

# Minutes of the Meeting Of the

Red River Parish Police Jury held on the

8<sup>TH</sup> DAY of JANUARY 2025

THE RED RIVER PARISH POLICE JURY met on Wednesday, January 8, 2025, at 10:00 am., in the Police Jury Assembly Room, located in the Red River Parish Courthouse, Coushatta, La in its regular meeting with President Murray presiding. Roll Call and attendance were recorded as follows:

PRESENT: Taylor, Moore, Brown, Young, Davis, Murray, Hillman

ABSENT: None

Invocation by Mr. Taylor, and pledge by Mr. Murray

On the motion of Mr. Hillman seconded by Mr. Moore the President and Vice President will remain the same. Mr. Murray President, Mr. Taylor Vice President for the 2025 year. Motion Carried.

**Visitors:** Representative of Expand Energy Michelle Cavanaugh and Operation Director Shawn Burks address the issue of an incident on Parish 174 that happened on December 29, 2024 pertaining to a gas leak.

## **Roads**

Mr. Woodard gave the CVU report, nothing voted on.

## **New Business**

On the motion of Mr. Taylor seconded by Mr. Young, the minutes for December 2024 were approved. Motion carried.

Mr. Hillman made the motion seconded by Mr. Brown, Dori Ammons, who was reappointed as Assistant Coroner for the period of February 1, 2025, to January 31, 2026, to fill in for Dana Moseley when she is not available. Motion Carried.

On the motion of Mr. Taylor, followed with a second by Mr. Brown, the administrative staff was reappointed for a period of two years. Jessie Davis abstained from voting. Motion Carried.

Mr. Taylor made the motion seconded by Mr. Brown; Mr. Brandon Hillman was appointed to the 911 board. Motion Carried

## **Finance:**

On the motion of Mr. Taylor seconded by Mr. Young, the bills were approved to be paid for the month of December. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Mr. Moore, followed with a second by Mr. Brown the Amended 2024 and Proposed 2025 Budgets for the North La. Criminalistics Laboratory Commission was approved. Motion Carried.

On the motion of Mr. Davis followed with a second by Mr. Taylor it was agreed to appoint the Police Jury building committee, with the additional of Shane Hubbard, OEP Director, and have the Attorney to draw up the Cooperate Endeavor agreement between the Red River Parish Police Jury and the Red River Parish Sheriff Offices concerning the construction of a new building, also Mr. Davis made the motion, seconded by Mr. Taylor to give the Building Committee the authorization to apply for any type of Government grant funds to assist in the construction of the new building . Motion Carried.

Budget discussed, noting voting on.

## **Ambulance**

With Mr. Hillman making a motion followed with a second by Mr. Young, the Ambulance District bills were approved to be paid for the month of December 2024. Motion Carried.

On the motion of Mr. Moore Motion seconded by Mr. Brown the meeting was adjourned. Motion Carried.