

Village of Moreauville  
Town Council Meeting  
October 14, 2024

On Monday October 14, 2024, the Mayor and Board of Alderman met in regular session at the Moreauville Town Hall at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Beryl Holmes, Mayor

Alderman Farrell Johnson

Alderman Timothy Hill

Alderman Shannon Sampson

The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mayor Holmes. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve September 09, 2024, minutes as printed. M/C

Motion by Farrell Johnson, seconded by Timothy Hill to approve the September 2024 bills for payment. M/C

Spencer Gauthier of Delta Engineering Group addressed the Mayor and council for approval to submit on behalf of the Village of Moreauville a capital outlay for gas main valve replacement and installs. The project will consist of replacing 6 existing isolation valves and installation of one (1) new isolation valve near the LA Hwy-1 and Couvillion Street intersection. The total estimate project cost is \$220,000. The capital outlay program requires a 25% local match. Spencer also gave an update on the 2023-2024 LGAP letter for renovation for the second floor of the Moreauville Town Hall, and the completion of the renovations to the town hall office.

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Timothy Hill to approve Delta Engineering Group to submit a 2024-2025 Capital Outlay application on behalf of the Village of Moreauville for gas main valve replacements and installs near the Hwy-1 and Couvillion Street Intersection. M/C

Jacob Gauthier of Pan American Engineers addressed the Mayor and council on the FY 2024/2025 LCDBG Clearance Program. The Village of Moreauville is eligible for up to \$250,000 in grant money for clearance and demolition of blighted properties. The minimum grant award is \$150,000. Applications for this program are due on December 16, 2024.

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve the intergovernmental agreement with the Village of Moreauville and the Avoyelles Parish Sheriff Office for collection of ad valorem (property tax). M/C

Motion by Farrell Johnson, seconded by Shannon Sampson to approve the police department to provide security for the Sacred Heart Fair held on October 19<sup>th</sup> and October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024 M/C

Mayor Holmes and the council have selected Mrs. Peggy Joshua as the Grand Marshall for this year's Christmas festival.

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve hiring of full-time police officer Craig Lee at \$17.00 per hour. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to table police citations increase until next month's meeting. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to accept the September 2024 police report given by police clerk, Sandra Lemoine. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to accept the September 2024 Financial Report. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to enter executive session. M/C

Motion by Farrell Johnson, seconded by Shannon Sampson to return to regular meeting. M/C

Having no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned upon a motion by Farrell Johnson and seconded by Shannon Sampson. M/C

S/Benita Augustine, Town Clerk



Beryl Holmes, Mayor

Village of Moreauville  
Town Council Meeting  
November 11, 2024

On Monday November 11, 2024, the Mayor and Board of Alderman met in regular session at the Moreauville Town Hall at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Beryl Holmes, Mayor

Alderman Farrell Johnson

Alderman Timothy Hill

Alderman Shannon Sampson

The meeting opened with a prayer led by Reginald Ducote. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Motion by Farrell Johnson, seconded by Shannon Sampson to approve October 14, 2024, minutes as printed. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve the October 2024 bills for payment. M/C

Tom David of Pan American Engineers updated Mayor Holmes and council of the Community Block grant for the sewer plant project. Mr. David also informed the mayor and council of the Water Sector Program for the sewer collection system, local match requirement but can request a waiver from the state, deadline to submit is December 2024.

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Timothy Hill to add the Resolution for Water System Improvement to the Agenda. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve Pan American Engineers to submit an application for the Village of Moreauville for the Water Sector Program and request a waiver for the local match requirement. M/C

Jacob Guillory of Delta Group LLC updated the Mayor and council of the FY 2023/2024 LGAP grant for the town hall attic renovations, additional office improvements, and the FY 2023/2024 CWEP grant for additional improvements on Couvillion Street and South Bayou Des Glaises, and the closeout of the office renovation grant.

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Farrell to adopt the FY 2024/2025 Community Water Enrichment Fund Resolution. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Timothy Hill to table the FY 2024/2025 Local Government Assistance Program Resolution. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to add the police citation increases to the agenda. M/C

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Shannon Sampson to approve the increase to the police citations that were implemented in July 2024. M/C

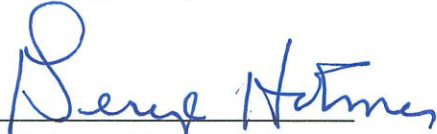
Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve the Avoyelles High School girls track to hold a roadblock on February 01, 2025. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to accept the October 2024 police report given by police Chief, Nicholas Ducote. M/C

Motion by Farrell Johnson, seconded by Timothy Hill to accept the October 2024 Financial Report. M/C

Having no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned upon a motion by Shannon Sampson and seconded by Farrell Johnson. M/C

S/Benita Augustine, Town Clerk

  
Beryl Holmes, Mayor

Village of Moreauville  
Town Council Meeting  
December 09, 2024

On Monday December 09, 2024, the Mayor and Board of Alderman met in regular session at the Moreauville Town Hall at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Beryl Holmes, Mayor

Alderman Farrell Johnson

Alderman Timothy Hill

Alderman Shannon Sampson

The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mayor Holmes. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Motion by Farrell Johnson, seconded by Shannon Sampson to approve November 11, 2024, minutes as printed. M/C

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Shannon Sampson to approve the November 2024 bills for payment. M/C

Douglas Burke, auditor for Kolder, Slaven and Company updated Mayor Holmes and council of the 2023/2024 Audit Report for the Village of Moreauville. The audit was given a clean opinion and Mr. Burke addressed four findings from the audit. The findings were discussed and cleared. Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Timothy Hill to accept the 2023/2024 Audit exit report. M/C

Tom David of Pan American Engineers reported on the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LDEQ) commitment letter for \$2,300,000. \$1,300,000 low interest loan and 1,000,000 principle forgiveness. Pan American Engineers request that the Village of Moreauville adopt a Resolution to allow PAE to submit a CWSRF application and implement the subsequent project. Jacob Guillory of Delta Group LLC request of the Mayor and council to adopt a Resolution to allow Delta Group to submit an Year 2024/2025 Local Government Assistance Program (LGAP) application to the State of Louisiana of Administration Office of Community Development for Security Cameras throughout the Village of Moreauville.

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Farrell Johnson to adopt a Resolution to authorize the Mayor to work with Pan American Engineers, LLC on the development of the Clean Water State Revolving Fund Application and subsequent implementation of the project for improvements to the Wastewater System. M/C

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Shannon Sampson to adopt a Resolution to allow Delta Group to submit an FY 2024/2025 LGAP application for security cameras throughout the Village of Moreauville. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to approve the Employees Holiday Calendar for 2025. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to add Suit 2010-5141-A to the agenda. M/C

Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to pay the court cost to the Avoyelles Clerk of Court for Suit 2010-5141-A in the amount of \$1,123.14. M/C

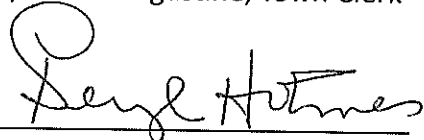
Motion by Shannon Sampson, seconded by Farrell Johnson to accept the November 2024 police report given by police officer Torrick Friels. M/C

Motion by Timothy Hill, seconded by Farrell Johnson to accept the November 2024 Financial Report. M/C

Mayor Holmes Congratulated Melissa Alexander for job well done in organizing the 2024 Christmas Festival.

Having no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned upon a motion by Shannon Sampson and seconded by Farrell Johnson. M/C

S/Benita Augustine, Town Clerk



Beryl Holmes, Mayor