

PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATCHITOCHE PARISH COUNCIL
PARISH OF NATCHITOCHE, STATE OF LOUISIANA
TAKEN A REGULAR MEETING HELD, TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 16, 2016
5:30 p.m.

The Natchitoches Parish Council met in regular and legal session in the Council Board Room of the Natchitoches Parish Courthouse, on Tuesday, February 16, 2016 for a Regular of Natchitoches Parish Council meeting at five(5:30) o'clock p.m. and for the Natchitoches Parish Council Meeting.

The Parish of Natchitoches was then convened as the governing authority by Chairman Russell Rachal who stated that the Parish was ready for the transaction of business.

The invocation was given by Councilman Doug de Graffernied and the Pledge of Allegiance led by Councilman Chris Paige.

After the roll call there were present Chairman Russell Rachal and Council: Rodney Bedgood, Doug de Graffernied, Chris Paige, and Patsy Ward-Hoover.

Absent: None.

Chairman Rachal then asked for visitors at this time.

Ms. Dolores Blalock, she's on the Board of Directors for the Camp Minden Citizens Advisory Group. Ms. Blalock came to talk to the Council on how important to stop the open burning of hazardous materials at the Clean Harbors Colfax facility located in Grant Parish. Ms. Blalock introduced herself and gave a summary of where she was raised and her education background. Ms. Dolores Blalock came to expressed how important that the Parish of Natchitoches supports her and the residents of Colfax and other Parishes affected by the this open burn to stop it and to adopt a Resolution in favor of not supporting this open burn of hazardous materials. Ms. Dolores informed the Council that Clean Harbor's official request to open burn in Colfax has been withdrawn, but a resolution is still important to make sure the Parish supports not to open burn toxic waste in Colfax.

This was an agenda item and the Chairman moved this agenda item up so they could vote on this item at this time.

On motion by Councilman Chris Paige, duly seconded by Councilwoman Patsy Ward Hoover, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby adopt the resolution against open burning of toxic waste in Colfax.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

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| Ayes: | Councilman Paige |
| Ayes: | Councilwoman Hoover |
| Ayes: | Councilman de Graffernied |
| Ayes: | Councilman Rachal |
| Ayes: | Councilman Bedgood |

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal then asked for public comments.

John Hodson from Pardee road is coming again for Mr. Nick Verret to tell him when is it going to be something done to his road. He stated nothing has been done to his road since the last visits.

Terry Taylor has a chicken farm located off I-49 on Old River Road, He stated they have some big deep holes and he's afraid that Pilgrim's will not come down to collect eggs, and if they do by the time they get to their destination all eggs probably would be broken and this

will be a problem. He is just wanting something to be done to his road so that his business would not be in jeopardy.

Johnny O'Con was concerned about Rex Water Well Road and Boston Fowler Road. She expressing that these road need something done to them also. It has a water line running in the middle of the road and at some times this line bursts and has water shooting up in the road. And a resident just moved there and when they place her mobile home there they dug up the street in front of her house and there is a big hole left in front of her house and she wants something done to it.

Vernell Parker wanted to know if salaries could be cut to help maintain the roads. She lives on the Old River Road also by the Chicken Farm.

Veronica Hargrove wants to know could she get some maintenance on the Posey Road. She stated the scarifying was an improvement but it has to be maintained. She said there are two places that need gravel filled in them.

Philip O'Con wanted to express that a good foundation on the roads will hold the road up. You must have a good foundation to make anything hold up.

Mr. Verret listened to all complaints and tried to answer them. He wanted to start off by saying there has been Since January 4, 2016 until currently, 24 working days there has been 139 request of unpaved roads for roads to be graded or put gravel down and 89 requests of paved roads to patch pot holes.

Mr. Verret also stated that no investment was put in these roads over 40 years and the roads wasn't being maintain properly then, all because again lack of funding.

Mr. Verret told Mr. Hobson that he has his road on the list, but there are other roads that are in worst condition and he's going from the priority of the roads. Mr. Verret stated he only has 14 employees and he has 818 miles of roads to maintain. Mr. Verret also expressed that he does not have the equipment that his office needs to do the work also.

