

NEW IBERIA CITY COUNCIL
MEETING AGENDA
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2021, @ 5:30 P.M.
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS



CALL TO ORDER

PRAYER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: MARLON LEWIS

ROLL CALL: _____ Mayor Pro Tem Ricky Gonsoulin

_____ Councilmember Brooke Marcotte _____ Councilmember Marlon Lewis
_____ Councilmember David Broussard _____ Councilmember Deidre Ledbetter
_____ Councilmember Deedy Johnson-Reid _____ Councilmember Dustin Suire

1. PUBLIC COMMENT:

2. ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINUTES:

- a. Acceptance of the minutes of February 2, 2021 as published on February 12, 2021.

3. PERSONS TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL:

- a. Mayor DeCourt to present Life Saving Valor Awards to Dion Merrick, Brandon Antoine, and Ashley Thibodeaux.
- b. David Broussard to address the council to discuss letter from State Senator Fred Mills, Jr. regarding turning lane safety issue at Lewis Street & Weeks Island Road.

4. RESOLUTIONS:

- a. Resolution 21-14: Appointing Albert Mestayer to the New Iberia Planning and Zoning Commission.
- b. Resolution 21-15: Re-appointing William Kyle to Municipal Civil Service Board.

5. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES:

- a. Introduction of Special Ordinance 2020-2021-05: Amending the budget for quoted cost to replace City Hall air handler (Budget Amendment No. 4) and to set for public hearing on March 2, 2021.
- b. Introduction of Ordinance No. 2021-04: Authorizing the Mayor to execute a maintenance and operation services agreement for the Tete Bayou Wastewater treatment Plant and to set for public hearing on March 2, 2021.
- c. Introduction of Ordinance No. 21-05: Authorizing the Mayor to execute a contract between the City of new Iberia and Berard, Habetz, & Associates, Inc. for design and engineering services on the City of New Iberia Streets Project and to set for public hearing on March 2, 2021.
- d. Introduction of Ordinance No. 21-06: Authorizing the Mayor to execute a cooperative endeavor agreement regarding security cameras between the City of New Iberia and Crime Fighters of Louisiana, LLC and to set for public hearing on March 2, 2021;

- e. Introduction of Ordinance No. 2021-07: Approving Change Order No. 3 on the Tete Bayou Wastewater Treatment Plant for Equalization Basin Levee Repairs Project and Authorizing the mayor to Negotiate and execute any and all contracts or documentation in connection therewith and to set for public hearing on March 2, 2021.

6. PROPERTY STANDARDS:

- a. Revisiting 1517 Adam Street for Demolition, per Resolution 21-03.
- b. Revisiting 503 Bayard Street for Demolition, per Resolution 21-04.
- c. Revisiting 118 Hortense Street for Demolition, per Resolution 21-06.

7. FINANCE REPORTS:

- a. Kevin Zerangue to present monthly budget report for November 1, 2020 through November 30, 2020.
- b. Kevin Zerangue to present bimonthly budget report for November 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020

8. COUNCIL REMARKS:

9. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- a. The next regularly scheduled city council meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 2, 2021.
- b. Reminder to council and citizens to participate in the MS4 Storm Water Survey at www.cityofnewiberia.com under Public Works section.
- c. **City of New Iberia currently has adjudicated properties available for sale at CivicSource.com.** To initiate the auction process on one or more properties, the investor must place a deposit of \$850 on each property, which starts the prerequisite legal research and notification process that is required before the auction takes place. The pre-sale process takes approximately 120 days to complete. If the current property owner pays all delinquent taxes and fees during the pre-sale period, the depositor is refunded the deposit and the sale is halted. Visit CivicSource.com to learn more.

10. ADJOURN: