TOWN OF MANSURA TOWN COUNCIL MEETING SEPTEMBER 11, 2023

The Mayor and Board of Alderman of the Town of Mansura met in regular session at the Mansura Town Hall on Monday, September 11, 2023, at six o'clock.

The meeting opened with a prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

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

Bobby Bordelon introduce himself to the Mayor and Board of Alderman to discuss his candidacy for police jury District Seven. Glenn B. McKinley introduce himself to the Mayor and Board of Alderman to discuss his candidacy for police jury District Four. Ramonda Ramos introduce himself to the Mayor and Board of Alderman to discuss his candidacy for State Representative District Twenty Eight.

Motioned by Judy James, seconded by Bruce Jackson, and unanimously carried to add Chris Jeansonne to the agenda. Mr. Chris from Computers PC 911 addressed the Mayor and Board of Alderman about getting the town to switch internet services to Conterra Networks with faster speed, fiber in ground, for \$150 a month. This internet service is only offered to businesses and municipalities. Mayor and Board of Alderman would like more information about services to look over. After working court for the police department, Chad Guillot, Town Magistrate stopped in the meeting to say hello. Spencer Gauthier from Pan American Engineers updated the Mayor and Board of Alderman with the engineer's report on Bayou Lacombe, Water System Improvements Project, and Splash Pad. After not receiving any bids, the splash pad project will be reopen for bidding on September 28. Mr. Spencer will also look into applying for a grant to improve the Sewer Treatment Plant for Sewer Pond.

Mayor Pickett informed the Board of Alderman that LAWCO franchise agreement is coming up for renewal soon. Mayor would like the town attorney Alissa Piazza Tassin to look over it before the town signs it, and also send LAWCO a letter about the increase in rates.

Motioned by Bruce Jackson, seconded by Judy Bazert, and unanimously carried to accept and adopt the minutes of the August 14, 2023, meeting.

Motioned by Bruce Jackson, seconded by Judy Bazert, and unanimously carried to approve August bills for payment and also approved to pay partial payment of C. Contractors bill for culvert work that was done.

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

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

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

Mayor Kenneth Pickett

s/Kayla Bannister, Town Clerk