

**Minutes of July 12, 2022 – Regular Meeting
Mayor and Board of Selectmen
City of Plaquemine, Louisiana**

The Mayor and Board of Selectmen met for a Regular Meeting at Plaquemine City Hall, second floor courtroom, 23640 Railroad Avenue, City of Plaquemine, Parish of Iberville, State of Louisiana, 70764 on Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:30 p.m., with the following members present:

Present: Mayor Edwin M. “Ed” Reeves, Jr. and Selectmen Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Selectwomen Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones and Margaret R. Randle

The Pledge of Allegiance followed the Clerk’s evidence of proper notice for the calling of the meeting.

Item 01. PUBLIC COMMENTS (MUST REGISTER WITH THE CLERK).

- a) Human Resources Director Georneisha Rivers addressed Mayor and Board of Selectmen on the concerns of the city departments.
- b) Mr. Ronald Price requested an update on fence by home and grant funding.

Item 02. INTRODUCTION OF NEW EMPLOYEES.

There were no new employees to introduce.

Item 03. TO RE-APPOINT CONRAD L. MIRE TO THE PLAQUEMINE MUNICIPAL FIRE AND POLICE CIVIL SERVICE BOARD.

Selectman Lindon A. Rivet, Jr. moved, seconded by Selectman Shannon P. Courtade that the City of Plaquemine re-appoint Conrad L. Mire to the Plaquemine Municipal Fire and Police Civil Service Board.

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones, Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Margaret R. Randle

Nays: None

Absent: None

Item 04. ADOPT A RESOLUTION DECLARING EQUIPMENT SURPLUS AND RELATED MATTERS.

Selectman Shannon P. Courtade moved the following resolution, seconded by Selectman Thomas D. LeBlanc:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Plaquemine, owns the following movable property which is no longer needed for a public purpose:

MODEL	SERIAL #	DESCRIPTION	VALUE	DATE ACQUIRED
		B28 PROCESSORS	SALVAGE	1990
		NOTEBOOK	SALVAGE	1995
		BURSTER	SALVAGE	1993
		COMPUTER		
		EQUIPMENT	SALVAGE	1991
		HARD DRIVE	SALVAGE	1990
	6X1C-JYFZ	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
	6X1C-J	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
		COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1998
		COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1997
		COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1993
		COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1995
	A360	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002

A362	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A363	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A656	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A658	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A660	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A661	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A662	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A663	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B193	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B194	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B195	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B214	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B227	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B233	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B267	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B280	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
B282	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2008
	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2008
A465	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A466	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A467	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A469	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
A659	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1999
	HAND HELD		
	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1996
	HAND HELD		
	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	1993
	HARDWARE	SALVAGE	1994
	HARDWARE		
	&WIRING	SALVAGE	1993
HP LASERJET 2200	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2003
	COMPUTER W/		
HP-4	BACKUP	SALVAGE	1994
	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2007
	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2007
51QL	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2009
52QL	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2009
	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2001
	MONITOR	SALVAGE	1996
	5 KEYBOARDS	SALVAGE	1996
SN-USJN14	PRINTER	SALVAGE	2002

