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

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Golden Meadow met for their regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, May 1, 2023 at 7:00 P.M., at the Golden Meadow Town Hall, 107 Jervis Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357.

Those present were: Mayor Joey Bouziga

Councilman Jody Cheramie Councilman Laci Latiolais Councilman Kip Plaisance Councilman Willis Toups

Those absent were: Councilman Mike Billiot

Others attending were: Bryce Autin, Charles Bertrand, Stephanie Bollinger, Ulyess Boudreaux, Jake Cheramie, Jason Cheramie, Archie Chiasson, Tracee Cloutier, Wilbur Cloutier, Cullen Curole, Devin Dedon, Troy Dufrene, Stephanie Griffin, Morris Hunter, Lloyd Ledet, Daniel Lorraine, Patricia Louviere, Stella Mobley, Jody Pitre, John Plaisance, Rachel Robichaux, McNeely Rome, Laura Sanders, Marlene Sunday, William Sunday, and Farrell Trahan.

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 and asked that everyone sign the sign-in sheet.

Councilman Willis Toups led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and Morris Hunter led everyone in prayer.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion approving the minutes of the Public Meeting held on April 17, 2023 as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

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Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to advance Laura Sanders, Library Representative, to the beginning of the meeting as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga advised Library Representative Laura Sanders that a citizen asked for them to come and give us a report. Ms. Sanders advised Mayor Bouziga and the Council that unfortunately she did not have a lot of news to give us at this time. Ms. Sanders stated they are still waiting on insurance proceeds and to date, they have only received \$642,000 for South Lafourche and it was insured for \$6,500,000. The Golden Meadow Library was insured for \$650,000 and they haven't received any insurance proceeds for it yet. At this time, there have been no decisions made about the Golden Meadow Library because they don't know what kind of money they have to work with. Ms. Sanders thanked Mayor Bouziga for allowing them to set up the Library-2-Geaux on Thursday afternoons. Ms. Sanders hopes to increase it to 2 days a week during the summer. She knows it's not a permanent fix, but right now it's the best she can do. Mayor Bouziga asked how it was working out and if people were coming to the Library-2-Geaux on Thursdays. Ms. Sanders said it was working out great-they had 453 people on Tuesdays and Thursdays come to the Cut Off Youth Center and Golden Meadow Town Hall for the month of April. Ms. Sanders stated they will continue to come and bring new materials and if it is not something they have that day, but it is in their system, they will bring it the next time they come. They are not charging any late fines to Golden Meadow patrons. Councilman Willis Toups asked what the holdup on the insurance was. Ms. Sanders stated that even though they purchased all of the library buildings, they are owned by the parish. The parish are the ones that hold the insurance and are working on their behalf to collect the library's proceeds. Lafourche Parish President Archie Chiasson stated they got about a \$14,000,000 payment out of the insurance after the deductible. He said they started sending them supplementals and the parish started to bid out projects for roofs on some of their buildings; and then the insurance quit talking to them. Lafourche Parish President Chiasson stated that they went into executive session a couple of months ago and the Lafourche Parish Council authorized them to start the suing process. They hired Peter Connick and his law firm out of New Orleans to represent them. Lafourche Parish President Chiasson stated hopefully they will avoid an actual lawsuit. Councilman Jody Cheramie stated our goal was to get a library back. Ms. Sanders stated that decision still hasn't been made and she wished she had new information, but she does not. Mayor Bouziga stated that we a share a building with our senior citizens at Oakridge Park and we can maybe look into using their building some afternoons. Councilman Laci Latiolais asked if the plan was to bring another library here. Ms. Sanders said it's the plan, but she can't promise anything because she just doesn't know. Lafourche Parish President Chiasson stated if the insurance proceeds come in and we get the \$650,000, then we will look at something that we can bring back. He said if they don't get the full amount back, they have to look at making that money up somewhere else. Councilman Latiolais stated the community used the library and Councilman Cheramie said to keep in mind that we pay that tax too. Assistant Town Clerk Rachel Robichaux asked when the library board meetings are. Ms. Sanders stated they are quarterly and the dates can be found on their website at lafourche.org. Town Citizen Jason Cheramie stated he is the one that requested someone to come talk to us about a library and he just doesn't want the kids to be left behind. Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to approve Mayor Joey Bouziga to work with Laura Sanders and the Council on Aging about plans for the Golden Meadow Library-2-Geaux as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to revert back to the beginning of the agenda as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga had Board of Adjustments Chairman McNeely Rome present the Building Permits discussed at the 5/1/2023 Hearing:

