

THE ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY conducted a public hearing on Tuesday, August 11, 2026, at 6:00 PM before the Regular Police Jury meeting, 3rd floor, Courthouse Building, Crowley, Louisiana, to hear comments on the following items:

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

1. Discussion and/or action to amend and reenact Chapter 4, Article II of the Code of Ordinances of the Acadia Parish Police Jury (the “Stock Law”) to provide for fowl; to provide for definitions relative thereto; to provide for certain penalties, impoundment, and sale; to provide for all other matters relative thereto; and to repeal all ordinances and parts of ordinances relative thereto.

A motion was offered by Pat Daigle and seconded by Kirk Guidry to move this item to the Regular Meeting Agenda to 15a.

With no further public comments made, a motion was offered by Troy Lantz and seconded by Jeffery Morgan to adjourn the Public Hearing.

THE ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY met on the above date at 6:00 p.m., in the Police Jury Meeting Room, Courthouse Building, Crowley, Louisiana, in Regular Session with President Beau Petitjean presiding. At the request of the President, a prayer was offered by Glen Howie and the Pledge to the Flag was recited in unison. The roll was called, and final attendance was recorded as follows:

ZURI POULLARD	KIRK GUIDRY
BEAU PETITJEAN	TROY LANTZ
PAT DAIGLE	JEFFERY MORGAN
PAUL ED GUIDRY	

ABSENT: GORDON RAY MORGAN

Quorum present.

Acadia Parish Police Jury Parish Administrator, Corey Vincent explained that there would be a minute revision from the previous meeting. Mr. Vincent explained the reason for the minute revision is because when the bushhog was ordered, that type was on backorder and would not be in for several months. The company did have one in stock with a stronger suspension that fell under state contract so that particular one was ordered for \$1,618.00 more than what was originally approved.

A motion was offered by Pat Daigle, seconded by Troy Lantz and carried unanimously to dispense the reading and approval of the minutes of June 9, 2026, Regular Meeting with a minute revision reading “Discussion and/or action to approve the purchase of a Flex Wing Rotary from Cutter (Bushhog) for the Road Department in the amount of \$26,735.17 using funds the Industrial Development Fund. (State Contract No. 4400033915)”

Amendments:

There were no agenda Amendments. However, Police Jury President Beau Petitjean, explained that item no. 11 would need to be removed from the agenda due to a protest that was received at 3:30 pm on August 11, 2026. Item no. 11 reads as follows:

Consider and take action, by roll call vote, on accepting the Selection Committee's recommendation and ranking for the RFP for Debris Hauling Services for DR-4559 PW2441 – Drainage Debris Removal Project No. 436481, and awarding the contract to the first-ranked proposer, **Longview International Technology Solutions, INC (LTS) Disaster Response**. If contract negotiations are unsuccessful or the first-ranked proposer is unable to execute or perform the contract, authorize negotiations with the second-ranked proposer, **Williams Disaster Services (WDS)**. Further authorize the Police Jury President to execute the resulting contract and related documents, subject to legal review and all applicable federal, state, FEMA, and project requirements.

Earl Garber held a discussion regarding the Acadiana Watershed District funding proposal. Mr. Garber addressed the Jury regarding the Acadiana Watershed District and its funding. Mr. Garber explained that he has been involved with the Louisiana Watershed Initiative (LWI) since 2020 and previously represented the Jury President in the program. Following the creation of the Acadiana Watershed District by the Louisiana Legislature in 2023, Mr. Garber returned to the Jury in late 2023/early 2024 and recommended that the Parish continue its participation under the Acadiana Watershed District rather than LWI, which the Jury agreed to do. He explained that although the Legislature created the district, no funding was provided for its ongoing operations. Existing LWI funding has supported the effort since the district was formed, but that funding is expected to expire at the end of 2026. Mr. Garber stated that the Acadiana Planning Commission has been providing funding and support for the program but will no longer have funding available to continue paying staff to administer the effort. He presented a proposed local funding plan developed by the participating members and requested that the Jury consider the proposal to provide continued funding for the Acadiana Watershed District. The proposal is for \$17,795.18 for 2027.

Acadia Parish Vice President, Paul Guidry, asked Mr. Garber based off research, how severe is Acadia Parish in needing this type of assistance.

