

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

September 5, 2023

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 5:30 p.m.

Mayor, Council and Staff Present:

Wayland LaFargue, Mayor
LaToya Tunwar, Councilwoman Dist.1
Maria DeWees, Councilwoman Dist. 2
Jerry Nevils, Jr., Councilman Dist. 3
Angie Van Norman, Councilwoman Dist.4
Susanne Sonnier, Councilwoman at Large
Paul Courville, Chief of Police
Michael Holmes, Town Attorney
Traci Fontenot, Town Clerk
Eric Fontenot, Public Works Superintendent
Wesley Miller, Pan American Engineers

Council and Staff Absent:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mayor LaFargue asked the council to consider approving the minutes for the regular council meeting of August 7, 2023.

Motion: To dispense with the reading of the minutes from August 7, 2023, and approve them as distributed.
Made by: Councilwoman Tunwar
Second: Councilwoman Sonnier
Vote: 5-0, passed.

MAYOR REPORT

Mayor LaFargue asked Eric Fontenot to give an update on current public works projects.

CHIEF OF POLICE REPORT

Chief Courville gave an update on calls and reports for the month of August.

ENGINEER REPORT

Wesley Miller asked the council to consider adopting three resolutions. He reported that two were in regard to the FY 2024 LCDBG application and one was relative to the Louisiana Watershed Initiative grant for drainage improvements in Nixon Addition. After some discussion, three motions were made and voted on.

Motion: To adopt Resolution No. 2023-07 relative to payment of engineering fees for the FY 2024 LCDBG grant.
Made by: Councilwoman Tunwar
Second: Councilman Nevils
Vote: 5-0, passed.

Motion: To adopt Resolution No. 2023-08 relative to payment of grant administration fees for the FY 2024 LCDBG grant.

Made by: Councilman Nevils

Second: Councilwoman Tunwar

Vote: 5-0, passed.

Motion: To adopt Resolution No. 2023-09 adopting CDBG-DRU Policies and Procedures relative to the LWI Nixon Addition Drainage Improvements Project.

Made by: Councilwoman Tunwar

Second: Councilwoman Van Norman

Vote: 5-0, passed.

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

Motion: To adjourn.

Made by: Councilwoman Tunwar

Second: Councilwoman Sonnier

Vote: 5-0, passed.

Adjournment

/s/Wayland LaFargue, Mayor

/s/Traci B. Fontenot, Town Clerk