- Variance Request-Jazlyn Lafont/Stephanie Griffin, 2213 North Bayou Drive-Chairman Rome advised Mayor Bouziga and the Council that at the 4/17/2023 meeting, they approved for Stephanie Griffin to move her building 6 feet away from the fence. He explained the building has been moved towards the east and not to the north of the fence. Chairman Rome and the Board recommends that she has to move the building 3 feet from the fence without electricity and 5 feet from the fence with electricity. Stephanie Griffin advised Mayor Bouziga and the Council that she was under the impression she had to move her shop 5 feet away from Nathan's house because it was a fire hazard. Town Attorney Bryce Autin recommends deferring this until the next meeting so he can do more research. Councilman Kip Plaisance presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to defer 2213 North Bayou Drive until the next meeting as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: Councilman Willis Toups; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.
- Variance Request-Ernie Planck, 801 North Bayou Drive-Chairman Rome advised Mayor Bouziga and the Council that Mr. Planck is requesting a variance from 30 inches to 48 inches for the entire length of his fence and he wants to put a rope fence. Chairman Rome stated the Board recommends approving the variance.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to take the recommendation from the committee and grant the variance as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

- Variance Request-Ulysess Boudreaux, 142 Andre Lane-Chairman Rome advised Mayor Bouziga and the Council that Mr. Boudreaux is requesting a side yard variance from 10 feet to 1 foot to place a shed. Chairman Rome stated the Board recommends approving the variance and that the shed should be placed no less than 5 feet from Mr. Boudreaux's Son's apartment. Councilman Kip Plaisance presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to take the recommendation from the committee and grant the variance as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.
- Variance Request-Perry Adams, 181 Bob's Lane- Chairman Rome advised Mayor Bouziga and the Council that Mr. Adams is requesting to be able to place a mobile home in an R-1 zone from 25 feet to 21 feet rear yard variance. Chairman Rome recommends deferring the variance until the property line is settled. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to take the recommendation from the committee and defer 181 Bob's Lane until the property line is settled as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

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

Town Engineer John Plaisance presented the project status report as follows:

• North Sewer Plant Upgrades-Consider rejecting the bid and re-advertising. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to reject the bid received as it didn't include the proper paperwork as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

- Sewer Phase VII LCDBG-awaiting servitude acquisition and subsequent advertising.
- Mitigation Project (Seawall)-approved by the State and awaiting Federal approval.
- LGAP Grant application (Police Unit)-under review.
- Infrastructure Grant applications (Sewer)-under review.
- Clean Water State Revolving Fund (Sewer)-awaiting information.

Town Attorney Bryce Autin's Attorney Report:

• Discuss GM Ordinance No. 437 regarding payment of health insurance premiums for certain retirees-Town Attorney Autin stated that Ordinance 437 states that once someone retires, the Town will continue paying the same portion of insurance premiums that they paid while the person was employed with the town up to age 65. There is another provision in there that it only applies to Town employees with 20 years of service, including 4 years of service as Chief of Police. Town Attorney Autin stated that the Council will need to decide if they want to remove the years of service requirement in that ordinance. Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to have a public hearing on June 5th to discuss removing the 20 year requirement as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Chief Troy Dufrene's Police Business:

- February Police Department Stats
 - o 1,059 calls for service
 - o 366 violations
 - o 269 cases
 - o 3 arrests
- March Police Department Stats
 - o 998 calls for service
 - o 232 violations
 - o 200 cases
 - o 5 arrests
- April Police Department Stats
 - o 511 calls for service
 - o 141 violations
 - 120 cases
 - o 1 arrest

- School Crossing Guard-Chief Dufrene spoke to the School Resource Officer to see if people complained that we did not have one at the schools. The SRO stated that no one has complained about not having a school crossing guard. He also spoke to the principals and some of the parents and there were no complaints. Chief Dufrene spoke to the bus drivers who stated they prefer not to have a crossing guard because it causes problems. Chief Dufrene's opinion is that a school crossing guard is not needed, because he does not know where they would put them. Mayor Joey Bouziga believes we need a school crossing guard. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to have the Golden Meadow Police Department help with directing traffic by the schools as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- Report on Speed Humps for Cheramie Ln, Washington St, and Dursette St- should be completed this week, so Chief Dufrene should have the results for the next meeting.
- Chief Dufrene stated he called American Gas to come pick up the propane bottles at the old Dollar General.

