MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCILMAN OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, STATE OF LOUISIANA TAKEN ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2022, 5:30 P.M. AT CITY HALL 120 S. IRMA BLVD, GONZALES, LA 70737.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Barney Arceneaux, Mayor Councilman John A. Berthelot Councilman Tim Riley Councilman Kirk Boudreaux Councilman Harold Stewart Councilman Tyler Turner

MEMBERS ABSENT: NONE

ALSO PRESENT:

Brandon Boylan, Acting City Clerk

Matt Percy, City Attorney

Kenneth Stell, Police Captain

Terri Delatorre, Administrative Secretary

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux to approve the Minutes of a Public Hearing of the City Council taken August 22, 2022.

YEAS: Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Harold Stewart to approve the Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the City Council taken August 22, 2022.

YEAS: Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman John A. Berthelot, to approve the Special Event Permit of Sherry Denig, of Volunteer Ascension, to have "Volunteer Ascension's Annual Movie Night" at the Amphitheater on Saturday, December 10, 2022, from 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm.

YEAS: Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart,

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman Harold Stewart, allowing Brenda Spencer, the owner of the dangerous and dilapidated house located at 432 W. Terrace Street, ninety (90) days in which to have the house repaired.

YEAS: Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart,

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to allow Doris Green, representing Shedrick Thompson, Jr., the owner of the dangerous and dilapidated house located at 427 E. Ascension Street, thirty (30) days in which to secure the house and communicate with family members to make a decision as to whether to repair or demolish the house.

YEAS: Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart,

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Final Vote on Ordinance No. 4192:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BOUNDARIES OF THE "NORTHEAST GONZALES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT".

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Gonzales, Louisiana:

That the Code of Ordinance of the City of Gonzales be amended as follows:

- SECTION 1. <u>Creation of District</u>. On October 22, 2012, an economic development district was created within the City, to be named the "Northeast Gonzales Economic Development District," and the District boundaries were amended in March 2020, having the geographical boundaries set forth in Exhibit A and Exhibit B attached hereto.
- SECTION 2. <u>Amendment of Boundaries</u>. The governing body of the district, being the Mayor and City Council, hereby elect to amend the boundaries of the district to have the geographical boundaries as set forth in Exhibit C and Exhibit D, which is hereby incorporated in and made a part of this Ordinance.
- SECTION 3. <u>Authorization of Officers</u>. The Mayor, Mayor *pro tem* and City Clerk are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to do any and all things necessary and incidental to carry out the provisions of this ordinance.
- SECTION 4. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this ordinance, but this ordinance shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provisions had not been contained herein. Any constitutional or statutory provision enacted after the date of this ordinance which validates or makes legal any provision of this ordinance which would not otherwise be valid or legal, shall be deemed to apply to this ordinance.
- SECTION 5. Repealer. All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.
- SECTION 6. <u>Publication; Effective Date</u>. This ordinance shall be published one time in the official journal of the City and shall become effective immediately.

YEAS: Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, seconded by Councilman Harold Stewart, to introduce Ordinance No. 4193: an Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinance, Chapter 19 – Traffic and Motor Vehicles, Section 19-9, Load Limit on Blacktop Streets.

Public Hearing and final vote on this foregoing amendment to be taken at the next City Council meeting scheduled for September 29, 2022, at 5:30 p.m.

Motion by Councilman John A. Berthelot, seconded by Councilman Harold Stewart, to table the Introduction of an Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinance regarding the procedures of a public sale until the next regular City Council meeting scheduled for September 29, 2022, at 5:30 p.m.

YEAS: Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman Harold Stewart, to suspend the rules to take action on a non-agenda item to consider the request of Mayor Arceneaux to reschedule the next City Council meeting from Monday, September 26, 2022, to Thursday, September 29, 2022.

YEAS: Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman John A. Berthelot, seconded by Councilman Tyler Turner, to approve the request of Mayor Arceneaux to reschedule the next City Council meeting from Monday, September 26, 2022, to Thursday, September 29, 2022.

YEAS: Councilman John A. Berthelot, Councilman Tim Riley, Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilman Harold Stewart, Councilman Tyler Turner

NAYS: NONE ABSENT: NONE

There being no further business to come before the City Council and upon a motion duly made and seconded, the Meeting was adjourned.

ATTEST:

Brandon Boylan, Acting City Clerk

Barney Arceneaux, Mayor