

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GONZALES,
STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2025, 5:30 P.M.,
AT CITY HALL, 120 S. IRMA BLVD, GONZALES, LA 70737.**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Timothy "Tim" Riley, Mayor
Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr.
Councilman Kirk Boudreaux

Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James
Councilman Tyler Turner
Councilwoman Terri Lambert

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT:

Allen V. Davis, City Attorney
Chief Sherman Jackson, Gonzales PD

Terri Delatorre, Administrative Secretary

Motion by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., seconded by Councilman Tyler Turner, to approve the minutes of a Public Hearing of the Mayor and City Council taken on Monday, September 22, 2025.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve the minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Mayor and City Council taken on Monday, September 22, 2025.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

A proclamation was presented to Bertrand's Pharmacy in recognition of their generous charitable contribution to The Arc of East Ascension.

Member of East Ascension FFA gave a presentation regarding community pantry boxes.

Motion by Councilwoman Terri Lambert, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to approve the Special Event Permit for Sonny Iyasere, with Marvelous Light Ministry, to host a "Community Outreach" at Jambalaya Park and the amphitheater on Saturday, Nov. 15, 2025, from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, seconded by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., to table the approval of an Owner's Authorization Letter from Tanger Outlets – granting permission for "Foodees Fest" vendors to use the property located at 2410 Tanger Blvd. - until the next council meeting, pending public safety recommendations from the police and fire departments.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, seconded by Councilwoman Terri Lambert, to table the approval of a Special Event Permit request submitted by Tricia Croft of Foodees, LLC, for the "Foodees Fest" - a traveling food and culture event featuring diverse food trucks, artisans, and small businesses - proposed to be held at Tanger Outlets Gonzales from 1:00 pm – 7:00 pm, Friday – Sunday, November 14-16, 2025, until the next council meeting, pending public safety recommendations from the police and fire departments.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, seconded by Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., to table the approval of an Owner's Authorization Letter from Do Right Baptist Church granting permission for Sam's Greek & Lebanese Food Truck to use the property located at 8141 Hwy. 44, Gonzales, until the next council meeting, pending revision of the language in the Food Truck Vendor Permit Regulations - Approved Locations for Operation - Option B: Site-Specific Permit.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Tyler Turner, seconded by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, to declare the following Gonzales Fire Dept. ambulances as surplus: 2011 International Ambulance, VIN #1HTMRAAL8BH328795; 2013 Chevrolet Ambulance, VIN #1GB6G5CL6D1114212; 2019 Chevrolet Ambulance, VIN #1HA6GUCG7KN002223.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Motion by Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, seconded by Councilwoman Terri Lambert, to approve the donation of the following Gonzales Fire Dept. ambulances – recently declared surplus – to St. Tammany Fire District #3: 2013 Chevrolet Ambulance, VIN #1GB6G5CL6D1114212; 2019 Chevrolet Ambulance, VIN #1HA6GUCG7KN002223.

YEAS: Councilman Eddie Williams, Jr., Councilman Kirk Boudreaux, Councilwoman Cynthia Gray-James, Councilman Tyler Turner, Councilwoman Terri Lambert

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.



Timothy "Tim" Riley, Mayor

ATTEST:



Brandon Boylan, City Clerk