		3 2-WAY RADIOS	SALVAGE	1989
		TAPE DRIVE KIT	SALVAGE	1996
	SN0502954	TIME CLOCK	SALVAGE	1999
ACUTEC		GAS DETECTOR	SALVAGE	1998
		COPIER	SALVAGE	1985
		DESK MICROPHONE	SALVAGE	1996
		EQUIPMENT CABINET	SALVAGE	1986
		DRILL	SALVAGE	1997
		ICE MACHINE	SALVAGE	1985
		LAWN MOWER	SALVAGE	1985
		LAWN MOWER	SALVAGE	1997
		LAWNMOWER	SALVAGE	2000
MITREK		RADIO	SALVAGE	1986
MOTOROLA		RADIO	SALVAGE	1994
		PORTABLE RADIO	SALVAGE	1997
		PORTABLE RADIO	SALVAGE	1997
		PORTABLE RADIO	SALVAGE	1999
		PORTABLE RADIO	SALVAGE	1999
		RADIO & ANTENNA	SALVAGE	1992
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1986
		RADIO	SALVAGE	2000
		RADIO	SALVAGE	2001
		RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1996
		RADIO	SALVAGE	2000
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1985
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1996
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1997
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1996
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1996
		SAW	SALVAGE	1998
	A657	COMPUTER	SALVAGE	2002
		PRINTER	SALVAGE	2005
		PRINTER	SALVAGE	2005
		GAS DRILL	SALVAGE	1997
		TIME CLOCK	SALVAGE	2002
		TIME CLOCK	SALVAGE	2002
		2 CALCULATORS	SALVAGE	1986
		TYPE WRITER	SALVAGE	1986
		TYPE WRITER	SALVAGE	1985
		TYPE WRITER	SALVAGE	1985

		VACUUM	SALVAGE	1985
		VACUUM	SALVAGE	1990
		VACUUM	SALVAGE	1990
		WEEDEATER	SALVAGE	1986
		YAZOO MOWER	SALVAGE	1986
		YAZOO MOWER	SALVAGE	1987
		YAZOO RIDER	SALVAGE	1987
		A/C	SALVAGE	1996
		A/C	SALVAGE	1996
	BTU 24000	A/C	SALVAGE	1991
		3 SIMPLEX RECORDS	SALVAGE	1983
		A/C	SALVAGE	2000
		A/C	SALVAGE	2002
		A/C	SALVAGE	1996
		A/C	SALVAGE	1996
		A/C	SALVAGE	2002
		COPIER	SALVAGE	1994
		COPIER	SALVAGE	1996
		DESK	SALVAGE	1995
		DIGITAL CAMERA	SALVAGE	1999
		FAX	SALVAGE	1999
		FILE CABINET	SALVAGE	1988
		FOLDING TABLE	SALVAGE	1996
		CHAIR	SALVAGE	1996
GIBSON		AIR CONDITION	SALVAGE	1987
		INTERCOM	SALVAGE	1986
		ODOREMETER	SALVAGE	1988
OLYMPIA		TYPE WRITER	SALVAGE	1993
		PORTABLE RADIO	SALVAGE	1991
		PORTABLE RADIO	SALVAGE	1996
		RADIO	SALVAGE	1999
	5187	RADIO	SALVAGE	2006
	5189	RADIO	SALVAGE	2006
	9798962	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
	9808223	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
	9808277	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
	9808293	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
	9808492	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
	9808527	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
		REFRIGERATOR	SALVAGE	1996
RICOH		COPIER	SALVAGE	1995

RICOH		SORTER	SALVAGE	1995
		PRINTER	SALVAGE	1996
SIMPLEX		CLOCK	SALVAGE	1992
SIMPLEX		TIME CLOCK	SALVAGE	1993
TANDY		FAX	SALVAGE	1990
		VENDING MACHINE	SALVAGE	1985
	4367-1	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2015
	4367-2	LAPTOP	SALVAGE	2015
	9808314	RADIO	SALVAGE	2005
APPLE	F9FS9866FLMJ	IPAD MINI	SALVAGE	
MIFI 8800L	9.90016E+14	MIFI	SALVAGE	
APPLE 12 PRO MAX		IPHONE	SALVAGE	
MIFI 8800L	9.90009E+14	MIFI	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20909379	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20909380	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20891262	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20891263	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20843039	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20843040	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	121116942	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	12116943	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	10180104674	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	10180104714	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	21117824	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	10180104684	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	13069157	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	13069154	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	21117823	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	10180104728	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20891260	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	20891261	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	103056797	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	13056804	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	13069156	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
ANGEL ARMOR	30349665	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
ANGEL ARMOR	30348940	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	12116907	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	12116909	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SECOND CHANCE	13069153	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	12116936	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	
SAFARILAND	12116937	BULLET PROOF VEST	SALVAGE	

