

## **LIVONIA TOWN COUNCIL**

### **SPECIAL MEETING**

**May 21, 2025**

**6:30 p.m.**

A special meeting was called by Mayor Rhett Pourciau to approve a quote to connect the town's gas line with Pointe Coupee Parish Utilities, batting cage rental/permit fee at Glaser's Park, and health insurance for retirees.

The Livonia Town Council met in special session at 6:30 p.m., 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 the roll which resulted as follows:

PRESENT: Council Members Bergeron, L. Jarreau, T. Jarreau, LeJeune, Webre

ABSENT: None

### **APPROVAL OF GAS CONNECTION WITH POINTE COUPEE UTILITIES**

A motion was made by Mr. T. Jarreau, seconded by Mr. Webre, and carried to approve the quote of \$42,450 from Pointe Coupee Utilities to connect to their gas line in the event of low gas pressure during a power outage that reduces gas pressure on the north end of town due to high usage of generators.

### **PERMIT FEE FOR USE OF BATTING CAGES AND BALL FIELDS FOR PERSONAL FINANCIAL GAIN**

The Council revisited the previously tabled discussion concerning the implementation of a permit fee for individuals utilizing the town's batting cages and ball fields for personal financial gain, such as private instruction.

Ms. LeJeune recommended a permit fee structure, payable either monthly or annually. Mr. L. Jarreau suggested setting the fee at \$10 per month or \$100 per year. Allocate batting cage #3 for permit holders on a first-come, first-served basis.

The permit applies to the #3 batting cage and ball fields when used for activities that generate personal financial gain. Each instructor will receive a non-transferable permit card, valid only for the individual to whom it is issued.

Ms. LeJeune moved to adopt the proposed permit fee structure and associated regulations. Mr. Bergeron seconded the motion. The motion carried. The permit fee structure will become effective on June 1, 2025.

### **HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFIT FOR RETIREES**

Ms. LeJeune presented documents to the Council regarding Health Insurance Benefits for retirees with different scenarios, requirements, and pros and cons.

Mr. L. Jarreau made a motion to move forward with the scenario that applies to the following in the form of an ordinance to become effective on January 1, 2026:

Must be at least 60 years old and must have been a full-time employee with the Town of Livonia for at least 25 consecutive years at the time of retirement including all the mentioned requirements.

Mr. Webre seconded the motion and a roll call vote resulted as follows:

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

NAYS: LeJeune

ABSENT: None      ABSTAIN: None

Motion carried.

**ADJOURN**

A motion was made by Ms. LeJeune, seconded by Mr. Bergeron, and carried to adjourn the meeting at 8:27 p.m.

**ATTEST:****DONNA BERGERON, MMC****RHETT POURCIAU, MAYOR**

