

MINUTES OF A PUBLIC HEARING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN ON MONDAY AUGUST 24, 2020, 5:30 P.M. AT CITY HALL 120 S. IRMA BLVD, GONZALES, LA 70737.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Barney Arceneaux
Councilman Neal Bourque
Councilman David Guitreau

Councilman Kirk Boudreaux
Councilman Harold Stewart
Councilman Tyler Turner

MEMBERS ABSENT: NONE

ALSO PRESENT:

Scot Byrd, City Clerk
Lisa Babin, Admin Secretary
Brandon Boylan, Finance Director

Jamie Thistlethwaite, Acting City Attorney
Sherman Jackson, Chief of Police

A public hearing was called to discuss the levy and increase of millage rates on property within the City of Gonzales subject to Ad Valorem Taxation for the year 2020.

Mayor Barney Arceneaux opened the public hearing.

City Clerk Scot Byrd reported the adjusted property tax millage rates under consideration for tax year 2020 are as follows:

Millage:

Gonzales – General Fund	5.17
Gonzales – Fire Department	3.20

No one in attendance spoke either for or against the assessment of the above property tax millage rates.

City Clerk Scot Byrd reported the rates of prior year's maximum property tax millage rates under consideration as an increase for tax year 2020 are as follows:

Millage:

Gonzales – General Fund	5.28
Gonzales – Fire Department	3.27

And the City Clerk stated that the amount of tax revenues to be collected in the next year from the increased millage is \$1,288,714.00 and the amount of increase in taxes attributable to the millage increase is \$28,063.00.

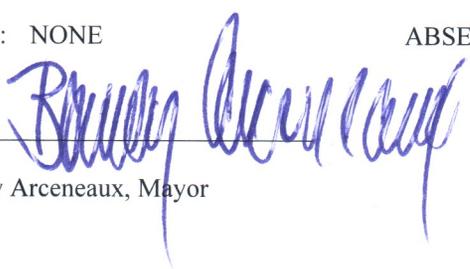
No one in attendance spoke either for or against the assessment of the above property tax millage rates.

Motion by Councilman Neal Bourque, seconded by Councilman Tyler Turnert, to close the public hearing.

YEAS: Councilman Neal Bourque, Councilman David Guitreau, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux,
Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE



Barney Arceneaux, Mayor

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. Byrd', written over a horizontal line.

Scot Byrd, City Clerk