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Notice Posted: **December 8, 2023 @ 9:00 a.m.**

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be held as follows:

DATE: Tuesday, December 12, 2023

TIME: 5:00 p.m.

PLACE OF MEETING: City of Opelousas Municipal Plaza Meeting Room, 105 N. Main Street, Opelousas, Louisiana 70570.

This meeting is also available for live-stream viewing on www.cityofopelousas.com. Archived/Recorded videos of the meetings can be viewed on the Historic Opelousas Facebook page.

AGENDA:

REGULAR MEETING CALL TO ORDER

1. Roll Call.
2. Observe Moment of Silent Meditation.
3. Prayer by Designee.
4. Pledge to U.S. Flag by Rev. Joel Greene, Jr., Bellevue Street Baptist Church, Opelousas, Louisiana.
5. Approve Minutes:
 - a. Regular Meeting held 10/10/2023.
 - b. Regular Meeting held 11/14/2023.
6. **Adoption of Agenda, with any approved changes.**
 - **Three-minute recess for submission of public comments/questions.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- COVID-19 Update from Opelousas General Health Systems (OGHS) representative.
- Updates/Presentations from Mayor Julius Alsandor.
- Reading of Public Comments/Questions, if any.

REPORTS

7. Review Monthly Finances. (October and November 2023)
8. Public Works Director's Report.
9. Engineer's Monthly Report.
10. City Attorney's Report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

11. *No Items Submitted.*

NEW BUSINESS

12. Approve Contract Change Order No. 5 in the increase amount of \$2,740.00 for Item Nos. CO5-1 - CO5-4 for work required to be able to cut water off at meter in order to replace meter and for Item No. CO5-5 to compensate contractor for materials and labor furnished for a limited number of meter installations. This change order is for AMI Water Meter Installation Services Project, FP&C Project No. 50-MM6-18-01, MGA Project W#300. (Contractor: Vanguard Utility Company, Inc.)

INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

13. *No Ordinances Submitted for Introduction.*

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CONSIDERATION AND ADOPTION OF AMENDMENTS TO PROPOSED ORDINANCES

14. AMENDMENTS TO AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 6 OF 2023 TO CORRECT CLERICAL ERRORS IN THE ORDINANCE THAT AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 1 OF 2020, SECTION 3-14 PROVIDING FOR FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON SALES AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, IF ANY.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

15. A PUBLIC HEARING TO DISCUSS AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 6 OF 2023 TO CORRECT CLERICAL ERRORS IN THE ORDINANCE THAT AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 1 OF 2020, SECTION 3-14 PROVIDING FOR FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON SALES AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES (Vote Required)

16. ADOPT AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 6 OF 2023 TO CORRECT CLERICAL ERRORS IN THE ORDINANCE THAT AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 1 OF 2020, SECTION 3-14 PROVIDING FOR FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON SALES AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

RESOLUTIONS

17. ADOPT A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENT WITH OPELOUSAS DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (ODDD) FOR CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER RELATED TO ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS IN DOWNTOWN OPELOUSAS.

CONSENT AGENDA (PERSONNEL ITEMS)

18. Approve Provisional Police Officer Tyrone Abrams' Change of Status to Probational Police Officer, effective 11/22/2023.
19. Accept Permanent Police Records Clerk Dana L. Castille's Retirement, effective 12/01/2023, and approve payment in the amount of \$1,660.05 for 93 hours of unused annual leave.
20. Accept Permanent Police Secretary to the Police Chief Myrina Foster's Retirement, effective 12/01/2023, and approve payment in the amount of \$42,490.54 for 1,601 hours of unused annual leave.
21. Approve Probational Police Officer Cedric W. Jackson's Confirmation to Permanent Police Officer, effective 12/19/2023.
22. Approve Provisional Police Communications Officer Clayton R. Edwards' Renewal of Provisional Appointment, effective 01/13/2024. This appointment, if not terminated sooner, shall terminate on 04/13/2024 (3 months).

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- *No Items Submitted.*

ADJOURNMENT

Anyone desiring to comment on an item on the agenda is encouraged to send comments as soon as practicable prior to the meeting. Comments may be submitted as follows:

Via Telephone at (337) 948-2520; Via Facsimile at (337) 948-2593; or Via E-mail at LANDERSON@cityofopelousas.com

/s/ *Julius Alsandor*

**Julius Alsandor, Mayor
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