Mr. Garber explained that the district would provide coordination for watershed projects involving agencies such as the Natural Resources Conservation Service. He stated that these projects can take several years to develop and require coordination beyond the typical scope of local agencies. Mr. Garber further explained that the district would coordinate projects among the participating parishes, assist with securing federal funding, and ensure that projects are prioritized and carried out in the appropriate sequence. He noted that having a coordinated effort among 16

participating parishes would strengthen their ability to pursue and obtain federal funding for watershed projects.

Mr. Guidry asked what the money would be used for that they are proposing from all 16 parishes.

Sarah Faucett with the Acadiana Planning Commission explained that the money would be going to coordinate the efforts of trying to get the funds for future projects.

Acadia Parish Police Jury President, Beau Petitjean, recommended getting with each 11 drainage districts in Acadia Parish to see what they would be willing to contribute to the proposal.

No action was taken on this discussion.

A motion was offered by Kirk Guidry, seconded by Jeffery Morgan and carried unanimously to appoint Zuri Poullard, Acadia Parish Police Juror for District 1, to the Road and Bridges, Industrial Development, and Solid Waste Committees.

**ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY
2026 COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

AIRPORT

Chairman: Kirk Guidry
Paul Ed Guidry
Pat Daigle
Corey Vincent – Airport Manager

ANIMAL CONTROL

Chairman: Gordon Morgan
Troy Lantz
Jeffery Morgan

FINANCE

Chairman: Paul Ed Guidry
Kirk Guidry
Jeffery Morgan
Corey Vincent – Secretary Treasurer
Shaun - CPA

INSURANCE

Chairman: Pat Daigle
Kirk Guidry
Troy Lantz
Kevin Guidry

MOSQUITO CONTROL

Chairman: Kirk Guidry
Jeffery Morgan
Troy Lantz

ROAD & BRIDGE

Chairman: Troy Lantz
Pat Daigle
Jeffery Morgan
Zuri Poullard

AMBULANCE

Chairman: Paul Ed Guidry
Kirk Guidry
Pat Daigle
John Dubose – AASI
Tyler Martin – Med Express

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS

Chairman: Jeffery Morgan
Pat Daigle
Paul Ed Guidry

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Chairman: Jeffery Morgan
Kirk Guidry
Gordon Morgan
Zuri Poullard

LEGISLATIVE

Chairman: Jeffery Morgan
Paul Ed Guidry
Pat Daigle

PERSONNEL

Chairman: Kirk Guidry
Jeffery Morgan
Paul Ed Guidry
Corey Vincent
Kevin Guidry

SOLID WASTE

Chairman: Jeffery Morgan
Paul Ed Guidry
Pat Daigle
Zuri Poullard

Chairman of each committee is responsible for calling meeting to order. President is to serve on committees as Ex-officio member (non-voting). All members are encouraged to attend all committee meetings.

A motion was offered by Troy Lantz, seconded by Pat Daigle and carried unanimously to adopt a resolution authorizing submission of DRA CIF grant application for eligible parish infrastructure improvements and authorizing the Police Jury President to execute related documents.

RESOLUTION

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR A DELTA REGIONAL AUTHORITY
COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE FUND GRANT**

WHEREAS, the **Acadia Parish Police Jury** desires to apply to the Delta Regional Authority for a Community Infrastructure Fund grant to support eligible infrastructure improvements in **Acadia Parish**; and
WHEREAS, the Police Jury President is authorized to execute documents necessary to submit and administer grant applications.
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the **Acadia Parish Police Jury** authorizes submission of a DRA Community Infrastructure Fund grant application for eligible parish infrastructure improvements.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Police Jury President is authorized to execute the application, grant agreement, certifications, reports, and all other documents necessary or appropriate in connection with the grant.
ADOPTED this 11th day of August 2026.

A motion was offered by Jeffery Morgan, seconded by Zuri Poullard and carried unanimously to adopt a resolution authorizing the submission of a Delta Regional Authority (DRA) States’ Economic Development Assistance Program (SEDAP) grant application and authorizing the Police Jury President to execute all related documents.

