October 21, 2013

Town of Golden Meadow 107 Jervis Drive Golden Meadow, LA 70357

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Golden Meadow met for their regular scheduled meeting on Wednesday, October 21, 2013 at 7:00 P.M., at the Town Hall, 107 Jervis Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357.

Those present were: Mayor Joey Bouziga

Councilman David Adams
Councilman Jody Cheramie
Councilman Lindberg Lorraine
Councilman Priscilla Mounic
Councilman Willis Toups

Those absent: None

Others attending were Trixie Allemand, Bryce Autin, Kenneth Cheramie, Sgt. Charles Findley, Cassandra Hubble, Amy Martinez, Chief Reggie Pitre, John Plaisance, Lloyd Ledet and Greg Terry.

Mayor Joey Bouziga called this meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving the minutes from the previous meetings held on October 4 and October 7, 2013. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and Councilman Jody Cheramie led everyone in prayer.

Chief Reggie Pitre requested adding Reserve Officer to the agenda. Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments. No audience comments were presented. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman David Adams seconded approving Chief Reggie Pitre adds the aforesaid to the agenda. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Chief Reggie Pitre requested to except Greg Terry as a Reserve Officer for an intermediate position. Councilman Lindberg Lorraine presented the motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving Greg Terry as a Reserve Officer. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Willis Toups requested adding street tree trimming to the agenda. Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments. No audience comments were presented. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving Councilman Willis Toups adds the aforesaid to the agenda. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Willis Toups discussed trees that need to be trimmed due to school buses hitting them. Mayor Bouziga stated the town crew trims the trees when a complaint is forwarded to the office and that the crew had trimmed them last week.

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Councilman Lindberg Lorraine asked about the sewer project in reference to them dressing up the properties. Engineer John Plaisance stated some work has been done and he would review the remaining work. Councilman Lindberg Lorraine requested the status on Mr. Guill Callais sewer be discussed at the next meeting. Councilman Lindberg Lorraine motioned and Councilman David Adams seconded approving Mr. Guill Callais sewer be discussed at the next meeting. The Councilman unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving to have a discussion of property owned by Mark Boudreaux and right of way to relocate power due to street program moved to the front of the agenda. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga discussed with the Council he had spoken to Mark Boudreaux about the relocation of a power pole connected to Mr. Boudreaux's property and is in agreement of what needs to be done and will fill out an agreement form. Mayor Bouziga thanked Amy Martinez for all her help and service to the town. Councilman Priscilla Mounic presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving Mr. Boudreaux to fill out a right of way request form. The Councilman unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested a report from the Board of Adjustments meeting held earlier in the evening for a Building Permit submitted by Rusty Boudreaux for a home extension. Mr. Boudreaux's request is for the purchase of 16 feet of property. The Board of adjustments recommended approving only when the pending act of the sale of the property takes place. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving the recommendation of the Board of Adjustments. Councilman David Adams abstained. The rest of the Council approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded approving an Occupational License for Crosby Bed & Breakfast located at 2514 South Bayou Drive owned by Paddy Crosby. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the clean-up report as follows:

- Chad Duet 119 Jefferson Street continues to clean his property
- John Parker, Jr. South Bayou Drive (Old Two Sisters) issue a court date to appear in court
- Joshua Dismukes 103 Verret Street Cassandra Hubble stated they are in the processing of cleaning and was given an extension till the next meeting
- Athanase Borne C/O Irvin Cheramie 130 Pelican Lane issue a court date to appear in court
- Dinah Stallings 508 South Bayou Drive Mayor Joey Bouziga spoke to Ms. Stallings and she is in the process of cleaning up.

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Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the dangerous building report as follows:

- Louis Adam Griffin C/O Jerry Griffin 143 Griffin Lane aquiring quotes for demolition.
- Scottie Triche 120 Meadow Lane Mayor Joey Bouziga briefly discussed this property. Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving to aquire quotes for demolition. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- Adval, Inc. 133 Meadow Lane acquiring quotes for demolition
- Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office located on Pelican Lane. Information regarding the property is being gathered.

Town Engineer John Plaisance presented the project updates as follows:

- Sewer Phase III approved substantial completion.
- Sewer Phase IV should be ready in about a month for advertisement.
- Sewer Phase V in process applying for grant.
- Seawall Phase II under construction.
- Seawall Phase III will begin after repairs to Seawall Phase I are completed.
- Oakridge Park Waterlines Phase I & II are completed other than property dressing which has not been done by the contractor. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving to hire heavy equipment to finish this job and bill the contractor. The Council unanimously approved this motion as presented.
- Oakridge Park Waterline Phase III is progressing.
- Frank's Supermarket turnaround is delayed due to Bonding Commission approval.
- Basketball Pavilion should be approved at next Lafourche Parish Council meeting work should begin in the next few weeks.
- Fueling Station final package being put together.
- Golden Meadow Town Hall Improvements (Maintenance Building) is in the planning stages.
- Street Resurfacing Project work will begin Oct. 28th

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving to adopt an Ordinance for providing for enforcement of certain violations by a photographic vehicle speed enforcement system and providing for civil penalties for those certain traffic violations enforced by a photographic vehicle speed enforcement system. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving a Public Hearing to be held on Monday, November 4, 2013 at 6:30 P.M. to obtain comments and questions regarding the 2010 LCDBG Program for Sewer Phase III. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

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Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving a Loud Music Permit for Barrios Seafood for October 25, 2013 10:00 P.M TO 12:00 P.M. not 2:00 A.M. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments.

Mr. Greg Terry requested to use the Park Pavilion for a Marine Corps Toy Drive. Mayor Joey Bouziga stated to check with the office staff for an available date.

Chief Reggie Pitre informed the Mayor and the Council that he was recently appointed to represent District 3 on the executive board of Louisiana Association of Chiefs of Police. Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council congratulated Chief Reggie Pitre.

With no further business to discuss, Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving this meeting adjourn at 7:33 P.M. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

	MAYOR JOEY BOUZIGA
ATTESTED:	
TRIXIE ALIEMAND, ASST. TOWN CLERK	