The Police Jury of the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana met in a regular session in the Ouachita Parish Police Jury Meeting Room, Courthouse Building, Monroe, Louisiana on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at 5:40 p.m., and was duly convened by Mr. Scotty Robinson, President.

The invocation was given by Mr. Clampit. The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was led by Mr. Clampit.

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**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**
The president asked if there were any additions or amendments to the agenda. Mr. Caldwell asked to take off the visitor from the Ouachita Business Alliance and to add a visitor for Frenchman’s Bend. Ms. Moore asked to add a travel request under her name. This item was received after the agenda was published and action was needed before the next Jury meeting. Mr. Cammack asked to amend the Animal Control personnel item to open and hire kennel worker.

Dr. Reddix entered at this point in the meeting.

Motion offered by Mr. Smiley, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to approve the agenda as amended. Motion passed without opposition.

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:**
The president asked for public comments on the agenda as approved. No one appeared or came forth to speak during this time.

**ADOPTION OF MINUTES:**
A motion to adopt the minutes of the Police Jury meeting including the committee meetings held on August 15, 2016 with changes to page two was offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Smiley. Motion passed without opposition.
SERVICE AWARD FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER:

FIRE DEPARTMENT
Rodney Harrison – 10 Years
Eddie Horton – 10 Years

PUBLIC HEARINGS:
The president convened a public hearing on Ordinance No. 9113 – An ordinance amending Ordinance 9016 to modify administrative procedure provided therein for the sale of adjudicated property; and, further providing with respect thereto. No one appeared to speak in favor of or against said ordinance. Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Ms. Moore to close the public hearing. Motion passed without opposition.

The president convened a public hearing on Ordinance No. 9115 – An ordinance setting forth the adjusted millage rates following reappraisal and valuation for all ad valorem taxes levied by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury. No one appeared to speak in favor of or against said ordinance. Motion offered by Mr. Smiley, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to close the public hearing. Motion passed without opposition.

The president convened a public hearing on Ordinance No. 9116 – An ordinance amending Chapter 22 of the compiled ordinances of Ouachita Parish amending Section 8 of said chapter, said ordinance providing for an annual revenue for the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana, levying annual taxes for said purposes and further providing with respect thereto. No one appeared to speak in favor of or against said ordinance. Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Ms. Moore to close the public hearing. Motion passed without opposition.

The president convened a public hearing on Ordinance No. 9117 – An ordinance amending Article III of Chapter 11 of the compiled ordinances of Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, (Sections 11-36 et seq.) governing “Cheniere Lake” to prohibit the erection or use of permanent duck blinds; to prohibit unattended duck decoys; and, further providing with respect thereto. Mr. Mitchell stated that this ordinance was not previously introduced because it was recommended by the advisory committee subsequent to the last Police Jury meeting; however consideration of adoption was needed at this meeting is so that if adopted, the ordinance will be in effect for teal season which opens September 10. The president asked if there was anyone to speak in favor of or against the ordinance. The president recognized George Johnson, 381 Bradford Lane, Eros. Mr. Johnson stated he was against the ordinance due to lack of information about the ordinance. Mr. Clampit explained what changes would be made if the ordinance was adopted. No one else appeared to speak in favor of or against said ordinance. Motion offered by Mr. Smiley, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to close the public hearing. Motion passed without opposition.

VISITORS:
The president recognized Reginald Fontana, Frenchman’s Bend Homeowner’s Association. Mr. Fontana stated that the homeowner’s association is requesting the possibility of creating a drainage district in Frenchman’s Bend.
The president recognized Larry Bratton. Mr. Bratton stated that the association would like a study done to see what the cost would be to create the drainage district.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:

The following department heads presented monthly reports.

ANIMAL CONTROL: Ms. Stephanie Mullins, Director
Ms. Mullins stated that she did not have anything to add to her written report.

FEDERAL PROGRAMS: Ms. Doretha Bennett, Director
Ms. Bennett stated that she did not have anything to add to her written report.

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Chief Patrick Hemphill
Chief Hemphill requested approval to purchase a New Holland tractor off the state contract from Ag-Con Equipment Company for $28,879.26. Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Smiley to approve the purchase of the tractor. Motion passed without opposition.

