

**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA  
TUESDAY  
NOVEMBER 8, 2016  
5:00 P.M.**

Revised 11/07/2016 @ 2:00 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 10/11/2016.
6. **Adoption of Agenda, with the following changes:** adding under the Presentations Section, Item No. 6-A, “Confirmation of Mayor’s appointment to fill City Attorney’s vacancy”.

**PRESENTATIONS**

- 6A. **Confirmation of Mayor’s appointment to fill City Attorney’s vacancy.**
7. Presentation by Police Chief Donald Thompson and Mr. Jim Craft, Executive Director of the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement, to the family of the late former Police Officer Peggy Sylvester.
8. Presentation by Ms. Elizabeth Ann Ortego regarding neighborhood issues on Moresi Street.
9. Discuss request by Opelousas Main Street to add design crosswalk to Market Street between Delta Grand and Courthouse.
10. Discuss annexation and C1 zoning request submitted to Planning Commission by Our Savior’s Church for property located on I-49 @ Harry Guilbeau Road.
11. Presentation by City Attorney.
12. Engineer's Monthly Status Report.
13. Committee Report: *Budget Committee Report*.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

14. *A PUBLIC HEARING TO ADOPT AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 4 OF 1998, 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 ACCORDINGLY: A CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND CONTAINING 135.211 ACRES SITUATED IN SECTIONS 133, 134, 136 AND 137, TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 4 EAST AND SECTIONS 137, 138, 139 AND 155, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 4 EAST, ST. LANDRY PARISH, LOUISIANA, BEING BOUNDED ON THE NORTH BY JUDICE ENTERPRISES, INC., ON THE SOUTH BY ST. LANDRY STORAGE, LLC, ON THE EAST BY MITCH WYBLE AND JUDICE ENTERPRISES, INC., AND ON THE WEST BY INTERSTATE 49. SAID 135.211 ACRES COMPRISES TRACT 1 BEING 120.144 ACRES AS PER ACT OF CASH SALE DATED NOVEMBER 14, 2014, RECORDED UNDER ACT NO. 1116628 CLERK OF COURT OFFICE, ST. LANDRY PARISH AND TRACT 2 BEING 15.067 ACRES AS PER ACT OF DONATION DATED NOVEMBER 14, 2014, UNDER ACT NO. 1116629 WITH APPROPRIATE C1 ZONING (OUR SAVIOR’S CHURCH).*
15. A PUBLIC HEARING TO ADOPT AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF OPELOUSAS OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, 2016 AND ENDING AUGUST 31, 2017.

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**CONSENTS**

16. Authority to advertise for bids for the following in the Public Works Department: (a) Bulk Lime; (b) Concrete.
  
17. AUTHORITY TO ADVERTISE A PUBLIC HEARING TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 28, SECTIONS 40(A)(B) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF OPELOUSAS, ENTITLED, “THREE-WAY AND FOUR-WAY STOP SIGNS SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE CITY AT THE FOLLOWING INTERSECTIONS: Market Street and North Street, North Street and Liberty Street, Liberty Street and Cherry Street”.
  
18. Authority to advertise a Public Hearing for the following abandoned properties:
  - a. Joseph F. Richard III (Abandoned House with Asbestos Slate), 1431 Janis Street
  - b. Gilbert Austin (Abandoned Wood Frame Structure), 764 East Street
  - c. Perpetualist M. Boxie (Abandoned Wood Frame Structure, 814 N. Court Street
  - d. Michelle Elaine Singleton, UND 1/3 INT ETALS (Abandoned Wood Frame Structure), 939 E. South Street
  - e. Mervin Washington (Abandoned Wood Frame Structure), 800 Block Capri Alley

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ADJOURNMENT**

***/s/ Reginald Tatum***

**Reginald Tatum, Mayor**