

The Building and Grounds Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met at 6:30 P.M. on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present were Mr. Robert Guidry, Chairperson, Mr. Alton Stevenson, and Mr. David Savoy.

Mr. George Glaubrecht with Domigue and Szabo gave a report on the condition of the Modular Buildings at the Acadia Parish Jail. He stated that he went around August 15, 2015 to inspect the buildings and that there was water pooling on the floor, water in the light features, and corrosion and damage to the floors and roof. He further stated that the buildings would require extensive repairs to be used to house inmates. He recommended that the Police Jury demolish the modular buildings and construct a new facility.

Discussion was held regarding options for the repair or replacement of the Modular Buildings at the Acadia Parish Jail.

A motion was offered by Mr. David Savoy, seconded by Mr. Alton Stevenson and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury instruct that a full financial analysis for the repair or replacement of the Modular Buildings at the Acadia Parish Jail be performed.

**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 Building and Grounds Committee on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present were Mr. David Savoy, Chairperson, Mr. Dale Trahan, and Mr. Jimmie Pellerin.

Ms. Kathleen Mire, resident of Rue Novembre, stated that Rue Novembre and the location of the proposed development along that road is known for flooding after heavy rainfall because the drainage is poor. She further stated that she was opposed to the development of twenty-four more homes on that road because of the flooding and narrow roadway. She suggested that a hydraulic study be conducted for the area and the drainage issues resolved.

Mr. Mitchell Studebaker, developer of proposed subdivision, stated that there was an issue with localized flooding on the road and he felt that culvert sizes and block drainage ways were the cause of it.

Ms. Donna Studebaker, resident of Rue Novembre for 24 years, stated that the location was not in a flood zone and had flooded in the past but that she was the only one who ever had flooding inside of her home. She felt that it was two separate issues when it came to flooding. First she stated that the flooding in the past was the result of exceptional rain fall. Lastly she stated that the flooding on the road is a result of poor drainage and an area on the road where it dips lower near the bridge. She further stated that if the development of the proposed subdivision was put on hold for a hydraulic study to be performed then she felt a moratorium should be placed into effect to halt all construction in Acadia Parish until hydraulic studies had been performed.

Ms. Sonya Broussard, resident of Rue Novembre, stated that she had lived on this road for the past 35 years and that flooding had always been an issue regardless of drainage because the land was low and flat and would always flood.

Mr. Glenn Credeur, landowner of property adjacent to proposed subdivision, expressed concern that all of the water from the proposed development site would drain onto his property once the development was complete and flood his home and property.

Mr. Karl Aucoin, Parish Engineer, stated that drainage issues this bad would need a comprehensive approach including a hydraulic study and planning to correct the issue.

Juror A. J. Broussard stated that every location in Acadia Parish is located in a flood zone whether it be preferred risk or high risk and that he would not support the approval of a development knowing that the area is prone to flooding.

A motion was offered by Mr. Dale Trahan, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury have a hydraulic study performed on Rue Novembre and surrounding area and contact Lafayette Parish regarding this issue.

Discussion was held regarding the maintenance of drainage servitudes in subdivisions.

Mr. Carl Dischler, Fourth Ward Drainage District, stated that he feels the developer should have a maintenance board that is responsible for maintaining the drainage ditches in subdivisions and that if drainage boards were to be responsible for that maintenance than they should be involved in the approval of developments.

A motion was offered by Mr. Dale Trahan, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury instruct the Planning Commission to contact the local drainage board when considering approval of a development.

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SECRETARY

The Mosquito Control Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Legislative Committee on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present were Mr. Jimmie Pellerin, Chairperson, Mr. David Savoy and Mr. Robert Guidry.

A motion was offered by Mr. Robert Guidry, seconded by Mr. David Savoy and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury authorize the President to execute 2015 Emergency Aerial Mosquito Control Service Agreement with Clarke Environmental Management.

Mr. Glenn Stokes, MCCI, gave an update regarding mosquito control in Acadia Parish. He stated that the increase in mosquitoes was due to the recent rainfall and the heat.

Juror Julie Borill stated that she had several complaints from residents of her district and presented pictures of property located near Airport Road and Wrangler Road that indicated very high mosquito populations.

Juror David Savoy inquired about what determines the amount of spraying an area receives.

