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

TOWN OF WELSH WELSH, LOUISIANA JULY 6, 2021

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Welsh met in regular session at the Welsh Council Room on Tuesday, July 6, 2021, at 6:00 p.m.

Mayor Karl Arceneaux called the meeting to order and Mrs. Jackie Balmer delivered the invocation. Mr. Clint Hardy led the pledge.

Roll call follows:

Present: Mayor Karl Arceneaux; Aldermen: Andrea King, Ronnie Hayes, Lawrence Mier, Clint Hardy, Jackie Balmer.

Absent: None.

Others in attendance: Eva Kibodeaux, Town Clerk and Richard Arceneaux, Town Attorney.

141. It was moved by Mrs. Jackie Balmer, seconded by Mr. Ronnie Hayes to adopt the agenda of the day which consists of #149. Ronnie Hayes to discuss location of the old clinic and #150. David Gillett asking to lift open container for the Welsh Alumni Tournament.

Roll call vote:

Yeas: Andrea King, Ronnie Hayes, Lawrence Mier, Clint Hardy, Jackie Balmer

Nays: None Absent: None Abstaining: None

Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

- 142. It was moved by Ms. Andrea King, seconded by Mr. Lawrence Mier to approve the minutes of June 1 & 7, 2021 as presented. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.
- 143. The following resolution was offered by Mrs. Jackie Balmer, seconded by Mr. Clint Hardy.

RESOLUTION 009-2021

A resolution for the Town of Welsh to transfer funds from General Fund to Welsh Police Equipment and Maintenance bank account. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

- 144. It was moved by Mrs. Jackie Balmer, seconded by Mr. Ronnie Hayes to introduce Proposition No. 316 Ordinance No. 818 to increase garbage rates and set the public hearing on Tuesday, August 3, 2021. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.
- 145. There was no action taken on Dwayne Miller at 709 Martin Luther King.
- 146. There was no action taken on Roger & Peggy Lewis at 601 N. Polk. We are to send a letter to owners stating when the town is going to tear down the structure.
- 147. It was moved by Mr. Ronnie Hayes, seconded by Mr. Lawrence Mier to reappoint Debbie Zeno the Welsh Housing Authority Board. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.
- 148. It was moved by Mr. Ronnie Hayes, seconded by Mr. Lawrence Mier to appoint Robbie Vanicor as the new Recreation Director. Motion carried. Vote 4-0-1 abstain.
- 150. It was moved by Ms. Andrea King, seconded by Mr. Ronnie Hayes to lift the open container on July 16 & 17, 2021 for the Welsh Alumni Tournament. Motion carried. Vote 5-0.

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149. Alderman Ronnie Hayes brought up the possibility of the Town of Welsh purchasing the property located at 308 Palmer St. He stated he would make some phone calls to find out more information on how much they want for property and demolishing of the structure.

Robbie Vanicor, Recreation Director reported a few changes to make to the recreation program.

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

ATTEST:	APPROVAL:
EVA C. KIBODEAUX, TOWN CLERK	KARL ARCENEAUX, MAYOR