

OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN

TOWN OF WELSH  
WELSH, LOUISIANA  
DECEMBER 3, 2019

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Welsh met in regular session at the Welsh Council Room on Tuesday, December 3, 2019, at 6:00 p.m.

Mayor Carolyn Louviere called the meeting to order and Mr. Rodney Trahan led the pledge.

Roll call follows:

Present: Mayor Carolyn Louviere; Aldermen: Andrea King, Rodney Trahan, Lawrence Mier, Colby Perry, Jackie Balmer.

Absent: None.

Others in attendance: Eva Kibodeaux, Town Clerk, and Marcus Crochet, Police Chief.

145. It was moved by Mr. Lawrence Mier, seconded by Mrs. Jackie Balmer to approve the agenda of the day which consists of #151. Marcus Crochet, Police Chief hiring Mr. Brandon Janise as a full time patrolman. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

146. It was moved by Mrs. Jackie Balmer, seconded by Mr. Lawrence Mier to approve minutes for the November 5, 2019 with changing to add Mr. Noah Zeno comment to Item 134 as presented. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

147. Mayor Carolyn Louviere stated that we were deferring action on public hearing on the amending of Block 2 West & West Sub because we need a written request from Mr. Noah Zeno to withdraw his request for the zoning change.

150. Mayor Carolyn Louviere stated that we were deferring action on adoption on the amending of Block 2 West & West Sub because we need a written request from Mr. Noah Zeno to withdraw his request for the zoning change.

151. It was moved by Mr. Rodney Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Jackie Balmer to hire Mr. Brandon Janise for full time patrolman with a 90 day probationary period. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

148. The following resolution was offered by Mrs. Jackie Balmer, seconded by Mr. Rodney Trahan with changing the November council meeting from the 3<sup>rd</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup> for 2020.

RESOLUTION NO. 011-2019

A resolution giving written notice of regular meetings of the Mayor  
And Board of Aldermen of the Town of Welsh. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

149. It was moved by Mr. Rodney Trahan, seconded by Mrs. Jackie Balmer to introduce Proposition No. 288 Ordinance No. 790 to lift open container for the Mardi Gras event on February 8, 2020, and set the public hearing for Tuesday, January 7, 2020. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

Alderman Ms. Andrea King stated that she wanted the Town Clerk to get with Tracy Goodwin, Co-Superintendent to find out when the street lights on Main Street and also other street lights in Town will be changed out.

Mayor Carolyn Louviere stated that we are getting a \$1,000,000.00 grant to do water improvements to the Town's water system. We are also getting a \$35,000.00 grant for water valve on the water tower and \$35,000.00 to improve drainage on Short Street. She also stated that the Town will be working on an Ordinance in regards to blighted property in the Town of Welsh.

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152. There being no further business, it was moved by Ms. Andrea King, seconded by Mr. Lawrence Mier to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

ATTEST:

APPROVAL:

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EVA C. KIBODEAUX, TOWN CLERK

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CAROLYN LOUVIERE, MAYOR