

March 7, 2016

Town of Golden Meadow
107 Jervis Drive
Golden Meadow, LA 70357

The Mayor and Council for the Town of Golden Meadow met for their regular scheduled meeting on Monday, March 7, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Hall, 107 Jervis Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357.

Those present were: Mayor Joey Bouziga
Councilman David Adams
Councilman Jody Cheramie
Councilman Lindberg Lorraine
Councilman Priscilla Mounic
Councilman Willis Touns

Others attending were Salvador Gonzalez, Jr., Salvador Gonzalez, Sr., Jamie Liner, Daniel Lorraine, Chief Reggie Pitre, John Plaisance, and E.J. Verdin.

Mayor Joey Bouziga called this meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Councilman David Adams led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and Councilman Jody Cheramie led everyone in prayer.

Councilman Priscilla Mounic presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving the minutes from the Council meeting held on February 15, 2016. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council there are no updates on building permits, recreational vehicles and no Occupational Licenses submitted for approval.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving the Victor Boudreaux property be removed from the agenda. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council the Lincoln Martin dangerous building was granted an extension until March 21, 2016 to conduct repairs.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council five abandoned vehicle letters were mailed.

Town Engineer John Plaisance presented the project report as follows:

- North Sewer Plant Upgrades – waiting on Stat to complete the plans.
- Sewer Phase IV remains in the right-of-way stage.
- Sewer Phase V remains in the right-of-way stage.
- Sewer Phase VI has submitted an application for funding.
- Seawall Phase III was sent the “Notice to Proceed.”
- Town Hall Turn Around. Plans and specs have been submitted to the state for approval.
- Skate Board Park should begin soon. Councilman Jody Cheramie and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving a resolution approving a funding breakdown to the Lafourche Parish Government. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Willis Touns seconded approving adding authorizing Mayor Joey Bouziga sign all paperwork involved with the funding granted from the Lafourche Parish for the construction of the bathroom, tennis court upgrades, skateboard funding, and pool repairs. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

- Water Enrichment Grant waiting on approval.
- Pool Repairs – Mayor Joey Bouziga presented a list of repairs needed at the pool with an estimate of \$117,004.00. An update will be presented at the next meeting.
- Capital Outlay Grants applications have been submitted for funding and are waiting on approval.
- Mayor Joey Bouziga provided a short explanation of a switch in LGAP 2012/13 and LGAP 2015/16 due to deadlines. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving the LGAP Grant Project switch for the purchase of a generator and sewer connections. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the legal update for Attorney Bryce Autin as follows:

- Chad Duet property – Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving removing Chad Duet from the agenda due to the grass being cut and no actions on a recreational vehicle until the ordinance for recreational vehicles is updated. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- Recreational Vehicles Ordinance deferred until Attorney Bryce Autin discusses at the next Council meeting.
- Town Hall Property Sale on hold until Attorney Bryce Autin discusses at the next Council meeting.
- Pierce Street Bunkhouse – After a brief discussion Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman David Adams seconded approving actions be taken to shut the bunkhouse down according to the Ordinance regarding bunkhouses. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the council some repairs have been conducted at the floodgate in Oakridge Park, but cables will need to be replaced.

Councilman David Adams informed the Council the light requested at Rosa Drive has been turned on. Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council the cost of the light requiring the installation of a pole at the end of Louviere Lane in his opinion is not feasible.

Councilman Priscilla Mounic presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded approving a Resolution adopting the Compliance Questionnaire for the year ending December 31, 2015. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council in the bad weather two weeks ago the Kirby's Supermarket building was damaged. Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council he contacted the owner and he will begin the repairs.

Councilman Priscilla Mounic addressed the Council regarding a request for a soccer field to be located in Oakridge Park due to the fees addressed by the Larose Park. Councilman Priscilla Mounic also informed the Council the Rotary Club did offer to donate the soccer goals. Mayor Joey Bouziga stated he was also contacted and suggested the area behind the tennis court be used.

Councilman Willis Toups requested adding a loud music permit to the agenda. No audience comments or objections were presented. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving the aforesaid be added to the agenda. The council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

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Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving the loud music permit for TK's Sports Bar on Friday, March 11, 2016 until midnight. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested adding a proclamation for Retired Teachers Day on March 17, 2016. No audience comments or objections were presented. Councilman David Adams presented the motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving the aforesaid be added to the agenda. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

With no further business to discuss, Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving this meeting adjourn at 7:26 P. M. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

MAYOR JOEY BOUZIGA

ATTESTED:

JAMIE LINER, TOWN CLERK