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR A DELTA REGIONAL AUTHORITY STATES’ ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT

WHEREAS, the **Acadia Parish Police Jury** desires to apply to the Delta Regional Authority (“DRA”) for a States’ Economic Development Assistance Program(“SEDAP”) grant to support eligible infrastructure improvements in Acadia Parish; and

WHEREAS, the Police Jury President is authorized to execute all documents necessary to submit, administer, and complete grant applications and any resulting grant awards; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the **Acadia Parish Police Jury** hereby authorizes the submission of an application to the Delta Regional Authority for a States’ Economic Development Assistance Program grant to support eligible infrastructure improvements in **Acadia Parish**.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Police Jury President is hereby authorized to execute and submit the grant application, grant agreement, certifications, assurances, reports, requests for reimbursement, and all other documents necessary or appropriate in connection with the application and administration of any resulting grant award.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Police Jury President is authorized to take such additional actions as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the intent and purpose of this Resolution.

ADOPTED this 11th day of August 2026.

A motion was offered by Paul Guidry, seconded by Troy Lantz and carried unanimously to adopt a resolution to extend the Master Engineering Services Agreement with Mader Engineering for the LeGros Memorial Airport for one year per Article 2 of said agreement. Roll Call with all YAYS except for absent.

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ONE-YEAR EXTENSION
OF THE MASTER ENGINEERING SERVICES AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY AND
MADER ENGINEERING, INC. FOR PROFESSIONAL
ENGINEERING SERVICES AT THE LEGROS MEMORIAL AIRPORT**

WHEREAS, the Acadia Parish Police Jury (the “Owner”) issued a Request for Qualifications soliciting statements of qualification from professional engineering and planning firms interested in performing professional engineering services at the LeGros Memorial Airport (3R2) for a project period of approximately three (3) years with the option for two, one-year extensions, with projects to be submitted to the Federal Aviation Administration and the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for approval;

WHEREAS, following that solicitation, on June 13, 2023, the Owner and Mader Engineering, Inc. (the “Engineer”) entered into a Master Engineering Services Agreement (Contract for Engineering Services) providing for professional engineering, design, planning, geotechnical, environmental, and construction administration services in connection with projects at the LeGros Memorial Airport (the “Agreement”);

WHEREAS, Article 2 of the Agreement provides that the Agreement shall be effective upon execution by the Owner and the Engineer and shall remain in full force and effect for three (3) years, with two one-year extensions, after the execution date thereof;

WHEREAS, the initial three-year term of the Agreement expired on June 13, 2026, and the two one-year extensions provided for in Article 2 of the Agreement remain available to the Owner;

WHEREAS, the Owner desires to exercise the first of the two available one-year extensions so as to continue the professional engineering services of the Engineer at the LeGros Memorial Airport without interruption;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Acadia Parish Police Jury, State of Louisiana, that the Master Engineering Services Agreement between the Parish of Acadia, by and through its Police Jury, and Mader Engineering, Inc., dated June 13, 2023, be and is hereby extended for a period of one (1) year, in accordance with Article 2 thereof, such that the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect through June 13, 2027.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President of the Acadia Parish Police Jury be and is hereby authorized and empowered, for and in the name of the Parish of Acadia, to execute any and all documents reasonably necessary or advisable to carry out said purpose, including but not limited to an extension of or amendment to the Agreement, upon such additional terms and conditions as the President deems advisable in his discretion.

YAY: ZURI POULLARD, JEFFERY MORGAN, KIRK GUIDRY, BEAU PETITJEAN, PAUL GUIDRY, PAT DAIGLE, TROY LANTZ
NAY: N/A
ABSENT: GORDON MORGAN

ADOPTED: August 11, 2026

ATTEST:

<u>/s/ Corey Vincent</u> COREY VINCENT Parish Administrator	<u>/s/ Beau Petitjean</u> BEAU PETITJEAN President
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ITEM NO. 11 WAS REMOVED.

A motion was offered by Paul Guidry, seconded by Pat Daigle and carried unanimously to approve a CEA with Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs with monthly increase from \$2,148.00 to \$2,374.04 monthly.

A motion was offered by Kirk Guidry, seconded by Paul Guidry and carried unanimously to call for a Public Hearing on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:00 p.m. regarding the Acadia Parish Police Jury adopting an Ordinance to Sell Adjudicated Property, Assessment Number 9400131900, with the municipal address of 6090

Hwy. 91, Iota, Louisiana at a public sale for a minimum bid to include the statutory impositions, governmental liens and the costs of the sale.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

This is Notice for a Public Hearing to be held on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:00 p.m. regarding the Acadia Parish Police Jury adopting an Ordinance to Sell Adjudicated Property, Assessment Number 9400131900, with the municipal address of 6090 Hwy. 91, Iota, Louisiana at a public sale for a minimum bid to include the statutory impositions, governmental liens and the costs of the sale.

