

## JACKSON PARISH WATERSHED MINUTES

The Jackson Parish Watershed District called a special meeting Friday, May 26, 2017, at 6 PM in the Weston Fire Station. Members present: Mr. Lavelle Smith, Mr. Benson Bagwell, Mr. Joe Carpenter and Mr. Eric Hopkins. Members absent: Mr. Rayo Baker and Mr. Danial Ponder.

The meeting was called to order and invocation by Mr. Smith.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Carpenter to approve minutes for March 16, 2017. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Carpenter to approve payment of bills. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Carpenter, second Mr. Bagwell to approve a request from Mr. Paul Florence, Jimmy Davis State Park, to incorporate additional area for swimming. Area will be marked with buoys to protect the swimmers from lake traffic. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Hopkins to approve a request by homeowners to remove large pine tree from water's edge to allow room for boat traffic. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Carpenter to request Jackson Parish Police Jury to block Spillway Road from September 21 through September 24 for Caney Lake Music Festival and Fireworks being held on Spillway Parking Lot. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Hopkins that the existing owner of the duck grid F-21 to remain owner pending payment. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Carpenter to approve building permits for 1) Andy Walker, 127 Pardue Loop Road, for a pier and 2) Jammie Swillie, 514 Haven Loop for a boathouse. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Carpenter to approve two duck blinds for Henry Shuler: O-26, Three Fingers and K-26, middle of Hancock Creek. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Benson, second Mr. Carpenter to award the bid to replace the fence around the Spillway Parking area to the low bidder, LaGrandier Fence Company. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Carpenter, second Mr. Bagwell to purchase a gauge board from Stevens Water Monitoring Systems. Motion carried

Motion Mr. Benson, second Mr. Hopkins to purchase materials and hire painter to paint metal hand rails on handicapped pier, lock boxes and gate to dam. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Hopkins create signs on two lock boxes to explain use of collected money. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Bagwell, second Mr. Hopkins to move money from checking to CD. Motion carried.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 20, 2017, at 6:00 PM.