Mr. Verret wants everyone to know it's very frustrating to him not being able to meet the needs of the citizens. He wants to address their needs but he just don't have the resources to fix all roads.

Mr. Nowlin and Mr. Verret told everyone their concerns are not falling on deaf ears. They urged them to continue to call about their roads. Sometimes they might go out and evaluate a road in a week times but something might happen to that road later that pushes it up on the list of priority to be done. Residents don't stop calling complaining about your roads.

Councilman Chris Paige just wanted to let the residents of Rex Water Well and Boston Fowler know being realistic your road is not going to be done right now. He told Mr. Verret these resident is only asking for basic maintenance.

Erica Ayatey was not about roads, she was coming to express her concerns about the Shady Grove Community Center. She showed pictures of this center and it was in horrible condition. This building looks abandoned and worn down with windows broken out. One of the Councilman said this building needs to be torn down.

Ms. Erica Ayatey stated since the Parish owns the building now are they going to make the repairs to it. If the church was the owners they were going to tear it down, but since Mr. Nowlin and the District

Attorney informed them the Parish owns it, she asked if they were going to do all the repairs of this abandoned worn down building. Ms. Hargrove interrupting Ms. Ayatey and stated that they are having meetings in this building, they have a board set up, registered with the State, remodeling the kitchen, and this is a historical building that was built in the 70's and the community wants to restore it. After Ms. Hargrove was told she had her turn to speak and Ms. Ayatey has the floor at this time. Ms. Ayatey again asked Mr. Nowlin was the Parish was going to repair this building.

Mr. Nowlin stated at first the District Attorney made this ruling, but now he has other information that was given by Mr. Page, not Councilman Paige, that may determine the Parish is not the one's who owns the building. He will be getting with the District Attorney and then he will notify them about the decision.

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was adopt the minutes of the regular meeting of the Natchitoches Parish Council held Monday, January 11, 2016.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby adopt the minutes of the regular meeting of the Natchitoches Parish Council held Monday, January 11, 2016.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider adopting a resolution confirming re-appointment/appointments to the following boards/commissions.

- A. Millard F. Rutledge for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Parish Fire District 6 Board.**
- B. Lauryn Sharplin for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Parish Tourist Commission.**
- C. James Leslie Bayonne for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Planning and Zoning Commission.**
- D. George W. Minturn for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Planning and Zoning Commission.**
- E. Laney A. Wright for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Planning and Zoning Commission.**
- F. Consider appointment to the Library Board of Directors.**

Chairman Rachal stated that letter F. will be tabled until Parish President finalized his interviews of those interested in the appointment. The Council agreed with this since there were no name submitted.

Councilwoman Hoover, "Stated before we adopt any Resolutions concerning re-appointing and appointing to Fire Districts, her constituents have some concerns in her Fire District area. Two children was serious hurt being in a Fire truck with their Grandfather. This was a brand new Fire truck that was torn up in this accident. We need to seriously take a look at whom we're re-appointing and appointing on these Fire District Boards other than them just sending their applications in. We need to revamp our procedure in appointing and re-appointing members to these Fire Districts."

Chairman Rachal stated this was not in Fire District 6 but Fire District 1. Councilwoman Hoover stated no it was not 6 because Fire District 6 has a good rating it was in Fire District 1. Councilwoman Hoover then asked "Are we as the Parish Council going to be liable for this? The Parents are talking about suing the Council. Councilman Paige stated, each Fire District has their own board and that's nothing the Board can answer. Chairman Russell stated this is not concerning this particular motion lets move on and talk about this at a later time.

Mrs. Hoover wanted her statement to reflect from Mrs. Roy and reflected in the minutes she was in favor of re-appointment of Mr. Millard F. Rutledge. She wanted the Council to know there's a problem concerning Fire Districts and the Parish Council does approve to appoint and re-appoint people to these Fire District Boards. She stated if her constituents comes to her about the problem its her job to present it to the Council to look at it at that time.