/s/ COREY VINCENT
SECRETARY-TREASURER

/s/ BEAU PETITJEAN
PRESIDENT

A motion was offered by Troy Lantz, seconded by Jeffery Morgan and carried unanimously to call for a Public Hearing on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:00 p.m. regarding the Acadia Parish Police Jury adopting an Ordinance to Sell Adjudicated Property, Assessment Number 9000057800, at a public sale for a minimum bid to include the statutory impositions, governmental liens and the costs of the sale.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

This is Notice for a Public Hearing to be held on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:00 p.m. regarding the Acadia Parish Police Jury adopting an Ordinance to Sell Adjudicated Property, Assessment Number 9000057800, at a public sale for a minimum bid to include the statutory impositions, governmental liens and the costs of the sale.

/s/ COREY VINCENT
SECRETARY-TREASURER

/s/ BEAU PETITJEAN
PRESIDENT

A motion was offered by Paul Guidry, seconded by Pat Daigle and carried unanimously to call for a Public Hearing on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:00 p.m. regarding the Acadia Parish Police Jury adopting an Ordinance to Sell Adjudicated Property, Assessment Number 9400264700, with the municipal address of 143 Shanny Dr. Evangeline, Louisiana at a public sale for a minimum bid to include the statutory impositions, governmental liens and the costs of the sale.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

This is Notice for a Public Hearing to be held on the 8th day of September 2026 at 6:00 p.m. regarding the Acadia Parish Police Jury adopting an Ordinance to Sell Adjudicated Property, Assessment Number 9400264700, with the municipal address of 143 Shanny Dr. Evangeline, Louisiana at a public sale for a minimum bid to include the statutory impositions, governmental liens and the costs of the sale.

/s/ COREY VINCENT
SECRETARY-TREASURER

/s/ BEAU PETITJEAN
PRESIDENT

Requirements for selling adjudicated property are below:

**ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY
ADJUDICATED PROPERTY PROCESS**

The Police Jury is beginning the task of offering for sale adjudicated properties. We will begin with offering for sale those properties that have been adjudicated to the parish for a period of no less than five years. Beginning with these five year properties is based upon the notice requirement to previous owners. With properties adjudicated more than five years, the notice provision of our Ordinance and Louisiana R. S. 47:2201 et seq. is sixty days after the bid process is completed. With three year property, that waiting period is six months.

The Process begins with a person interested in buying the adjudicated property submitting a request to purchase a particular property to the Administrative Office. Once it is confirmed that the property was adjudicated to the parish at least five years prior to the date of the request, a Notice of Public Hearing to consider passing an Ordinance to sell that property will be voted on by the Police Jury.

Next an Ordinance will be passed authorizing the sale of that particular adjudicated property. The Ordinance must contain these items: that the Parish Administrator will announce the date, time and place of opening sealed bids for the purchase of the property; the minimum bid which shall include the cost of recording the sale, statutory liens and charges against the property and costs to the Parish for holding the sale, such as advertising and legal costs.

Next the public sale of the adjudicated property must be advertised. The Administrator will set a date to open sealed bids. The Advertisement must be published twice: first, at least 30 days prior to the opening of bids and second, it must be published no more than seven days prior to the bid opening. These advertisements must contain the minimum bid; the latest date written bids will be accepted, the time, date and place for opening the written sealed bids, that the sale is done without guarantee of title and any other terms and conditions determined by the Parish Administrator to be needed.

Following the opening of the bids, the notice requirement begins to toll. Notice to anyone having an ownership interest as delineated by the State Statute and our Ordinance must be noticed of the sale. Upon the expiration of the sixty days without anyone asserting their rights, the matter is final.

15a- A motion was offered by Pat Daigle, seconded by Kirk Guidry and carried unanimously to amend and reenact Chapter 4, Article II of the Code of Ordinances of the Acadia Parish Police Jury (the “Stock Law”) to provide for fowl; to provide for definitions relative thereto; to provide for certain penalties, impoundment, and sale; to provide for all other matters relative thereto; and to repeal all ordinances and parts of ordinances relative thereto. Roll Call with all YAYS except for absent.

