

**MINUTES  
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING  
TOWN OF KINDER, LOUISIANA**

February 4, 2019

The Notice of Meeting/Agenda having been duly posted in accordance with requirements, and a quorum being present, the meeting was called to order by Mayor Wayland LaFargue at 6:00 PM.

**Mayor, Council and Staff Present:**

Wayland LaFargue, Mayor  
LaToya Tunwar, Councilwoman Dist.1  
Maria DeWees, Councilwoman Dist. 2  
Christopher Fontenot, Councilman Dist. 3  
Angie Van Norman, Councilwoman Dist.4  
C.J. Fontenot, Councilman At Large  
Traci Fontenot, Town Clerk  
Paul Courville, Chief of Police  
Michael Holmes, Town Attorney  
Wesley Miller, Pan American Engineers

**Council and Staff Absent:**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Mayor LaFargue asked council to consider approving the minutes for the regular council meeting of January 7, 2019.

**Motion:** To dispense with the reading of and approve the minutes for the regular council meeting of January 7, 2019.  
**Made by:** Councilman CJ Fontenot  
**Second:** Councilwoman Van Norman  
**Vote:** 5-0, passed.

**MAYOR'S REPORT**

Mayor LaFargue asked the council to consider a resolution to appoint a director and alternate for the Louisiana Municipal Gas Authority (LMGA) Board of Directors for the new term. After some discussion, a motion was made.

**Motion:** To adopt Resolution No. 2019-02, appointing Mayor LaFargue as Director and Town Clerk, Traci Fontenot as alternate for the LMGA Board of Directors.  
**Made by:** Councilman Christopher Fontenot  
**Second:** Councilman C.J. Fontenot  
**Vote:** 5-0, passed.

**CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT**

Chief Paul Courville reported on the calls and activity for the month.

## **COUNCIL REPORT**

Councilwoman Tunwar read a statement in regard to the Southwest Allen Parish Water District water rate increase that was discussed at the January 7, 2019 meeting. She asked that the statement be included in the minutes.

The Southwest Allen Parish Water District guarantees that we will benefit from this raise. As stated on their proposal with the increase amount of \$1.40 every 2000 and \$.70 per 1000 after that. "This upgrade will remedy current disinfection Byproduct compliance as well as improve water volume and pressure throughout the entire system." "Our primary goal is to provide safe, pleasant, and adequate water for all of our customers and ask that you please have patience during this construction process."

## **TOWN CLERK REPORT**

Town Clerk, Traci Fontenot reported that income statements with monthly budget-to-actual comparisons are included in the mayor and council packets.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

**Motion:** To adjourn.  
**Made by:** Councilman CJ Fontenot  
**Second:** Councilwoman DeWees  
**Vote:** 5-0, passed.

## **Adjournment**

/s/Wayland LaFargue, Mayor

/s/Traci B. Fontenot, Town Clerk