Mr. Nowlin stated he first advertise for any openings comes which comes available within a Fire District Board. He then ask the board Chairman and other board members does this person comes to the meetings and if he or she is an active participant. We just don't put them on the agenda without asking and interviewing the person(s).

Councilwoman Hoover states the only thing the Council gets is just the application and nothing else about the person being appointed or re-appointed. Mr. Nowlin, "stated the point is well taken, he does not have a problem discussing the procedure with the Council later."

On motion by Councilman Chris Paige, duly seconded by Councilwoman Hoover, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby adopt a resolution confirming re-appointment of

- A. Millard F. Rutledge for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Parish Fire District 6 Board.
- B. Lauryn Sharplin for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Parish Tourist Commission.
- C. James Leslie Bayonne for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Planning and Zoning Commission.
- D. George W. Minturn for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Planning and Zoning Commission.
- E. Laney A. Wright for re-appointment to the Natchitoches Planning and Zoning Commission.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

**Regular Meeting
February 16, 2016**

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Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilman Bedgood

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to conduct a Public Hearing to hear any and all comments or objections relative to the adoption of the following items:

- A. Adoption of Ordinance #001-2016 of the Natchitoches Parish Council for budget revision of the parish 2016 budget for highway department to purchase of equipment, hauling, and capital outlay projects.

On motion by Councilman Chris Paige, duly seconded by Councilwoman Patsy Ward Hoover, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby open the public hearing.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilman Bedgood

Motion Passed

The Council had a brief discussion concerning budget Ms. Miley passed out another copy of the budget and she let them know that a line item had been revised since the viewing of the budget that was given. At this time Council wanted to know ahead of time when something has been revised before the day of the meeting. They want their material at 5 days in advance before the meeting for viewing.

Since there were no other discussion.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby close the public hearing.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby close the public hearing.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider to adopt item:

- A. Adoption of Ordinance #001-2016 of the Natchitoches Parish Council for budget revision of the parish 2016 budget for highway department to purchase of equipment, hauling, and capital outlay projects.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby adopt Ordinance #001-2016 of the Natchitoches Parish Council for budget revision of the parish 2016 budget for highway department to purchase of equipment, hauling, and capital outlay projects.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

At this time Councilwoman Hoover had a problem concerning the way Chairman Rachal voted. Councilwoman Hoover stated since he is the brother of an employee in the Highway Department and his brother is the Assistant to the Public Work Director he should not be voting on this.

Mr. Rick Nowlin and Asst. DA Charles Seaman didn't see a problem with this since his brother wouldn't gain anything from it. But Mr. Rick Nowlin appreciate Councilwoman Hoover for pointing this out in case it would have been a concern.

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider to consider authorizing Parish President to go into a Cooperative Agreement to Support and Administer with LSU-AgCenter and the Parish of Natchitoches.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby authorize Parish President to go into a Cooperative Agreement to Support and Administer with LSU-AgCenter and the Parish of Natchitoches.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider the awarding of bids for Highway Department Materials.

1. Hot Mix Asphaltic Concrete
2. Base Course Aggregate

Mr. Verret went over the bids and he made a recommendation to accept Madden Contracting Company for both Hot Mix Asphaltic Concrete and for Base Course Aggregate.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby award Hot Mix Asphaltic Concrete to Madden Contracting Company.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

On motion by Councilman Chris Paige, duly seconded by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby award Base Course Aggregate to Madden Contracting Company.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider to authorize Parish President to appoint a Council person to replace outgoing Councilman Aaron Johnson on the Coordinating and Development Corporation's Board.

After discussion on the matter Chairman Rachal recommended Councilman Doug de Graffernied to be the councilman to replace outgoing Councilman Aaron Johnson on the Coordinating and Development Corporation's Board. Councilman Bedgood second that recommendation.

On motion by Chairman Russell Rachal, duly seconded by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby appoint Councilman Doug de Graffernied to be the councilman to replace outgoing Councilman Aaron Johnson on the Coordinating and Development Corporation's Board.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Chairman Rachal
Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Abstain: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider to authorize the President to execute the Memorandum of Understanding and Certification of Contract between the NRMC and the Parish to provide Health Care Services to Low Income Individuals.