GREEN OAKS: Mr. Lamar Anderson, Director
Mr. Anderson stated that he did not have anything to add to his written report.

HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS: Mr. Neal Brown, Director
Mr. Brown recommended acceptance of the 2016 State Homeland Security Program grant in the amount of $74,757. Mr. Brown stated that this grant will be for salaries, law enforcement, and equipment. Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Dr. Reddix to accept the grant. Motion passed without opposition.

MOSQUITO CONTROL: Ms. Shannon Rider, Director
Ms. Rider stated that two mosquito pools were positive for disease and the areas have been treated.

LSU AG CENTER: Ms. Cathy Agan
Ms. Agan spoke regarding the renewal of the cooperative agreement between the Police Jury and the LSU Ag Center and stated that the renewal will be for five years. Mr. Cammack stated this item was under his name and recommended approval. Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Clampit to approve the renewal of the cooperative agreement for five years with additional language regarding availability of funds. Motion passed without opposition.

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A motion to recess the regular meeting in favor of the Personnel Committee meeting was offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Smiley. Motion passed without opposition.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE MEETING

The chairperson, Dr. Reddix, called the Personnel Committee meeting to order at 6:06 p.m. The chair recognized Chief Hemphill, Fire Department.

Chief Hemphill recommended the following personnel actions for approval.

**SICK LEAVE**

| Johnson, Kalee | Termination of Extended Sick Leave | Effective 7/19/2016 |

Motion offered by Ms. Moore, seconded by Mr. Robinson to approve the sick leave as recommended by the chief. Motion passed without opposition.

**RESIGNATION**

| Tabb, James | Resigned | Effective 8/30/2016 |

Motion offered by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to approve the resignation as recommended by the chief. Motion passed without opposition.

**CONFIRMATION**


Motion offered by Ms. Moore, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to approve the confirmation as recommended by the chief. Motion passed without opposition.

Chief Hemphill requested to hire Brandon Mobley effective September 12, 2016 subject to his passing the physical and receiving Civil Service Board approval. Motion offered by Mr. Clampit, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to hire Brandon Mobley as recommended. Motion passed without opposition.

The chair recognized Stephanie Mullins, Animal Control. Ms. Mullins requested to open the position of kennel worker and to hire Catherine McElroy to the position. Motion offered by Ms. Moore, seconded by Mr. Clampit to open the position and hire Catherine McElroy. Motion passed without opposition.

The chair recognized Lamar Anderson, Green Oaks. Mr. Anderson requested to hire Keary Grayson, Michael Esters, Aja Jenkins-Evans, and Carolyn Walker to the position of Juvenile Detention Officer II part-time subject to received clear background checks and drug tests. Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Smiley to approve hiring Keary Grayson, Michael Esters, Aja Jenkins-Evans, and Carolyn Walker as recommended. Motion passed without opposition.

There being no other business to come before this committee, a motion to adjourn was offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Robinson. Motion passed without opposition.

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A motion to enter into the Public Works Committee meeting was offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Dr. Reddix. Motion passed without opposition.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING
The chairman, Mr. Smiley, called the Public Works Committee meeting to order at 6:10 p.m.

The chairman recognized Mr. Murray, Director. Mr. Murray spoke regarding final subdivision approval for Griggs Trace Subdivision and recommended approval. Motion offered by Mr. Clampit, seconded by Dr. Reddix to grant final subdivision approval for Griggs Trace Subdivision subject to comments from the Public Works Department and parish engineer being adequately answered. Motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Murray spoke regarding final subdivision approval for Sandy Beaches Subdivision and recommended approval. Motion offered by Mr. Clampit, seconded by Mr. Caldwell to grant final subdivision approval for Sandy Beaches Subdivision subject to comments from the Public Works Department and parish engineer being adequately answered. Motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Murray spoke regarding preliminary subdivision approval and request for fire hydrant variance for Southern Lakes Estates, Unit 2 and recommended approval. Motion offered by Mr. Clampit, seconded by Mr. Robinson to grant preliminary subdivision approval and fire hydrant variance for Southern Lakes Estates, Unit 2 subject to comments from the Public Works Department, Ouachita Parish Fire Department and parish engineer being adequately answered. Motion passed without opposition.

