

The Building and Grounds Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met at 6:30 P.M. on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Ronnie Fabacher, Mr. Jimmie Pellerin and Mr. Robert Guidry.

Ms. Lexie Pitre, United States Department of Agriculture, addressed the Committee regarding the lease of the USDA Building located on Cherokee Road. She stated that due to leasing requirements set by GSA leasing they can no longer enter into a long term lease for locations in a 100 year flood zone unless there are no practicable alternatives. She reminded the Committee that the USDA's lease with the Acadia Parish Police Jury would expire on December 31, 2018. She stated that she would like the Police Jury to take that into consideration when renovating the building following the recent flooding.

No action was taken.

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

SECRETARY

The Mosquito Control Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Building and Grounds Committee on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Jimmie Pellerin, Chairperson, Mr. Robert Guidry, and Mr. Richard Faul.

Mr. Glenn Stokes, Mosquito Control Contractors Inc., addressed the Committee regarding aerial mosquito control spraying. He stated that he had several meetings with local crawfish farmers regarding their concern about the use of Dibrom during aerial spraying for mosquito control. He further stated that many crawfish farmers were opposed to the aerial spraying and presented a map to the Police Jury showing which areas could be sprayed that excluded the crawfish farms and a half acre buffer zone around each farm. He stated that the total amount of acres to be sprayed would be 56,000 acres and would cost approximately \$94,000.00. He reminded the Police Jury that FEMA would reimburse 75% of this amount.

A motion was offered by Mr. Richard Faul, seconded by Mr. Robert Guidry and carried, to table the item regarding aerial mosquito control spraying.

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SECRETARY

The Road and Bridge Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Mosquito Control Committee on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Robert Guidry, Chairperson, Mr. Richard Faul, and Mr. Chuck Broussard.

Ms. Jenna Leger, representative of Phillips 66 Pipeline, LLC, stated that Phillips had identified an anomaly in the pipeline and repairs were needed for the integrity and safety of the line. She stated that the company would open cut Fernest Road, expose the line, make any repairs to the line, and backfill and repair road.

A motion was offered by Mr. Richard Faul, seconded by Mr. Chuck Broussard and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury approve the Project Permit for Phillips 66 Pipeline, LLC on Fernest Road.

Mr. Michael Schexnider, Parish Road Manager, gave an update regarding the Pontoon Bridge in Estherwood. He stated that he had spoken with the LA DOTD and they told him that a ramp on the north side was crooked because a cable was out and would need to be fixed and the motor for the bridge would need to be replaced. He further stated that the DOTD estimated that the bridge would reopen in two to three weeks.

Juror Chuck Broussard stated that he had talked to Mr. Bill Oliver, DOTD, about maybe using a winch truck to open the bridge because of the high usage of that road.

Mr. William Nevitt, resident of Crowley, asked if there were protocols in place regarding the opening and closing of the bridge and if the DOTD monitored the bridge. He also suggested the Police Jury contact the Army Corps of Engineers regarding the bridge. He also asked if the USDA not leasing the building would affect the bond that the Police Jury was paying on it.

President David Savoy stated that all the preliminary testing and studies had been completed for the replacement of the Pontoon Bridge but the funds were not available to replace the bridge.

Mrs. Melinda Leger, Purchasing Agent, stated that the bond only had two years left until it was paid off.

Mrs. Denise Sayi, resident and business owner in Crowley, LA, asked when the Police Jury was going to replace or repair the Northern Avenue Bridge. She stated that her business located on Northern Avenue was suffering greatly since the bridge closed. She requested that the Police Jury please repair the bridge as soon as possible.

Mr. Michael Schexnider, Parish Road Manager, stated that the bridge was a state funded bridge and that it was closed down by the state.

Mrs. Laura Faul, Secretary-Treasurer, stated that the Police Jury was working on getting funding to repair or replace the bridge.

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SECRETARY

The Solid Waste Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Road and Bridge Committee on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Richard Faul, Chairperson, Mr. Ronnie Fabacher, and Mr. Jimmie Pellerin.

Juror Robert Guidry stated that there was a residence near his home that has a "landfill" on the side of the road. He also stated that it was his understanding that the owner of the residence did odd and end jobs in and around Eunice and would bring the trash back into Acadia Parish and put it on the side of the road to be disposed of.

Mr. Brett Bayard, Mader Engineering, stated that the Police Jury has an Ordinance in place to prevent the unauthorized accumulation of garbage and that the first step would be to send the resident a certified letter regarding his violation of the Ordinance.

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SECRETARY

The Finance Committee of the Acadia Parish Police Jury met following the Solid Waste Committee on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, in the Police Jury Meeting Room. Present was Mr. Robert Guidry, Chairperson, Mr. Richard Faul and Mr. Chuck Broussard.

A motion was offered by Mr. Richard Faul, seconded by Mr. Chuck Broussard and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury no longer offer the match for deferred compensation for all employees.

A motion was offered by Mr. Chuck Broussard, seconded by Mr. Richard Faul and carried, to recommend that the Police Jury authorize the submittal of Capital Outlay Requests (FY 2017-2018).

Mr. Tommy Naquin, Postlethwaite and Netterville, presented the 2015 Audit Report.

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