



The following minutes were taken at the regular meeting of the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen at 6pm on June 15, 2021, at the Town Hall in Abita Springs, Louisiana. Mayor Curtis called the meeting to order.

PUBLIC HEARING: Mayor Curtis opened discussion of Instrument 2021-003 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE #506 OF THE TOWN OF ABITA SPRINGS ADOPTING AN OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 01, 2020, AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020, ADJUSTMENT TO SECTIONS V., XI., AND XII. AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS. After a call for public comment Mr. Patterson moved to close the hearing, seconded by Mr. Murphy. All were in favor.

MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS: Mayor Curtis introduced Jim Tonglet of Ericksen Krentel CPAs and Consultants to present the results of the Town's audit. Mr. Tonglet reported that findings revealed that the Town was operating effectively and that there was no evidence of significant deficiencies.

ROLL CALL: Council Members Contois, Murphy, Patterson, Randolph and Saussy were present. Mr. Patterson moved to accept the May 18, 2021 meeting minutes seconded by Mr. Saussy. All were in favor. Mr. Patterson made a motion to accept the April 2021 financial report, seconded by Ms. Randolph. All were in favor.

OLD BUSINESS:

1.) Mr. Patterson made a motion to adopt INSTRUMENT 2021-003 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE #506 OF THE TOWN OF ABITA SPRINGS ADOPTING AN OPERATING BUDGET OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 01, 2020, AND ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020, ADJUSTMENT TO SECTIONS V., XI., AND XII. AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS, seconded by Ms. Contois. A roll call vote yielded the following results: Yeas: 5, Aldermen Contois, Murphy, Patterson, Randolph and Saussy, Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0.

NEW BUSINESS:

(1.) Mr. Patterson moved to introduce Instrument 2021-004 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ABITA SPRINGS CODE OF ORDINANCES TO AMEND AND REORDAIN SECTIONS 9-306 AND 9-802 RELATIVE TO HISTORIC DISTRICT JURISDICTION AND STANDARDS FOR PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENTS, AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS, seconded by Mr. Saussy. (2.) Ms. Contois moved to introduce Instrument 2021-005 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND REORDAIN SECTION 9-215 OF THE TOWN OF ABITA SPRINGS CODE OF ORDINANCES TO CREATE A LOW-DENSITY RESIDENTIAL ZONING CLASSIFICATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS, seconded by Mr. Patterson. (3.) Mr. Patterson moved to adopt a RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMAN OF THE TOWN OF ABITA SPRINGS INFORMING THE LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY OF ACTIONS TAKEN AS OUTLINED IN THE MUNICIPAL WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION REPORT (MWPP) AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS, seconded by Mr. Saussy. The vote was: Yeas: 5, Aldermen Contois, Murphy, Patterson, Randolph and Saussy, Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0. (4.) *"Item #4 was removed from the agenda."* (5.) The RESOLUTION LEVYING THE ADJUSTED MAXIMUM MILLAGES ON THE 2021 TAX ROLL ON ALL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION BY THE TOWN OF ABITA SPRINGS was read aloud by Mayor Curtis. Mr. Saussy made a motion to adopt the resolution to levy the following millages on the 2021 Abita Springs tax roll: General



Alimony at 7.420 mills, Parks & Playgrounds & Streetlights at 2.830 mills, Water, Sewer, & Street Bonds at 5.00 mills. The motion was seconded by Ms. Contois. After a call for public comment, there was a roll call vote resulting in the following: Yeas: 5, Aldermen Contois, Murphy, Patterson, Randolph and Saussy, Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0. (6.) Mr. Saussy moved to adopt a RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF ABITA SPRINGS SELECTING THE ST TAMMANY FARMER AS THE TOWN'S OFFICIAL JOURNAL, seconded by Mr. Patterson. The vote was: Yeas: 5, Aldermen Contois, Murphy, Patterson, Randolph and Saussy, Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0.

Mr. Patterson moved to adjourn the Town Council Meeting, seconded by Mr. Saussy.

MEETING ADJOURNED
RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED THIS 15th DAY OF JUNE 2021.

Janet Dufrene, Town Clerk

Honorable Daniel J. Curtis, Mayor