There being no other business to come before this committee, a motion to adjourn and reconvene the regular meeting was offered by Dr. Reddix, seconded by Mr. Robinson. Motion passed without opposition. The meeting was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

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Motion offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Mr. Smiley to ratify and adopt all actions taken in the committee meetings. Motion passed without opposition.

MOTIONS  * ORDINANCES  * RESOLUTIONS:

MR. SCOTTY ROBINSON, DISTRICT A:
Mr. Robinson spoke regarding the courthouse roof and ceiling and stated that there have been many leaks in the building. Mr. Robinson asked Mr. Cammack for an update. Mr. Cammack stated that the recommendation from Byrnes Mechanical and Mr. Land is to insulate any exposed metal parts and piping throughout the building. Mr. Cammack stated that the source of the leak has been stopped and maintenance is in the process of replacing ceiling tiles.

Mr. Robinson asked for approval to travel to Washington D. C. with Mr. Crosby to meet with officials to discuss federal funding to maintain the navigation channel on the Ouachita River. Motion offered by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Dr. Reddix to approve the travel request. Motion passed without opposition.
Mr. Robinson, seconded by Dr. Reddix offered the following ordinance for adoption.

ORDINANCE NO. 9113

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 9016 TO MODIFY ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE PROVIDED THEREIN FOR THE SALE OF ADJUDICATED PROPERTY; AND, FURTHER PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, On August 19, 2013, the Ouachita Parish Police Jury adopted Ordinance No. 9016 providing an administrative procedure for the conveyance of adjudicated properties thereby amended on June 17, 2014 by Ordinance 9037;

WHEREAS, the Management Company processing the conveyance of adjudicated properties has advised the Ouachita Parish Police Jury of some necessary changes to the administrative procedures of the property management program;

WHEREAS, the physical inspection of a property to be sold through the adjudication program is not required by law;

WHEREAS, La. R.S. § 47.2202(A) allows a political subdivision to sell adjudicated property for no minimum bid subject to the state constitutional prohibition against gratuitous alienation of property;

WHEREAS, Act 819 was enacted by the 2008 Legislative Session, revising La. R.S. 47:2121, et seq. to establish procedures for the sale of adjudicated properties, and to allow for the local establishment of a process for the sale of the adjudicated properties within the confines of that law;

WHEREAS, R.S.47:2201, authorizes a political subdivision to adopt general ordinances governing the public sales and donations of adjudicated property.

NOW, THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury in legal and Regular session that Section I (“Administration”) of Ordinance No. 9016 be, and is hereby, amended as set forth below to allow for the sale of pro

III. PRE-BIDDING PROCESS

A. Initiation of Sale

The Parish Assessor shall annually compile a list of names and addresses of adjudicated properties from the tax roll records and make such list available to the public in printed form, and on the Parish website if possible. The Parish Assessor shall also forward such list to the Management Company.
Pursuant to La. R.S 2203, the sale of such adjudicated property may be prompted by individual interest (whether it be a natural person or juridical person) or at the request of the Parish or Police Jury, at any time.

An individual submitting a request for the sale of specific property shall submit an application with a certified check or money order in the amount of $1250.00 for each piece of property, payable to *Ouachita Parish, Adjudicated Properties Program*. Of this fee, $250.00 shall constitute a deposit to ultimately be credited to the purchase price of the property upon closing. The remaining $1000.00 shall be applied to the administrative expenses as described herein below.

Upon receipt of application and fee, the Management Company shall conduct a preliminary investigation to confirm that the property has been adjudicated, has not been redeemed and has not been determined as needed for a public purpose.

After the preliminary investigation, the Management Company shall:

1. **Conduct Title Research** - Title research shall include copies of all documents from the public record. If necessary, surrounding properties may be researched to ascertain the physical location and boundaries of subject properties. Management Company shall utilize abstracting services of insured abstractors at its discretion. Said title search shall include tax certificates obtained from the Ouachita Parish Tax Collector, mortgage certificates obtained from Ouachita Clerk of Court, and any records obtained from Parish Assessor's office. Copies of surveys and maps of record may also be provided.