AMENDMENT TO THE PARISH “STOCK LAW”

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-005

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND RE-ENACT SECTION 4-16 OF CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE II OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY (“THE STOCK LAW”) TO PROVIDE FOR FOWL; TO PROVIDE FOR DEFINITIONS RELATIVE THERETO; TO PROVIDE FOR ALL OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO; AND TO REPEAL ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

WHEREAS, the Acadia Parish Police Jury has the authority to impose regulations related to public safety, which includes livestock roaming at large pursuant to Louisiana Revised Statutes 33:1236(5), which reads in pertinent part, that all police juries have the authority to “take any measure concerning the policing of livestock in general in all the cases not provided for by law; to fix the time in which livestock may be suffered to rove in the parishes of this state, where that custom prevails, so that such roving may not be detrimental to the crops; to determine what animals shall not be suffered to rove, and in what cases they may lawfully be killed;” and

WHEREAS, a need to include “fowl” in the Parish’s “stock law” has arisen based upon law enforcement efforts to ensure the safety of public roads and other areas of the parish; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance was duly introduced and notice of this Ordinance and of the public hearing regarding same was published in the Official Journal of the Acadia Parish Police Jury and elsewhere as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held regarding this ordinance in accordance with the law on the 11th day of August, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. on the Third Floor of the Acadia Parish Courthouse in Crowley, Louisiana.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDAINED BY THE ACADIA PARISH POLICE JURY IN REGULAR SESSION DULY CONVENED ON THIS 11TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2026, THAT:

Section 4-16 (“Running at Large Prohibited”) of Article II of Chapter Four of the Code of Ordinances of the Acadia Parish Police Jury is hereby created, enacted, and shall read as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 4-16: RUNNING AT LARGE PROHIBITED.

- A. ***Stock Law Prohibition.*** It shall be unlawful for any person owning livestock, consisting of horses, mules, ass, cattle, swine, sheep, goat, or fowl, to knowingly, willfully or negligently permit his livestock to go at large upon the public roadways of any ward of the parish and on any private property not belonging to the person owning livestock without permission of the owner of such private property.
- B. ***Definition of Fowl.*** As used in this Ordinance, “fowl” shall mean domesticated (non-wild) birds as defined by the laws of this state, which fall into any of the following categories:
 - a. *Standard Poultry:* Chickens (hens and roosters), ducks, geese, and turkeys.
 - b. *Alternative/Exotic Birds:* Pigeons, guineas, peafowl, pheasants, and quail.

THIS ORDINANCE IS HEREBY ADOPTED, ENACTED, AND CODIFIED by the Acadia Parish Police Jury in regular session duly convened on this 11th day of August, 2026, at Crowley, in Acadia Parish, Louisiana, after a roll call vote as follows:

YEAS: Zuri Poullard, Jefferey Morgan, Kirk Guidry, Beau Petitjean, Paul Guidry, Pat Daigle, Troy Lantz

NAYS: N/A

ABSENT: Gordon Morgan

A motion was offered by Paul Guidry, seconded by Pat Daigle and carried unanimously to appoint Katie Robin to the Acadia St. Landry Hospital Service District Board to fill the unexpired term of Lee Ward Bellard. Term will expire 02/2027.

RESOLUTION

BY MESSRS: Paul Guidry and Pat Daigle

BE IT RESOLVED by the Acadia Parish Police Jury in regular session duly convened this 11th day of August 2026, does hereby appoint Katie Robin to the Acadia St. Landry Hospital Service District Board to fill the unexpired term of Lee Ward Bellard. Term will expire 02/2027.

ADOPTED: August 11, 2026

ATTEST:

/s/ Corey Vincent
COREY VINCENT
Parish Administrator

/s/ Beau Petitjean
BEAU PETITJEAN
President

Acadia Parish Police Jury CPA, Shaun Grantham, held a discussion on the monthly financials. A motion was offered by Paul Guidry, seconded by Zuri Poullard and carried unanimously to accept the monthly financials.

A motion was offered by Paul Guidry, seconded by Zuri Pollard and carried unanimously to accept the Permit Office monthly report.

THEREFOR BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE MEETING, THE MOTION WAS OFFERED BY PAT DAIGLE, SECONDED BY PAUL GUIDRY THAT THE MEETING ADJOURN UNTIL THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2026, AT THE HOUR OF 6:00 P.M.

/S/ Corey Vincent
COREY VINCENT
SECRETARY-TREASURER

/S/ Beau Petitjean
BEAU PETITJEAN
PRESIDENT