

The Airport Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met at 6:30 P.M. on Tuesday, August 2, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Kerry Kilgore and Mr. Danny Hebert. Mr. Chuck Broussard was absent.

Mrs. Laura Faul, Secretary-Treasurer, explained that although the Police Jury had accepted the proposal of Roadside Inc. for vegetation management at LeGros Memorial Airport she was informed that the Police Jury was required to attempt to obtain three (3) proposals for the service. She further explained that only two proposals were submitted and she presented those proposals to the Committee.

A motion was offered by Mr. Danny Hebert, seconded by Mr. Kerry Kilgore and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury accept the proposal of ManCo Vegetation Management, Inc. in the amount of \$19,400.00 for vegetation management at LeGros Memorial Airport.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, THE CHAIRMAN ADJOURNED THE MEETING UNTIL THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED COMMITTEE MEETING.

SECRETARY

The Legislative Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Airport Committee on Tuesday, August 2, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Kerry Kilgore, Chairperson, Mr. Robert Guidry, and Mr. Ronnie Fabacher.

Mr. Scott Privat, District Attorney's Office, recommended that the Police Jury amend the Library Ordinance so that it states that "there shall be not less than five citizens nor more than seven citizens of the parish appointed by the Police Jury as a board of control" or amend the ordinance to state that there shall be the number of citizens that state statute allows to service as the board of control.

Mr. Charles King, resident of Crowley, LA, requested that his proposed amendment to the Library Ordinance be considered.

A motion was offered by Mr. Kerry Kilgore, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to refer this item to the next regular Police Jury Meeting so that the Police Jury can choose the wording for the amendment to the Library Ordinance, introduce the ordinance, and authorize the calling of a public hearing to receive comments on the proposed amended ordinance.

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SECRETARY

The Road and Bridge Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Legislative Committee on Tuesday, August 2, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Robert Guidry, Chairperson, and Mr. Richard Faul. Mr. Chuck Broussard was absent.

A motion was offered by Mr. Richard Faul, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to add an item to the agenda to review and accept bids for the Connie Road Bridge Replacement.

Juror Robert Guidry explained that the West Northern Bridge was closed down by the State and he stated that the Police Jury would need to obtain a cost estimate on the replacement or repair of the bridge and then locate money to fund the project.

Sheriff K. P Gibson addressed the committee and requested that the Police Jury repair the bridge as quickly as possible because the bridge serves two large apartment complexes and a major manufacturing company. He also stated that he was concerned about response times with the bridge out due to the high amount of crime in that area.

Chief Chad Monceaux, Fire Protection District #11, addressed the committee and requested that the Police Jury consider using money from other sources other than the right sizing credits to repair the West Northern Bridge. He explained that the right sizing credits were currently lined up to be used for the widening and repair of Morrow/Indigo Road and he requested that the Police Jury leave it that way. He further explained that the Morrow/Indigo Road serves as a major shortcut for firemen to get to the station and to fires. He also stated that the Police Jury has already put a lot of time and money into acquiring the right-of-ways and being set to make repairs and was given an okay through the court system. He asked that this project not be delayed by using the right sizing funds for any other project.

Mr. William Nevitt, resident of Crowley, LA, stated that although the acquisition of the property was settled in court for the right-of-ways, the relocation of the electricity poles were not included in the wording. He also stated that the hazard mitigation that would be required for that location would cost approximately \$100,000.00 and the road floods frequently. He recommended that the Police Jury pass a resolution to use the right sizing credits to repair the bridge on West Northern while they have the opportunity and funding to do so.

Mr. A. J. Broussard, resident of Crowley, LA, stated that he lives in the district that Morrow/Indigo road is located in and also served as a juror in that district. He further stated that he concurs with Chief Monceaux and that he has been fighting for the repairs and widening of Morrow/Indigo Road for twelve years.

Mr. Bill Oliver, LA DOTD, stated that the right sizing credits that will be received for the HWY 1112 and Zaunbrecher Road transfer projects will total approximately 1.6 million. He further stated in order to use the funds to repair the bridge it would need to be processed through the off system bridge program and would take approximately 2-3 years to receive funding and for repairs to be completed. He also explained that in order for the Police Jury to use the right sizing credits for the repair of the West Northern

Bridge the Police Jury would need to select the new projects and submit to the LA DOTD for approval. He also informed the committee that the Old Eunice Hwy would be eligible for the road transfer program as well.

Mr. Kenny Habetz, resident of Crowley, LA, stated that he recognized the importance of both proposed projects and suggested that the Police Jury consider which project would have a higher impact. He further stated that he felt the West Northern Bridge closure impacted a lot of local businesses, commercial businesses, and residents. He requested that the Police Jury find funding to repair the bridge as it is one of the main thoroughfares in Crowley.

Chief Jimmy Broussard, Crowley Police Department, requested that the Police Jury repair the bridge on West Northern because of the emergency services response time to the apartment complexes located near the bridge and the lack of resources most of the residents have in those complexes when they need to obtain emergency services.

Mrs. Laura Faul, Secretary-Treasurer, stated that she would continue to look for funding as quickly as possible to repair the West Northern Bridge.

President David Savoy stated that the Police Jury had a lot of ground to cover before making a decision regarding the use of the right sizing credit funds.

No action was taken.

A motion was offered by Mr. Richard Faul, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury accept the low bid of L & R Construction Co. Inc. of Kaplan in the amount of \$239,720.00 for the Connie Road Bridge Replacement.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, THE CHAIRMAN ADJOURNED THE MEETING UNTIL THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED COMMITTEE MEETING.

SECRETARY

The Solid Waste Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Road and Bridge Committee on Tuesday, August 2, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Richard Faul, Chairperson, and Mr. Ronnie Fabacher. Mr. Jimmie Pellerin was absent.

A motion was offered by Mr. Ronnie Fabacher, seconded by Mr. Richard Faul and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury terminate the Solid Waste Compliance Permitting process.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE, THE CHAIRMAN ADJOURNED THE MEETING UNTIL THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED COMMITTEE MEETING.

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