2. **Effect Public Notice** - The public sale by auction shall be advertised at least twice in the official journal for the Parish of Ouachita, once at least thirty days prior to the date of the public sale, and once no more than seven days prior to the date of the public sale. The notice shall provide for the minimum bid, the latest date written bids will be accepted, the time and date of in-person bidding, if any, and any other terms of sale.

3. **Other Administration and Determination of Minimum Bid Amount** – The Management Company shall prepare inspection reports, send statutory notices to all interested parties, and confirm the minimum bid price, based upon total amount of liens and taxes due, and acquisition costs. Pursuant La. R.S. 47:2202, Ouachita Parish hereby establishes that in accordance with La. R.S. § 47:2202(A), there will be no set minimum bid for the public sale of an adjudicated property; however, the property purchaser must offer an amount that satisfies the Constitutional obligation of the Parish to not gratuitously alienate the property, such analysis to be conducted by the Parish as a part of the sale process.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the above-state amendment shall become effective immediately upon adoption of this Ordinance by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury.
The above Ordinance was introduced on the 15th day of August, 2016.

The Ordinance was submitted to a roll call vote, and the vote thereon was as follows

YEAS: (6)  Mr. Scotty Robinson, District A; Mr. Jack Clampit, District B; Mr. Walt Caldwell, District C; Dr. Ollibeth Reddix, District D, Mr. Shane Smiley, District E; and Ms. Pat Moore, District F.

NAYS: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

The Ordinance was adopted this 6th day of September, 2016.

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Mr. Robinson introduced the following ordinance.

ORDINANCE NO. 9114

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE AN ACT OF SALE BY THE PARISH OF OUACHITA TO SELL ADJUDICATED PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS: PARCEL NO. 14602 IN ACCORDANCE WITH LA R.S. 47:2202 ET SEQ. AND TO AUTHORIZE THE OUACHITA PARISH POLICE JURY PRESIDENT TO SIGN ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS AND TO ADDRESS THE MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO

WHEREAS, the immovable property described below was adjudicated to the Parish of Ouachita on July 2, 2012, for nonpayment of taxes; and

WHEREAS, the three (3) year period for redemption provided by Art. 7, §25 of the Louisiana Constitution has elapsed, established by Parish Ordinance No: 9016 and the owner of record has failed to redeem the adjudicated property; and

WHEREAS, LA R.S. 47: 2202 et seq. provides that the Parish may sell adjudicated property in accordance with law after the expiration of the period for redemption; and

WHEREAS, the Parish of Ouachita has declared the property described below surplus and not needed for a public purpose and to dispose of said property in accordance with LA R.S. 47:2202, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with L.A. R.S. 47:2202 the Parish of Ouachita has set a minimum bid in the amount of $3,676.98; and

WHEREAS, the Parish of Ouachita has received a written offer to purchase said property from [TO BE DETERMINED AT AUCTION], for the consideration of [TO BE
DETERMINED AT AUCTION] cash, at the time of sale and has been accepted by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury; and

WHEREAS, the property described herein below is scheduled for public auction on September 7, 2016 at 10:00 a.m.; and

NOW BE IT ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury, that any Act of Sale of the below described property shall contain the following conditions and requirements:

1) This property described as Ouachita Parish Parcel #14602, with municipal address 2015 Burg Jones Lane, Monroe, LA 71202 and more fully described as:

A certain lot or parcel of ground in the SW ¼ of SW ¼ of Section 5, Township 17 North, Range 4 East, more particularly described as BEGINNING at a point on the West line of said SW ¼ of SW ¼ at a point 398.14 feet North of the SW corner; thence run in an easterly direction along a line parallel to the South line of SW ¼ of the SW ¼ a distance of 666 feet; thence in a northerly direction along a line parallel to the West line of said SW ¼ of the SW ¼ a distance of 101.14 feet; thence in a westerly direction along a line parallel to the South line of said SW ¼ of the SW ¼ a distance of 666 feet to the West line of said forty acre tract.; thence along the W line of said forty acre tract; thence along the West line of said SW ¼ of SW ¼ a distance of 101.14 feet to the point of beginning, located in Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.

2) This property shall be sold in accordance with LS-R.S. 47:2201 et. seq., without any warranty, from either the Parish or Management Company, whatsoever, even as to the return of the purchase price.

3) The sale shall be on a form approved by the Parish Attorney and that the sales price is paid by certified funds at the time of the sale.

