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Elizabeth Jeter, Mayor
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VILLAGE OF FOREST HILL, LOUISIANA
Public Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen
April 10, 2018

MEETING MINUTES


On April 10, 2018 at 6:00 p.m., Mayor Pro Tem Jerriot Robinson, and the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Forest Hill, Louisiana conducted a regular meeting at the Forest Hill Town Hall, 138 Blue Lake Rd, Municipal Complex Room # 2, Forest Hill, Louisiana 71430.

1. Mayor Pro Tem Robinson called the meeting to order.
2. Roll call was as follows:
Present: Mayor Pro Tem Robinson, and Alderpersons Cloud and Danzy.
Also present at the meeting: Police Chief Garland Carroll; Gregory Jones, attorney;
Jason Murphy, Engineer and members of the public. Absent: Mayor Jeter.
3. Sam Echols led the invocation.
4. Jason Murphy led the pledge of allegiance.
5. Mayor Pro Tem Robinson welcomed everyone to the regular meeting.
6. Public comments were heard.
7. A motion to adopt minutes of March 13, 2018 meeting as published was made by Alderperson Cloud, second by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried.
8. A motion to adopt the financial statement as presented was made by Alderperson Danzy, second by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried.
9. A motion to allow the clerk to pay monthly bills was made by Alderperson Cloud, and second by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried.
10. Unfinished business: Proposal to sell packaged beer or possible de-annexation of Wag A Bag was presented. Petition received. Matter tabled pending further review/action to be taken.
11. New Business:
 - a. Fair Housing Proclamation explained by Attorney, Greg Jones. Motion to approve made by Alderperson Cloud; second by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried.
 - b. Commendatory Resolution 2018-04 for Nancy Rials for 45 years of dedication to students in Forest Hill and Rapides Parish was ready by Mayor Pro Tem Robinson. Motion made by Alderperson Danzy; second by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried.

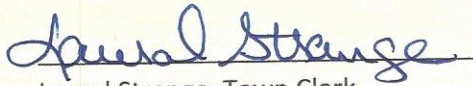
The Village of Forest Hill is an equal opportunity provider.

- c. Attorney Jones asked that item be added to agenda: Motion to add item made by Alderperson Cloud; second by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried. Mr. Jones explained Ordinance 2018-02 Establishing Simple Possession of Marijuana as a Crime within the Village of Forest Hill, per LSA-R.S. 40:966. Motion to add, establish and introduce Ordinance for publication and scheduled for Public Hearing at 5:45pm on May 8, 2018, made by Alderperson Danzy; seconded by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried
12. The Mayor and Board heard the monthly Police Report. There were reports of 1 2nd degree battery; 1 trespassing; 1 disturbing the peach ; 4 sig 20 and 8 public service calls.
13. Utility Report: None
14. Engineer's Report – presented.
15. Attorney Report – None.
16. Fire Report – Everything going well; several new members to Fire District 17. Training and preparation for PIL rating on May 10,2018.

With no further business, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Alderperson Cloud, second by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned.


Jerriot Robinson, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:


Laural Strange, Town Clerk

Ordinance 2018-02 Establishing The Simple Possession of Marijuana As A Crime Within The Village of Forest Hill. Public Hearing to be held at 5:45pm May 8, 2015 at 5:45p.m. @ Municipal Complex, Room #2, 138 Blue Lake Rd., Forest Hill, LA 71430