There were a brief discussion with the Councilwoman Patsy Hoover and Parish President Rick Nowlin, that for further reference when he needs to discuss something he need not to telephone each Councilman for a poll.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Doug de Graffernied, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby authorize the President to execute the

Memorandum of Understanding and Certification of Contract between the NRMC and the Parish to provide Health Care Services to Low Income Individuals.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Chairman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Abstain: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider introducing Ordinance #002-2016 to implement certain revisions to the Parish Personnel Manual.

Ms. Miley main reasons for revising the section 5.2 Payment of Wages to get in compliance with Grant regulations and to revise section 7.3 Medical Insurance and 7.4 Live Insurance since our insurance has changed for this year.

Councilman de Graffernied ask a question about part time employees and Ms. Miley answered him, he then went on to recommend changing the language of that paragraph concerning insurance for full time employees and not part time being eligible.

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Doug de Graffernied, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby introduce Ordinance #002-2016 to implement certain revisions to the Parish Personnel Manual.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Chairman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Abstain: Councilwoman Hoover
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilman Paige

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to consider adopting a Resolution to designate February as "African-American History Month" in the Parish of Natchitoches.

On motion by Councilwoman Pasty Ward Hoover, duly seconded by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby adopt a Resolution to designate February as "African-American History Month" in the Parish of Natchitoches.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilman Bedgood

Motion Passed

Chairman Rachal then recognized Mr. Nick Verret, Director of Public Works, who presented his report.

1. **Solid Waste** - A backlog of needed road repairs and shortage of available haul trucks has hindered completion of the new Readhimer compactor station and new controlled bin site on LA-478.
2. **Transfer of Five Forks Road to LA DOTD** - With input from the Director of Public Works, DOTD has executed a change order for the repair of pavement cracks in the LA-486 [Couley Loop] overlay project prior to its transfer to the Parish. The change order work is tentatively scheduled for the third week of February, which should allow final acceptance of this project around the end of the month, following which the road transfer can be finalized [Couley Loop to the Parish and Five Forks to DOTD].
3. **Kisatchie-Mora Road Hot Mix Asphalt Patching and Leveling** - The U.S. Forest Service provided a grant in the amount of just under \$154,000 for this project. In order to ensure completion by the June 1 deadline, the Parish Council previously authorized this work to be advertised for bids. The Director of Public Works prepared detailed specifications, and the first advertisement will be published on February 11 with a bid date of March 11. Following bid review, a recommendation for award will be presented to the Parish Council for action at its March 21 meeting. On-site inspection and construction contract administration will be performed by the Director of Public Works, with assistance from other Parish staff.

4. Status of State Capital Outlay Projects - The fully executed Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for resurfacing of Blanchard Road was received on February 3, which authorizes the Parish to proceed with this project. Design and plan development will be by the Director. Development will be by the Director of Public Works, with assistance from a contracted drafting technician. The draft CEA's were received for Payne Subdivision and Fish Hatchery Road and we are awaiting final execution by FP&C before design work can begin.

5. Off-System Bridge Replacement Program - DOTD has advised that the Environmental Clearance process is scheduled for completion by April 1 for the replacement of bridges on Clark Road [over Bayou Bourbeaux], Robeline-Provencal Road [over Coal Kiln Creek], and Good Hope Road [over an unnamed creek], following which the Parish will be responsible for obtaining the required rights-of-way for construction. As a requirement for the Parish's participation in the FBR program, 22 interim inspections of load-posted bridges throughout the Parish are required by April 30. Although many parishes hire consultants to perform these inspections, the ones in Natchitoches Parish will be performed by Parish staff under the direction of the Director of Public Works.

Chairman Rachal then recognizes Ms. Sharon Harris, OCS/Head Start Executive Director, she gave her reports:

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program(LIHEAP)

Provided utility assistance to 76 households totaling \$28,750.00

Food for Seniors which provided 40-pound box to individuals 60 years or older.