4) The sale shall include a reservation of all mineral rights to the Parish, but shall convey all surface rights.

5) The following shall be completed prior to closing of sale:

a. E&P LLC shall certify in writing to the Parish Attorney that they have examined the mortgage records, conveyance records, probate and civil suit records of the Parish of Ouachita and that attached to this certification will be a written list of names and last known addresses of all owners, mortgagees, and any other person who may have a vested or contingent interest in the property, or who has filed a request for notice as provided in the former provisions LS-R.S. 33:4720.17(B), as indicated in those records.

b. E&P LLC will provide notice to those persons identified in accordance with LS-R.S. 47:2201 et. seq. Proof of said notice will be filed in the conveyance records of Ouachita Parish immediately after the Act of Sale.
c. At the time of closing, the E&P LLC will certify in writing to Parish Attorney and Clerk of Court that the number of days mandated by LS-R.S. 47:2201 et. seq. has elapsed since the above required notice was made or attempted and that the property has not been redeemed by the payment of the taxes owed.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, by the Ouachita Parish Policy Jury, that the Police Jury President is hereby authorized to execute a Cash Sale of the above described adjudicated property to the highest acceptable bidder. The Cash Sale shall contain all of the above conditions and requirements and shall be executed within the timelines specified.

The above Ordinance was introduced on the 6th day of September, 2016.

The Ordinance was submitted to a roll call vote, and the vote thereon was as follows

YEAS: (6) Mr. Scotty Robinson, District A; Mr. Jack Clampit, District B; Mr. Walt Caldwell, District C; Dr. Ollibeth Reddix, District D, Mr. Shane Smiley, District E; and Ms. Pat Moore, District F.

NAYS: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

The Ordinance was adopted this 19th day of September, 2016.

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Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Clampit offered the following ordinance for adoption.

ORDINANCE NO. 9115

AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE ADJUSTED MILLAGE RATES FOLLOWING REAPPRAISAL AND VALUATION FOR ALL AD VALOREM TAXES LEVIED BY THE OUACHITA PARISH POLICE JURY

WHEREAS, La. Const. Art. VII, Sec. 23 requires the periodic adjustment of the rates of ad valorem taxes based on the reappraisal and valuation of all property subject to such taxes;

WHEREAS, the Office of the Legislative Auditor has provided the Ouachita Parish Police Jury with such adjusted millage rates for the ad valorem taxes it levies based on the most recent reappraisal and valuation; and,

WHEREAS, La. R.S. 47:1705 requires each tax recipient body to adopt an ordinance or resolution setting forth and designating such adjusted millage rates;

NOW THEREFORE:
SECTION ONE: BE IT ORDAINED by this Police Jury of the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana, in legal and regular session convened that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby established adjusted millage rates as follows on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated in the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana, outside of the incorporated municipalities of Monroe, West Monroe, Sterlington, and Richwood. The said tax is dedicated to the use of the General Fund for paying all expenses of the Parish, which may arise during the calendar year 2016 according to the estimates of expenditures hereto adopted:

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SECTION TWO: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby established adjusted millage rates as follows on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated within the corporate limits of the City of Monroe, the City of West Monroe, The Town of Sterlington, and the Town of Richwood, not exempt from taxation for General Fund purposes.

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SECTION THREE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that for the calendar year 2016 there is established adjusted millage rates as follows on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Ouachita for the purpose of operating, maintaining, sustaining, and erecting Ouachita Parish Health Units, including rabies and animal control.

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SECTION FOUR: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury, sitting and acting as the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Protection District No. One of the Parish of Ouachita, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby established adjusted millage rates as follows on the dollar on all property subject to taxation in said District for the purpose of maintaining and operating the Fire Protection Districts fire protection facilities and obtaining water for fire protection purposes.

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SECTION FIVE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury, acting for the Board of Commissioners of the Mosquito Abatement District No. 1 of the Parish of Ouachita, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby established adjusted millage rates as follows on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated in the Parish of Ouachita, and not exempt from taxation by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana for the purpose of
“the abatement, control, eradication and study of mosquitoes and other arthropods of public health importance and all activities incidental thereto.

