

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCILMAN OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN ON MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024, 5:30 P.M., AT CITY HALL, 120 S. IRMA BLVD, GONZALES, LA 70737.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

R. Ryland Percy, III, Mayor
Councilman Kirk Boudreaux
Councilman Harold Stewart

Councilman Tyler Turner
Councilman John A. Berthelot
Councilman Tim Riley

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT:

Scot Byrd, City Clerk
Jamie Schutte, City Attorney

Chief Sherman Jackson, Gonzales PD
Terri Delatorre, Administrative Secretary

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Tim Riley, to suspend the rules to amend the meeting agenda to take up a non-agenda item – Approval of a Special Event Permit request of Tina Henry, on behalf of Heavenly Hope-South, to use the Amphitheater and Jambalaya Park to have a “Stop Domestic Violence Rally” on Saturday, July 20, 2024, from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm, to bring awareness to domestic violence and give resources, in honor of former Gonzales resident Brenda Thomas.

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

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Tim Riley, to approve the Special Event Permit request of Tina Henry, on behalf of Heavenly Hope-South, to use the Amphitheater and Jambalaya Park to have a “Stop Domestic Violence Rally”, subject to Ms. Henry choosing a date other than July 20, 2024, since that date is already booked.

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

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve the Minutes of a Public Hearing of the Mayor and City Council taken on Monday, June 24, 2024.

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

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve the Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Mayor and City Council taken on Monday, June 24, 2024.

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

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman Harold Stewart, to approve the Special Event Permit for Sam Nafel, of E.Z. Wireless, to have a "Back to School Sale", beginning on Wednesday, July 10, 2024 – Saturday, August 10, 2024, from 9:00 am – 9:00 pm.

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

NAYS: Councilman Kirk Boudreaux

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve the substantial completion for the CARE Center infrastructure with LA Contracting.

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

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tim Riley, seconded by Councilman Tyler Turner, to approve the community development grant, in the amount of \$5,000.00, to Shawn Nelson, of the Shawn Nelson Foundation, to pay for uniforms and related items for the participants at football camp.

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

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.



R. Ryland Percy, III, Mayor

ATTEST:



Scot Byrd, City Clerk/CAO