LENOVO	1150C64960ZVJ894554323	COMPUTER	SALVAGE
DELL	326WPS1	HARD DRIVE	SALVAGE
PELCO	010HVS385996	DVR	SALVAGE

WHEREAS, such property has no value or an appraised value of less than five thousand dollars, therefore the City of Plaquemine hereby proposes to dispose of such property in accordance with the procedures set forth in R.S. 33:4712 (F).

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Plaquemine have hereby declared the above-mentioned movable property which is no longer needed for public purpose as surplus with either no value and/or an appraised value of less than five thousand dollars as set forth in accordance with the procedures set forth in R.S. 33:4712 (F).

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones, Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Margaret R. Randle

Nays: None

Absent: None

Item 05. ACKNOWLEDGE – SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, JULY 14, 2022 TO DISCUSS CITY OF PLAQUEMINE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND RELATED MATTERS AND SPECIAL MEETING SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2022 TO DISCUSS REAPPORTIONMENT WITH DR. WILLIAM BLAIR OF STRATEGIC DEMOGRAPHICS.

So acknowledged.

Item 06. UPDATE ON DRAINAGE IN CITY OF PLAQUEMINE.

Tony Arikol of PEC supplied update on drainage in the City of Plaquemine.

Item 07. ACKNOWLEDGE POLICE AND FIRE REPORTS FOR JUNE 2022.

So acknowledged.

Item 08. APPROVE PAYROLL VOUCHERS FOR CITY OF PLAQUEMINE FOR JUNE 2022.

Selectman Lindon A. Rivet, Jr. moved, seconded by Selectwoman Geraldine H. Mellion that the City of Plaquemine approve payroll vouchers for June 2022 with the exception of Attorney Louis Delahaye and any other legal counsel hired by the Mayor without the Council's approval.

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones and Margaret R. Randle

Nays: Thomas D. LeBlanc and Shannon P. Courtade

Absent: None

Item 09. APPROVE MINUTES OF JUNE 21, 2022 (SPECIAL MEETING) WITH NECESSARY CORRECTIONS.

Selectman Lindon A. Rivet, Jr. moved, second by Selectman Shannon P. Courtade that the reading of the minutes of June 21, 2022 (special meeting) were waived and approved as accepted with necessary corrections.

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones, Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Margaret R. Randle

Nays: None

Absent: None

Item 10. ADDENDUM - RATIFY THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENT OF CUSTOMER SERVICE DIRECTOR AUDRIANE WILLIAMS.

Selectwoman Wanda B. Jones moved, seconded by Selectman Lindon A. Rivet, Jr. that the City of Plaquemine amend the agenda to ratify the Mayor's appointment of Customer Service Director Audriane Williams.

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones, Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Margaret H. Randle

Nays: None

Absent: None

Selectwoman Wanda B. Jones moved, seconded by Selectman Lindon A. Rivet, Jr. that the City of Plaquemine ratify the appointment of Audriane Williams as Customer Service Director, upon the recommendation of Mayor Edwin M. Reeves, Jr.

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones, Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Margaret R. Randle

Nays: None

Absent: None

Item 11. ADJOURNMENT.

Selectman Lindon A. Rivet, Jr. moved, seconded by Selectwoman Wanda B. Jones that the City of Plaquemine adjourn at 7:10 p.m.

The foregoing was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Lindon A. Rivet, Jr., Geraldine H. Mellion, Wanda B. Jones, Thomas D. LeBlanc, Shannon P. Courtade and Margaret R. Randle

Nays: None

Absent: None

CITY OF PLAQUEMINE

/s/Edwin M. "Ed" Reeves, Jr., Mayor

/s/Roxane M. Richard, LCMC