

**LIVONIA TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
January 13, 2025 – 6:30 p.m.**

The Livonia Town Council met in regular session at 6:30 p.m. on January 13, 2025, in 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 Brian Bergeron, Lester Jarreau, Terry Jarreau, Twanna LeJeune, Lorne Webre

ABSENT: None

THE FOLLOWING WERE APPROVED

MINUTES: Motion by Mr. T. Jarreau, seconded by Mr. Bergeron, and carried to approve and publish the minutes as written from the regular meeting on December 9, 2024.

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

INVOICES: Motion by Mr. Bergeron, seconded by Mr. Webre, and carried, to approve the invoices for payment.

APPOINTMENTS

Upon recommendation by Mayor Pourciau, a motion was made by Ms. LeJeune, to appoint Mr. Stephen Marionneaux as town attorney. Motion was seconded by Mr. Webre, and unanimously approved.

Mayor Pourciau recommended appointing Ms. Donna Bergeron as Municipal Clerk. A motion was made by Mr. L. Jarreau, seconded by Mr. Bergeron, and unanimously approved the appointment of Ms. Bergeron.

Mayor Pourciau made the following departmental appointments for council members:

Mr. Brian Bergeron – Junk, Park & Recreation Department

Mr. L. Jarreau – Grass, Gas, and Sewer Department

Mr. T. Jarreau – Drainage and Sewer Department

Ms. LeJeune – Beautification, Promotional, and Abandoned Buildings Department

Mr. Webre – Water and Abandoned Vehicles Department

Mr. Webre nominated Mr. Lester Jarreau to serve as Mayor Pro-Tem for the next four years. Motion was seconded by Ms. LeJeune. Roll call vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Bergeron, L. Jarreau, T. Jarreau, LeJeune, Webre

NAYS: None **ABSENT:** None **ABSTAIN:** None

REQUEST FOR PARADE PERMIT – Livonia Carnival Association

On behalf of the Livonia Carnival Association, Mr. Steve Morgan requested a parade permit for March 2nd to have the 41st annual Mardi Gras Parade and asked for the Town’s support.

RESOLUTIONS

A resolution was offered by Mr. T. Jarreau to grant the parade permit for March 2nd and to co-sponsor the event by contributing \$2,000 for parade expenses. Mr. Webre seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Mr. Bergeron and seconded by Mr. Webre to appoint Mr. Lester Jarreau to serve as a Director of the Louisiana Gas Authority for a term of four (4) years from the date hereof and Mr. Ricky David to serve as an alternate Director, for like term, to act in the absence of the director, is approved. Motion carried unanimously.

ENGINEER’S REPORT – Mr. Gregg Gautreaux

The contract for town engineer, Professional Engineering Consultants, was sent to the Office of Facility Planning and Control for approval for the water well project which is funded by an appropriation from Capital Outlay.

The final punch list remains for the completion of the sewer plant rehabilitation project awarded to Key Contractors.

Police Report –Police Chief Landon Landry

In December, 451 citations were issued with 3 warnings. Four traffic accidents/incidents were worked and 63 complaints were answered. Fines collected for the month were \$68,765.

MAYOR’S REPORT – Mayor Rhett Pourciau

Council was given documents to review regarding the proposed water meter replacement project.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Ms. LeJeune, seconded by Mr. Bergeron, and carried to adjourn the meeting at 7:26 p.m.

**ATTEST:
DONNA BERGERON, MMC**

RHETT POURCIAU, MAYOR