

AVOYELLES PARISH POLICE JURY
REGULAR SESSION, held in the meeting Room in the Courthouse, Marksville, La
Tuesday, January 10, 2023

The Police Jury of the Parish of Avoyelles, State of Louisiana, met in Regular Session, in the Meeting Room, Courthouse, Marksville, La, on Tuesday, January 10, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.

There were present: Mark Borrel, Bobby Bordelon, Jacob Coco, Kirby Roy, Glenn McKinley, McKinley Keller, Clyde Benson, Darrell Wiley, John Earles, Rayford Laborde-Avoyelles Parish Planning Commission; Clyde Benson, Kevin Bordelon- Civil Works Director, Jenny Falls, Jimmy Landry, Jonathan Gaspard-Assistant District Attorney, Jen Piazza- Legislative Aide to Representative Daryl Deshotel, Desselle, Ron Bordelon, and Ronald Coco

Absent were: None

The meeting opened was called to order by Assistant District Attorney, Jonathan Gaspard, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance by McKinley Keller.

Invocation prayer was given by District 1 Juror, Darrell Wiley

Roll call by Secretary-Treasurer. Quorum present

On motion by Jacob Coco, seconded by McKinley Keller, the floor was opened for nominations for Vice-President.

On motion by Glenn McKinley, seconded by Bobby Bordelon, the floor was closed for nominations.

On motion by Bobby Bordelon, seconded by McKinley Keller, John Earles, is nominated as Vice-President for 2023. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Bobby Bordelon, seconded by Clyde Benson, the floor was opened for nomination for President.

On motion by Glenn McKinley, seconded by Jacob Coco, the floor was closed for nominations.

On motion by Clyde Benson, seconded by Bobby Bordelon, Kirby Roy is nominated as President for 2023. On vote, the motion carried.

“First of all, thank you again for choosing me as president. I don’t think anyone else wanted it (laughing), but I really appreciate it. We have a lot of things to protect as for as the integrity of the jury and of course we have many goals to accomplish this year. If you read my last write-up from roads to broadband and litter court, there’s a lot of good things we can do for the parish. Some will disagree, that is part of it, we just do the best we can with what we have. We started off the year losing Colonel Jones, we have memoriam and a plaque to offer them family”.

On motion by Mark Borrel, seconded by Jacob Coco, to adopt the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on December 13, 2022, printed in the “Weekly News”, and mailed to all Jurors. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Glenn McKinley, seconded by Jacob Coco, to accept the minutes of the Tourist Commission Meeting held on December 19, 2022, as presented. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Mark Borrel, seconded by Darrell Wiley with unanimous consent to add the January 5th Special Meeting Minutes to the agenda for adoption. On motion, the motion carried.

On motion by Clyde Benson, seconded by Bobby Bordelon to adopt the minutes of the special meeting held on January 5, 2023. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Clyde Benson, seconded by Glenn McKinley, to accept the memoriam of Charles Jones as part of the minutes. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Darrell Wiley, seconded by Mark Borrel, to accept the financial report offered by the Secretary/Treasurer. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Clyde Benson, seconded by Bobby Bordelon to remove Litter Ordinance from the table. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Darrell Wiley, seconded by Bobby Bordelon, to approve the revised litter ordinance and publish it to Municode. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Glenn McKinley, seconded by Bobby Bordelon, to appoint Allision Ravare, to the late Earnest Freemans position on t6he Tourist Commission Board. On vote, the motion carried. *Juror Clyde Benson having abstained.*

On motion by Bobby Bordelon, seconded by Mark Borrel to reappoint Gaston Bordelon to the Avoyelles Ward 3 Waterworks Board. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Bobby Bordelon, seconded by Jacob Coco to move the Bordelonville Volunteer Fire Department Polling location to the Old Bordelonville School. On vote, the motion carried.

On motion by Mark Borrel, seconded by Glenn McKinley, granting authority to the Secretary-Treasurer to pay all bills and waive a reading of the whole. On vote, the motion carried.

There being no further business, on motion by Glenn McKinley, seconded by John Earles, the meeting adjourned.

s/Kirby Roy
President

s/Jamey M.Wiley
Secretary-Treasurer

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