

Present: Beth LaCombe, Kirk LaCombe, Tori Robillard

Absent: Teddy Gros, Cody Gros, Charlie Sonnier

Amend Agenda

Motion by Kirk LaCombe, seconded by Tori Robillard

Resolved, the agenda is amended to include to get approval for the Town Manager to buy a tractor and lawn mower with the \$75,000.00 State Capital Outlay funds.

Motion carried unanimously.

Adopt Minutes

Motion by Kirk LaCombe, seconded by Beth LaCombe

Resolved, Minutes of August 12, 2025 meeting are approved.

Motion carried unanimously.

Review and approval of invoices and financial statements

Motion by Kirk LaCombe seconded by Beth LaCombe

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

Motion carried unanimously.

Public Comment – Toby Delahoussaye reported that the Fall Senior Luncheon held on September 5, 2025 went very well. Approximately 40 residents, 3 vendors, and lots of volunteers were present for a sum of about 80 total present. He is already working on planning the next luncheon with details coming soon.

Reports

Mayor – Absent

Town Manager Report Justin K. Cox – Absent

Police Chief – D. Poirrier reported the following

- 2 citations were issued and 4 verbal/written warnings.
- 5 arrests were made related to ordinance and law enforcement.
- 6 calls for service were addressed.
- FP1 is still out of service, switch installation is in progress.

- FP2 is in service and operational, no current issues reported.
- Two officers currently on duty.
- Collaboration with the Sheriff's Office, coordinating installation of PTS (Police Training Software) on in-car computer systems. Installation expected to be completed this month.

Drainage Commissioner – Ms. Robillard reported drainage looks good, no issues reported.

Beautification Commissioner – Ms. LaCombe reported flags are up at the Town Hall and Fordoche welcome sign. Flowers are planted in the pots in front of the Town Hall.

Grass Commissioner – Mr. Lacombe reported equipment has been down, but is getting repaired. Ditches will be cut as soon as repairs are complete.

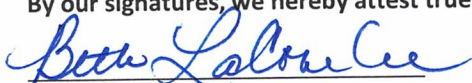
Parks/Rec – Council is deciding on the size of the Pavilion to be put up and purchasing extra benches. The benches can be in memory of a loved one or a plaque can be done on the benches also.

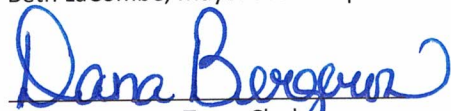
New Business – 911 Funds from Sheriff's office,
Motion by Tori Robillard, seconded by Kirk LaCombe
Resolved, pay remaining balance of \$11,987 for 911 funds from Sheriff's Office.
Motion carried unanimously.

Approval for the Town Manager to buy a tractor and lawn mower with the \$75,000.00 State Capital Outlay funds.
Motion by Tori Robillard, seconded by Kirk LaCombe
Resolved, Town Manager is approved to buy a tractor and lawn mower with the \$75,000.00 State Capital Outlay funds.
Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Pro-Tempore – Discuss Halloween being moved to Thursday, October 30, 2025.
Motion by Kirk LaCombe, seconded by Tori Robillard
Resolved, Halloween will be moved to Thursday, October 30, 2025.
Motion carried unanimously.

Adjournment Motion by Tori Robillard, seconded by Kirk LaCombe
Resolved, to adjourn the meeting at 7:08 p.m.
By our signatures, we hereby attest true and approved minutes of the Town of Fordoche.


Beth LaCombe, Mayor Pro-Tempore


Dana Bergeron, Town Clerk