1504 South Bayou Drive (John Parker)-condemnation hearing is scheduled for 5/15/2023.

Report on Hurricane Ida repairs-Oakridge Park, Pump Station, Streets, Lift Station, and FEMA report-Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council that everything at the park has been completed. Mayor Bouziga stated that the canopy was put over the pumps at the pumping station, a new roof was put over the building, and they are in the process of cleaning and painting it. Mayor Bouziga stated that he would like to have an air conditioner/heater installed at the pump house. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to install an air conditioner/heater at the pump house as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot. Mayor Joey Bouziga and Town Foreman Salvador Gonzalez Jr. got a quote to change the Senior Citizen roof out for around \$26,000. Mayor Bouziga is asking for the Council to approve a new roof for the Senior Citizen's building using the Lafourche Parish Hurricane Ida Recovery Grant money. Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to change the roof on the Senior Citizen building as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike

Billiot. Mayor Bouziga advised the Council that their last phone meeting with FEMA went well.

Kyle Williams-proposal for future plans of the Ceramic Shop-Kyle Williams had to work tonight, so he couldn't be here for the town meeting.

162 Washington Street (Samuel and Allison Rankin)-Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to hire DTB General Contractors, LLC for demo and debris removal, cutting the grass, and cement removal for \$5,375.00 as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot. Town Attorney Bryce Autin advised we will have to notify the ad hoc Attorney that we will be demolishing it and we will need to have the contract drawn up with DTB General Contractors, LLC. Councilman Kip Plaisance presented a motion and Councilman Laci Latiolais seconded the motion to have Mayor Joey Bouziga sign the contract when it's ready as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Lafourche Parish Hurricane Ida Recovery Grant-Mayor Bouziga advised that we have \$191,127.60 accounted for.

144 Cheramie Lane (for 132 Tamplain Lane, Adam Cheramie)-securing door and windows. Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council that Polly Cheramie called him today and she will have the door and windows boarded up by next week.

135 Cheramie Lane (David Cheramie)-tall grass and debris-advertised 4/12 and 4/13. Town Clerk Tracee Cloutier advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council that we are waiting on bids.

138 Pelican Lane (Victor Boudreaux and Wife)-tall grass-advertised 4/18 and 4/19. Town Clerk Tracee Cloutier asked Town Attorney Bryce Autin if the address is incorrect, will she need to re-advertise and he said yes.

South Central Planning and Development Commission's Cullen Curole presented the updates on Condemnation Proceedings:

- BC 1006-110 Pelican Lane-Estate of Faustin Borne/Marcess Calais Borne/Julie Borne
 Galiano; Condemnation Order issued for 4/3/2023; SCPDC WAITING
 CONFIRMATION OF SERVICE OF CONDEMNATION ORDER. Update: started going
 out for bids today.
- BC 1008-153 Nichols Street-Jody Pitre/Monique Pitre-Condemnation Order for 6.05.23 with a monthly update to be provided until the deadline; NEXT UPDATE FROM HOMEOWNER ON PROGRESS DUE 5/1/2023. Update: Property Owner Jody Pitre advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council that he decided to do repairs and improvements on the structure, rather than demolition. He also obtained a structural analysis report stating the building is structurally sound. Mayor Bouziga advised Jody Pitre that the next step would be for South Central Planning to send out their building inspector.
- BC 1009-145 Terrebonne Lane-Marlene C Trahan, On Behalf of Earlia Trahan Arceneaux/Cheramie & Sunday, LLC, Jenna Cheramie-Condemnation Orders issued for 5/4/2023 and Condemnation Order issued for Earlia Arceneaux for 4/23/2023; NEXT UPDATE FROM HOMEOWNER ON PROGRESS DUE 5/1/2023. Update: Property Owner Marlene Sunday advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council that they want to keep the building and have started to repair it. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to give homeowner Marlene Sunday 30 more days until 6/3/2023 to make repairs on the home as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.
- BC 1011-108 Henry Street-Erris LeBouef/Mark Plaisance-Condemnation Order issued for 6/5/2023; Homeowner updated tearing the structure down, and will meet the deadline.
- BC 1013-137 Delgrandile Lane-Ethel Boudreaux-Condemnation Order issued for 5/3/2023 and will be tearing it down. Update: Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to give homeowner Ethel Boudreaux 30 more days until 6/2/2023 to finish tearing down her structure as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.
- BC 1014-129 Fred Street-Dylan P Brown-issued Condemnation Order for 10 days 4/22/2023; SCPDC MOVING TO NEXT STEPS. Update: started going out for bids.
- BC 1016-110 Delgrandile Lane-Sherry Griffin Demere-New Condemnation Hearing date is 5/15/2023; still researching ownership.

