

**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
TUESDAY
JANUARY 13, 2015
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. Prayer.
5. Approve Minutes of a Regular Meeting held 12/09/2014.
6. **Adoption of Agenda, with any changes.**

CONSENTS

7. Appointment of Mayor Pro-Tempore for 2015.
8. Mayor's Appointments.
 - a. *City Attorney*
 - b. *City Auditing Firm*
 - c. *City Clerk & Tax Collector*
 - d. *City Engineering Firm*
 - e. *Official Journal (Newspaper)*
9. Appointment of Committees for 2015.
10. Accept the resignation of Police Communications Officer Daisy Grabert, effective 12/04/2014, and approve payment for eighty (80) hours of unused annual leave, pending verification from Fire & Police Civil Service.
11. Accept the resignation of Probationary Police Officer John Malveau, effective 12/29/2014, and approve payment for thirty-six (36) hours of unused annual leave, pending verification from Fire & Police Civil Service and satisfactory return of all equipment to Opelousas Police Department.
12. Approve the termination of administrative leave with pay for Police Officer First Class Herbert Levier, pending formal correspondence from previous verbal disclosure by the Louisiana State Police (investigating agency).

PUBLIC HEARINGS

13. A PUBLIC HEARING TO ADOPT AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1, SECTION 12 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF OPELOUSAS, INCORPORATING INTO THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY CERTAIN PROPERTY AND CHANGING THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY ACCORDINGLY (a certain tract or parcel of land designated as "Tract A", U.S. Hwy 182 South (S. Union Street at Heather Drive) of the estate of E.E. Pavy, Sr., containing 5.339 acres or 232,555 square feet, located in Sections 150 and 160, Township 6 South, Range 4 East, St. Landry Parish, State of Louisiana (Felix Octave Pavy).

PRESENTATIONS

14. Discuss request for approval of the plat being submitted for the zoning of property located at US HWY 182 SOUTH – S UNION STREET @ HEATHER DRIVE (Felix Octave Pavy).
15. Discuss request for approval of the property located at US HWY 182 SOUTH – S UNION STREET @ HEATHER DRIVE to be ZONED AS C1 (Commercial 1) (Felix Octave Pavy).

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16. Discuss request for CONDITIONAL USE of property located at US HWY 182 SOUTH – S UNION STREET @ HEATHER DRIVE to operate a Drive-thru Pharmacy Window (Felix Octave Pavy).
17. Discuss request for CONDITIONAL USE of property located at US HWY 182 SOUTH – S UNION STREET @ HEATHER DRIVE for the sale of Alcohol (Felix Octave Pavy).
18. Discuss request for VARIANCE of property located at US HWY 182 SOUTH – S UNION STREET @ HEATHER DRIVE for Parking Spaces (Felix Octave Pavy).
19. Discuss request for VARIANCE of property located in an R2 (Residential 2) Zone at 1319 Fern Street Lot #14 to place a Mobile Home for his personal residence (Joseph Charles).
20. Discuss request by Mr. Israel Roberts regarding budgeted repairs to Well #7 from FY 2013-2014.
21. Discuss request by Fire Chief Lee Cahanin to hire additional personnel to fill vacancies.
22. Discuss request by Police Chief Donald Thompson regarding an increase in salaries and raises for non-commissioned police personnel (Police Communications Officers, Secretary, Police Records Clerks)
23. Discuss request by Police Chief Donald Thompson for \$25,000.00 in computer line item to replace funds used for the purchase of body cameras for officers.
24. Discussion by Mrs. Sandra Davis concerning the lease for North Park Concession Stand.
25. Presentation by City Attorney.
26. Engineer's Monthly Status Report.
27. Presentation by Mr. Leonard Rainey, Regional Representative for Senator David Vitter.

RESOLUTIONS

28. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF OPELOUSAS TO OBTAIN A VISA BUSINESS CARD THROUGH AMERICAN BANK.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Reginald Tatum, Mayor