

**LIVONIA TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
February 12, 2024 – 6:30 p.m.**

The Livonia Town Council met in regular session at 6:30 p.m. on February 12, 2024, at the Livonia Council Chambers, 3111 LA HWY 78, Livonia, Louisiana. Mayor Rhett Pourciau called the meeting to order and directed Town Clerk Donna Bergeron to call roll which resulted as follows:

PRESENT: Council Members Terry Jarreau, Greg Jarreau, Ron LeBlanc, Henry Watson
ABSENT: Council Member Billie Pourciau

THE FOLLOWING WERE APPROVED

MINUTES: Motion by Mr. LeBlanc, seconded by Mr. Watson, and carried to approve and publish the minutes as written from the regular meeting on January 8, 2024.

TREASURER’S REPORT: Motion by Mr. T. Jarreau, seconded by Mr. LeBlanc, and carried, to approve the treasurer’s reports. Budget-to-actual was included for review and comments.

INVOICES: Motion by Mr. G. Jarreau, seconded by Mr. T. Jarreau, and carried, to approve the invoices for payment.

LIVONIA ZONING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION – Mr. Mark Barrios

A zoning hearing was held on January 29, 2024, to review and get the public’s input regarding a request made by Mr. Kelvin Desormes to rezone his property, 2863 Maringouin Road East, from R1 (Residential) to R3 (Multiple Family Residential). Mr. Desormes has two apartments at this location which were grandfathered in when the zoning regulations were formed. He would like to add two additional apartments at this location. The zoning committee unanimously agreed to Mr. Desormes' request.

A motion was made by Mr. T. Jarreau to move forward with the proposed request. The motion was seconded by Mr. G. Jarreau and carried. An ordinance will be introduced at the next council meeting.

ENGINEER’S REPORT – Mr. Gregg Gautreaux

The sewer plant problem and the process needed to correct it were explained. Mr. G. Jarreau made a motion to allow PEC to proceed with the bid process and to add a screen as an additive alternate. The motion was seconded by Mr. Watson and carried.

Regarding the Water Sector Water Improvement project, the contractor will be connecting the water service lines soon.

Police Report –Police Chief Landon Landry

In January 325 citations were issued with 15 warnings. Six traffic accidents/incidents were worked and 54 complaints were answered. Fines collected for the month were \$69,267.

Mardi Gras parade day was very successful and the parade route flowed very well. He recommended that this route continue in the future. Chief Landry thanked all the police and sheriff agencies that assisted, along with Pointe Coupee Sheriff's Office, and the Livonia Maintenance Department.

Each Council Member gave brief updates on their departments.

MAYOR’S REPORT – Mayor Rhett Pourciau

Mr. Timmy Lemoine with LA Rural Water Association performed a water rate study, as required for those who received water sector funds, on January 31, 2024. The study determined that no additional water rate increases were required at this time, other than those already adopted.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mr. G. Jarreau, seconded by Mr. T. Jarreau, and carried to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 p.m.

ATTEST:
DONNA BERGERON, MMC

RHETT POURCIAU, MAYOR