

The Jackson Parish Police Jury met in Business Session Tuesday, September 7, 2021, at 5:15 PM in the Nathaniel Zeno Jr. Meeting Room of the Jackson Parish Police Jury Administrative Building, 160 Industrial Drive, Jonesboro, Louisiana. Members present: Ms. Amy Magee, Mr. John McCarty (arrived during item #1), Ms. Tarneshala Cowans, and Mr. Lynn Treadway. Absent: Mr. Todd Culpepper, Mr. Lewis Chatham, Mr. John McCarty, and Ms. Regina Rowe. Also in attendance: Mr. Darrell Avery, Assistant D.A.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Ms. Magee. Mr. Treadway gave the invocation and Ms. Cowans led in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

The President noted that a quorum was not present. Being no quorum, no official action of the Policy Jury took place.

There were no public comments.

The President called for Committee Reports.

Ms. Magee, Chairman of the Operations Committee, provided a summary of the discussions from the August 17th meeting.

The Jurors reviewed the proposals for the Road Department internet service.

Mr. McCarty arrived at the meeting and a quorum was established.

Ms. Cowans, Chairman of the Finance Committee, provided a summary of the discussions from the August 18th meeting.

The Jury reviewed the budget amendment to reduce general severance tax collections.

Ms. Magee, Chairman of the Grants Committee, provided a summary of the discussions from the August 18th and September 1st meetings.

The Jury reviewed the recommendations for software and hardware purchases, hazard pay, gravel bin sites, revenue loss, and the Courthouse HVAC system.

The Jury reviewed the minutes from the August 27th Policy & Personnel Committee Meeting.

The Jury reviewed the minutes from the August 27th Project Committee Meeting.

The President stated the Committee Assignments sheet was in the meeting packet for review.

The Jury reviewed items from the other committees and boards.

With the conclusion of Committee and Board Reports, the President moved on to Continued Business.

The Jury reviewed the nominees and actions needed for parish board appointments.

The Jury discussed waste collection proposals.

The President moved to New Business.

The Jury discussed the contract extension with Volkert, Inc. for debris monitoring services.

The Jury discussed authorizing RFPs for pre-disaster debris monitoring services.

The Jury discussed the request for a sanctuary county resolution in support of the 2nd amendment.

The President opened the floor for discussion of other topics and announcements.

Motion Ms. Cowans, seconded Mr. McCarty to adjourn. Motion carried.