January: 209 individuals.

Next distribution date February 25, 2016

Commodity provided food items to:

December: 146 families.

Next distribution date February 25, 2016

HEADSTART:

August. Attendance 87.5%

September Attendance 86.33%

October Attendance 88.84%

November Attendance 88.90%
December Attendance 84.98%
January Attendance 86.62%

Head Start Announcements:

Head Start Environmental Health and Safety (EnvHS) Monitoring Review-week of 1/19-21/2016
Head Start Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS) Monitoring Review =week of 1/22/2016-1/24/2016
Policy Council Meeting will be held on March 8,2016 at 6:00pm @ MLK Center.
March 28-Aprill, 2016: Spring Break

CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM (CACFP):

- Number of days meals served-19
- Average Daily Participation (ADA)
- Meals: Breakfast-4,751-ADA =250
- Lunch 4,748-ADA=250
- Snack 4,748-ADA=250
- Total Reimbursement Request \$27,578.99

SENIOR COMPANION PROGRAM (SCP)

- 46 SCP volunteers
- 6,282.5 volunteer hours - \$16,648.62
- 5,778 miles
- 54 clients

Chairman Rachal then recognizes Ms. Debbie Miley, Parish Treasurer, Ms. Miley discussed her reports giving status updates on the 2016 Active Bookings for Inmates & Outstanding Coroners/Inmate Expenses.

Ms. Miley also went over the American Express Card purchases of Head Start, which will be attached with the minutes. and Fund 542 CCFP

Chairman Rachal then recognizes Parish President, Rick Nowlin who gave his report:

CAPITAL OUTLAY UPDATE:

The agenda for the State Bond Commission to be held on December 17 includes the approval of the granting of lines of credit for the following two Parish road projects and one OCS project.

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| Resurfacing of Roads in Payne Subdivision | \$515,000 |
| Resurfacing of Fish Hatchery Road | \$1,125,000 |
| OCS addition (COA project) | \$40,000 |

Payne Subdivision Roads project has already received \$500,000 in funding approval, making he total approved \$1,015,000. The Fish Hatchery Road project has already received \$125,000 in funding approval, making the total approved \$1,250,000. The new funding was authorized for the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 that begins on July 1, 2016.

OCS/HEAD START:

Head Start Director Search: The Director Search Committee has completed its interviews with the candidates for the position and has provided its recommendation to my office. On Tuesday, January 12, the HS Policy Council, in executive session, received a report from Ms. Sharon Harris regarding the director search process and the search committee's recommendation. The next step is to hold the review with the Parish Council at its meeting on February 16th. If the Parish Council agrees with the committee's and HS Policy Council actions, the Parish will provide HS Regional with a report describing the director search process and information on the applicant recommended by the Search Committee. Only after receiving the approval of HS Regional can the Parish extend an employment offer to the preferred candidate.

COURTHOUSE ELECTRICAL PROJECT:

At 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 10th, electrical service to the courthouse was shut down for the purpose of removing the temporary overhead service installed by the City and for the final connection of the new underground service installed by the project contractor, SunStream, Inc. In less than 3 hours, the connections were completed and the new service was energized.

Chairman Rachal stated the next item on the agenda was to go into an "Executive Session" to discuss information relative to possible legal action regarding certain employees of the Parish.

On motion by Councilman Chris Paige, duly seconded by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby open the "Executive Session".

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

On motion by Councilman Rodney Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Chris Paige, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session, does hereby close the "Executive Session".

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilman Rachal
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover

Motion Passed

Since there was no other business, the following action was taken:

On motion by Councilman Bedgood, duly seconded by Councilman Doug de Graffernied, that the Natchitoches Parish Council, in regular and legal session convened, does hereby adjourn until the next regular or called meeting of the Natchitoches Parish Council.

On a roll call vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Bedgood
Ayes: Councilman de Graffernied
Ayes: Councilwoman Hoover
Ayes: Councilman Paige
Ayes: Councilman Rachal

Motion Passed

Attest:

Russell Rachal, Chairman

Sheryl Frederick,
Council Clerk