

TOWN OF MANSURA  
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING  
AUGUST 14, 2023

The Mayor and Board of Alderman of the Town of Mansura met in regular session at the Mansura Town Hall on Monday, August 14, 2023, at six o'clock.

The meeting opened with a prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Mayor Kenneth Pickett, Alderman Glenn McKinley, Roderick Perry, Alderwoman Judy Bazert and Judy James.

Absent: Bruce Jackson

Greg Mayeux Vice President from Kerotest Manufacturing Company addressed the Mayor and Board of Alderman to discuss the ITEP tax exemption. Kerotest would like to extend the tax exemption for a couple more years. Mayor Pickett would like them to come to next month's meeting to discuss it with the town attorney.

Allen Thomas introduce himself to the Mayor and Board of Alderman to discuss his candidacy for police jury District Seven.

Jimmy Sampson addressed the Mayor and Board of Alderman about getting his culvert installed on his property.

Mr. Bo Elmer from the Lion's Club addressed the Mayor and Board of Alderman about the Lion's Club doing a debate with the candidates for the upcoming election in the Pavilion sometime in October before early voting.

Motioned by Judy Bazert, seconded by Judy James and unanimously carried to let Lion's Club use the Pavilion.

Meyhan Chenevert addressed the Mayor and Board of Alderman about the Chamber of Commerce doing a Community Health Fair Wednesday, November 15, 2023.

Mayor Pickett informed the Board of Alderman that Mr. Spencer Gauthier with Pan American engineers couldn't make it to the meeting so the mayor presented the engineer report on LCDBG (Water System Improvements Project), Louisiana Watershed Initiative (Bayou Lacombe), and Louisiana Love Outdoors Program (Splash Pad).

Mayor Pickett informed the Board of Alderman that the Avoyelles Animal Shelter would like to come with a mobile bus in the parking lot to groom pets for the public at 60 dollars per pet.

Motioned by Judy Bazert, seconded by Glenn McKinley and unanimously carried to accept and adopt the minutes of the July 10, 2023, meeting.

Motioned by Glenn McKinley, seconded by Judy Bazert and unanimously carried to approve July bills for payment.

Mayor Pickett informed the Board of Alderman about LAWCO and the franchise agreement.

The financial statement for July was viewed by the town council.

General fund, Sales 01, and Sales 02 were compared to budget.

Motioned by Glenn McKinley, seconded by Judy Bazert and unanimously carried having no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



Mayor Kenneth Pickett

s/Kayla Bannister, Town Clerk