

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
TUESDAY
SEPTEMBER 9, 2014
5:00 P.M.

REGULAR MEETING CALL TO ORDER

1. Roll Call.
2. Observe Moment of Silent Meditation.
3. Pledge to U.S. Flag.
4. Approve Minutes of a Regular Meeting held 08/12/2014.
5. **Adoption of Agenda, with any changes.**

PRESENTATIONS

6. Presentation for recognition of the Employee of the Month.
7. Presentation by Mr. Hubert White regarding the J.S. Clark Alumni Association Memorial.
8. Presentation by Ms. Gerri Belton regarding request for donations for the Marcel Goudeau Veterans Center which will be located at 1131 S. Railroad Avenue.
9. Presentation by Mr. Clarence Watson, Parks Director, regarding the formation of a Youth Boxing Team.
10. Discuss request by Mrs. Melanie Lee-Lebouef to hire a part-time employee for Tourism Department.
11. Discuss request by Mrs. Melanie Lee-Lebouef to amend Tourism Department 2014-15 budget line item 54560-3397 (Promotions) to include a \$6,000.00 grant received from Union Pacific.
12. Discuss request by Chief Lee Cahanin to transfer \$12,000.00 from the Fire Department FY 2013-2014 Budget to the FY 2014-2015 Budget into account 54220-4231 (Repairs and Tires) for Ladder 1 Repairs.
13. Discuss request for approval of the plat being submitted for the RE-SUBDIVISION of property located at 1732 S. Washington Street (Community Directions, Inc.).
14. Discuss request for final approval of the plat being submitted for the EXTENSION of three (3) lots located on Champagne Drive in Clois Du Bois Subdivision (Michael Richard).
15. Presentation by City Attorney.
16. Engineer's Monthly Status Report.

RESOLUTIONS

17. A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF OPELOUSAS EXPRESSING THE SUPPORT OF CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 3 (ACT 871 OF THE 2014 REGULAR SESSION OF THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE) AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 10 (ACT 436 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATURE), CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS TO ASSIST MUNICIPALITIES IN THE FIGHT AGAINST BLIGHTED PROPERTY.

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18. Award contract for Elevated Water Storage Tank Rehabilitation (South City Park) Project, MGA Project W#250, to BLASTCO Texas, Inc., in the amount of \$588,000.00 and authorize the Mayor to sign any and all documents pertaining to this project.
19. Authority to advertise for Bids for Sewer Pump Parts.
20. Authority to advertise for Bids for North Park Pavillion.
21. Approve payment to Stuart Young for one hundred twenty (120) hours of unused annual leave and eight (8) hours of bonus leave. Mr. Young has resigned from the Opelousas Fire Department, effective 08/11/2014.
22. Approve the hiring of the following in the Fire Department, effective 09/14/2014, pending application approval from Fire and Police Civil Service: (a) Tanzy Brown; (b) Ryeland Papillion; and (c) Brian St. Cyr.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Donald R. Cravins, Sr., Mayor