- BC 1017-112 Delgrandile Lane (OWNER UNKNOWN)-still researching ownership.
- BC 1018-112 Delgrandile Lane (OWNER UNKNOWN)-still researching ownership.
- BC 1021-148 Marshland Street-Vivian Bruce Duet-Condemnation Order issued for 5/18/2023. Update: Councilman Jody Cheramie advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council that this has been torn down and the debris was picked up today.
- BC 1020-194 Pierce Street-Adam John Bourgeois-owner is confirmed but awaiting proper service to move forward. South Central Planning's Building Inspector Charles Bertrand stated there have been no significant changes since the previous building inspector's report. Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to move forward with a condemnation hearing, and if they can't get service on homeowner, to move forward with an ad hoc Attorney on 6/19/2023 as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups; NAYS: Councilman Laci Latiolais; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Mayor Bouziga asked Town Attorney Bryce Autin if we can legally waive the South Central Planning fees for the Town Citizens that respond quickly. Town Attorney Autin responded that a part of this will be the Town's administrative costs that we are spending going through the ordinance. Town Attorney Autin doesn't think we will have the best argument that some of those costs are legally recoverable under the ordinance.

Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council that he met with the field employees and they could use a Bobcat Skid Steer, especially during a hurricane. Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to advertise and get prices for a Bobcat Skid Steer as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council that 513 North Bayou Drive failed the structural analysis completed on 4/25/2023. Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to add 513 North Bayou Drive to South Central Planning's blighted homes list as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to authorize Mayor Joey Bouziga to sign the REV agreement for the

"hot spot" to be installed at the old library location and to let the local schools know about it as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Laci Latiolais seconded the motion to authorize Mayor Joey Bouziga to sign the Maintenance Agreement by and between the Town of Golden Meadow and State of Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development for mowing and litter pickup as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to introduce an Ordinance to approve the Exempt Trust Division for Alan and Polly Cheramie on property along the northern side of Tamplain Lane, approximately 500' west of Louisiana Highway 1 Golden Meadow as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Councilman Kip Plaisance presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion to introduce an Ordinance to approve the extension of Lou's Rental's LLC RV Park on property along the eastern side of Alex Plaisance Boulevard, approximately 1,500' north of Oakridge Drive Golden Meadow as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Town Attorney Bryce Autin advised that the Town Attorneys' compensation is confirmed at the beginning of the Councilmen's terms, but Mayor Bouziga has given him a rate increase. Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Kip Plaisance seconded the motion to approve Town Attorney Bryce Autin's rate increase as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Kip Plaisance, Councilman Willis

Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: NONE; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

Mayor Joey Bouziga asked if there was any other business that needed to be brought up to the Council.

Councilman Jody Cheramie advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council that River Birch is up to Louviere Lane for trash pile pickup.

Mayor Joey Bouziga asked for audience comments.

Audience Member Jake Cheramie asked if the Maintenance Agreement with DOTD would take care of the catch basins on the corner of Oakridge Dr and Hwy 3235. Mayor Bouziga advised that we have gone back and forth with DOTD for years saying it's us and not them that need to take care of it, so we will look at it again. Mayor Bouziga will talk to the Town Foreman Salvador Gonzalez Jr. about it.

Lafourche Parish Councilman Daniel Lorraine advised Mayor Joey Bouziga and the Council that starting on May 15, the Golden Meadow Boat Launch will be shut down for 1-2 months for Outer Limits to do the repairs.

Audience Member Ulyess Boudreaux wanted to make a complaint about trash being piled up behind his house on Paul St.

Councilman Willis Toups presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion to add people living in a camper down Anatole Lane as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga advised the Council that he received a complaint about some people living in a camper at the end of Anatole Lane, which is illegal unless it's a FEMA camper. Mayor Bouziga stated that there was a lot of trash on the property as well. Mayor Bouziga asked Town Attorney Bryce Autin to send a letter to the property owner to notify them. Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Willis Toups seconded the motion for Town Attorney Bryce Autin to send the property owner a letter as presented. Voting took place as follows: YEAS: Councilman Jody Cheramie, Councilman Willis Toups, Councilman Laci Latiolais; NAYS: NONE; ABSTAINED: Councilman Kip Plaisance; ABSENT: Councilman Mike Billiot.

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With no further business to discuss, Councilman Laci Latiolais presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded the motion adjourning this meeting at 8:33 P.M. as presented. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

	MAYOR JOEY BOUZIGA
ATTESTED:	
RACHEL ROBICHAUX	
ASSISTANT TOWN CLERK	