June 7, 2021

## 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 Monday, June 7, 2021 at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Hall, 107 Jervis Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357.

Those present were: Mayor Joey Bouziga

Councilman Mike Billiot Councilman Laci Latiolais Councilman Kip Plaisance Councilman Willis Toups

Those absent were: Councilman Jody Cheramie

Others attending were Chief Troy Dufrene, Oscar Ray Dufrene, Salvador Gonzalez, Jr., Bradley Landry, Jamie Liner, Daniel Lorraine, Roxxy Pitre, Rose Plaisance, McNeely Rome, Carroll Terrebonne, Rachel Trahan and Kyle Williams.

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

Mayor Joey Bouziga instructed everyone to refrain from cell phone use until the meeting adjourns.

Councilman Willis Toups led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and Councilman Laci Latiolais led everyone in prayer.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded approving the minutes of the regular meeting held on Monday, May 17, 2021 and the special meeting held on Monday, May 24, 2021. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the Building Permits as follows:

- Rose Plaisance- Chairman McNeely Rome of the Planning and Zoning Committee advised the Council a rear yard variance was approved from 25 ft. to 5 ft. Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion approving Rose Plaisance a rear yard variance from 25 ft. to 5 ft. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- Morris Hunter- Chairman McNeely Rome of the Planning and Zoning Committee advised the Council the Final Map was approved for the Morris Hunter RV Park. Councilman Mike Billiot presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion approving the Final Map for the Morris Hunter RV Park. Voting was as follows yeas: 4; nays: 0; abstained: 0.

Mayor Joey Bouziga stated no Occupational Licenses were submitted for approval.

Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the project status report on behalf of Town Engineer John Plaisance, status report as follows:

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- Sewer Phase IV- Manhole covers were ordered but don't have a date of when they will be in.
- Sewer Phase VII- Councilman Willis Toups and Councilman Laci Latiolais seconded adopting a resolution authorizing Mayor Joey Bouziga to execute a contract agreement with the state of Louisiana, Division of Administration, Office of Community Development, for a FY 2021 Community Development Block Grant. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Mike Billiot presented a motion and Councilman Laci Latiolais seconded approving to open a checking account for Sewer Phase VII. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Kip Plaisance presented a motion and Councilman Mike Billiot seconded to move forward with a Public Hearing for the sewer complaint at 505-C North Bayou Drive. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Town Clerk Jamie Liner notified the Council about an issue she had with a worker from Board of Health, Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council he will contact the Parish President in regards to this issue.

Chief Troy Dufrene informed Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council of the police stats for May 2021.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council that we're still awaiting the appraisal of the Civil Defense Building.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council that the Dolphin Marine Building will be torn down.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council he has nothing to report on Mr. Irvin "White" Cheramie's property.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council that Mr. Richard Olivier the owner of the property at 142 Malgum Lane will appear at the next Town Meeting on June 21, 2021.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council 122 Delgrandile Lane is acquiring quotes to demolish the building.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested the status on abandoned vehicles. Chief Troy Dufrene advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council he's still working on it.

Chief Troy Dufrene informed the Council that the RV located on LA 1 near Rosa Drive has valid insurance and registration.

Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to send a condemnation letter to Sadie Plaisance. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

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Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council no action can be taken on the John Parker property until the junk yard Ordinance is approved.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion approving to close the Seawall Project checking account. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Laci Latiolas requested adding to the agenda in reference to a vehicle parking half way on Wilfred Duet Street at a rental property and Councilman Mike Billiot seconded. Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments or questions in opposition to adding the aforesaid to the agenda. Chief troy Dufrene will have the Police Department handle it. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Laci Latiolais requested adding to the agenda the opening of the Golden Meadow swimming pool and Councilman Mike Billiot seconded the motion. Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments or questions in opposition to adding the aforesaid to the agenda. Councilman Laci Latiolais advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Town Council she's trying to get the pool open, as of now, she don't have enough lifeguards on the schedule to open. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments.

Bradley Landry informed the Council at the first trailer on the right side of Louviere Lane there is a shed that the tin is flying. Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded approving to send a letter to the property owner in reference to this complaint. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Carroll Terrebonne requested the status on the road work on LA. 1 near Washington Street. Mayor Bouziga informed Mr. Terrebonne it's a DOTD project.

Oscar Ray Dufrene informed the Council of Lincoln Martin's house being a dangerous building. Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded to send out an inspector. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Willis Toups thanked Salvador Gonzalez, Jr. for putting up the American flags.

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**ADMINISTRATIVE ASST. TO THE MAYOR** 

With no further business to discuss Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded adjourning this meeting at 7:26 P.M. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

	MAYOR JOEY BOUZIGA	
ATTESTED:		
AMIE LINER, TOWN CLERK	_	