Mr. Glenn Stokes stated that service requests, gravid traps, breeding sights, mosquito numbers and population determined the amount of spraying that an area receives.

Mr. Gene LeJeune, resident of Faulk Road, inquired about the last time west Faulk Road had been sprayed and stated that he had not seen nor heard the mosquito control trucks spraying in the last four months.

Juror A. J. Broussard stated that the end of east Faulk Road had not been sprayed either.

Juror Robert Guidry inquired about the time frame of a sentinel chicken being bitten by an infected mosquito and the testing and results.

Mr. Glenn Stokes stated that there was a two to three week time frame from the time the chicken was bitten to the time the results were received.

Mr. Kyle Moppert, Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, addressed the Committee and presented information regarding mosquito breeds, diseases, and the testing of these mosquitoes for diseases. He stated that in his opinion the use of sentinel chickens was outdated, less cost efficient, less time efficient, and less effective than the use of gravid traps. He recommended that the Police Jury hire a consultant to review any contracts for mosquito control that the Police Jury enters into.

Mr. Bill Maple, resident of Estherwood, stated that he did not feel like the spray Mosquito Control Contractor Incorporated was effective.

Juror A. J. Credeur expressed concern that the use of gravid traps would draw mosquitoes to the locations where these traps were located.

Mr. Scott Willis, Calcasieu Parish Mosquito Control, stated that they no longer rely on sentinel chickens for testing and use the gravid traps instead. He further stated that the

placement of gravid traps coincides with locations where the mosquitoes would already be present.

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The Road and Bridge Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Mosquito Control Committee on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present were Mr. A. J. Broussard, Chairperson, Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and Mr. David Savoy.

A motion was offered by Mr. David Savoy, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury authorize the calling of a public hearing to receive comments on the setting of a 40 MPH Speed Limit on Meche Road from L. Boudreaux Road to Highway 98.

A motion was offered by Mr. David Savoy, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury Authorize the calling of a public hearing to receive comments on the setting of a 35 MPH Speed Limit on Roxie Highway from Norris Melancon Road to Richard School Road.

A motion was offered by Mr. David Savoy, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury approve the project permit of Vernon Fusilier for replacement of agricultural irrigation pipe on Sonny Lane.

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The Solid Waste Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Road and Bridge Committee on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present were Mr. David Savoy, Chairperson, Mr. A. J. Broussard, and Mr. Robert Guidry.

A motion was offered by Mr. A. J. Broussard, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury approve budget adjustment for additional geotechnical and hydrogeological services for the Acadia Parish Sanitary Landfill.

A motion was offered by Mr. A. J. Broussard, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury approve the installation of additional monitoring wells at the Acadia Parish Sanitary Landfill.

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The Finance Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Solid Waste Committee on Tuesday, September 1, 2015, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present were Mr. A. J. Broussard, Chairperson, Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and Mr. Robert Guidry.

A motion was offered Mr. Robert Guidry, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury declare the following items surplus and authorize sale thereof:

Item	Location
London Fog Truck Mount	Old Mosquito Control Office
Propane Bottle	Old Mosquito Control Office
Stove Top	Old Mosquito Control Office
Sink	Old Mosquito Control Office
Mini Hand Held Fogger	Old Mosquito Control Office
Mini Hand Held Fogger	Old Mosquito Control Office
Back Pack Fogger	Old Mosquito Control Office
Phone (3)	Old Mosquito Control Office
Printer	Old Mosquito Control Office
Desk	Old Mosquito Control Office
Brazier/Cooker	Sheriff's Department/Jail
Marantz CD Recorder w. Reporter	Courthouse
Marantz CD Recorder w. Reporter	Courthouse
Dell Latitude Laptop (Not Operational)	Courthouse
Buffer/Pacemaker P20	Courthouse
Lawn Vac	Courthouse
Mixer-Soundmaster	Courthouse
DOD 830 Equalizer	Courthouse
2002 Chevrolet Venture Van	Rayne Community Clinic

A motion was offered by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury approve 2015 Midyear Budget Adjustments.

A motion was offered Mr. Robert Guidry, seconded by Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury approve the purchase of a small excavator for the Branch Barn, a dump truck for the Iota Barn and approve a budget adjustment for said purchases.

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