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SECTION SIX: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, inasmuch as 2016 is the first year of a tax authorized by the voters on May 3, 2014 for the purpose of providing funds for equipment, supplies, maintenance, operation, construction, acquisition, improvement, renovation and support of the Ouachita Parish Library and its branches there are no adjusted millage rates for said tax. Rather, the maximum authorized rate for said tax is 7.64 mils as set forth in the proposition approved by the voters of Ouachita Parish on the date set forth above.

SECTION SEVEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, inasmuch as 2016 is the first year of a tax authorized by the voters on May 3, 2014 for the purpose of providing funds for the purpose of improving, maintaining, operating and equipping juvenile detention facilities there are no adjusted millage rates for said tax. Rather, the maximum authorized rate for said tax is 2.90 mils as set forth in the proposition approved by the voters of Ouachita Parish on the date set forth above.

The Ordinance was submitted to a roll call vote, and the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: (6) Mr. Scotty Robinson, District A; Mr. Jack Clampit, District B; Mr. Walt Caldwell, District C; Dr. Ollibeth Reddix, District D; Mr. Shane Smiley, District E; and Ms. Pat Moore, District F.

NAYS: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

The above Ordinance was adopted on the 6th day of September, 2016.

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Mr. Robinson, seconded by Dr. Reddix offered the following ordinance for adoption.

ORDINANCE NO. 9116

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 22 OF THE COMPILED ORDINANCES OF OUACHITA PARISH AMENDING SECTION 8 OF SAID CHAPTER, SAID ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL REVENUE FOR THE PARISH OF OUACHITA, STATE OF LOUISIANA, LEVYING ANNUAL TAXES FOR SAID PURPOSES AND FURTHER PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

2016 REVENUE LAW

SECTION ONE: BE IT ORDAINED by this Police Jury of the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana, in legal and regular session convened that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby
levied an annual tax of 4.14 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated in the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana, outside of the incorporated municipalities of Monroe, West Monroe, Sterlington, and Richwood; said valuation being shown by the assessment rolls for the year 2016 as said rolls are filed in the Office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector and the Clerk of Court of Ouachita Parish. The said tax of 4.14 mills is hereby levied and shall be set apart and dedicated to the use of the General Fund for paying all expenses of the Parish which may arise during the calendar year 2016 according to the estimates of expenditures hereto adopted.

SECTION TWO: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 2.07 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated within the corporate limits of the City of Monroe, the City of West Monroe, The Town of Sterlington, and the Town of Richwood, not exempt from taxation for General Fund purposes, said valuation being shown by the assessment rolls for the year 2016 as said rolls are filed according to law in the Clerk of Court's Office of the Parish of Ouachita, and in the Office of Sheriff and Tax Collector.

SECTION THREE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 7.64 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated in the Parish of Ouachita, and not exempt from taxation by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana for the purpose of providing funds for equipment, supplies, maintenance, operation, construction, acquisition, improvement, renovation and support of the Ouachita Parish Library and its branches, said valuation being shown by the assessment roll for the year 2016 according to the election held in Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, on the 3rd day of May, 2014, for the purpose of voting said tax under the provisions of resolution adopted May 19, 2014, and the election held in Ouachita Parish, Louisiana on the 3rd day of May, 2014, for the purpose of rededicating the proceeds of said tax under the provisions of resolution adopted May 19, 2014, as said rolls are filed according to the law in the Clerk of Court's Office of the Parish of Ouachita, and in the Office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector.

SECTION FOUR: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 0.75 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Ouachita for the purpose of operating, maintaining, sustaining, and erecting Ouachita Parish Health Units, including rabies and animal control facilities according to the election held on April 6, 2013, resolution adopted April 15, 2013, as said rolls are filed according to law in the Clerk of Court's Office of the Parish of Ouachita, and in the Office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector.

SECTION FIVE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury, sitting and acting as the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Protection District No. One of the Parish of Ouachita, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 18.83 mills on the dollar on all property subject to taxation in said District for the purpose of maintaining and operating the Fire Protection Districts fire protection facilities and obtaining water for fire protection purposes; said valuation being shown by the assessment roll for the year 2016 according to the election held on October 17, 2009, resolution adopted November 3, 2009, as said rolls are filed according to law in the Clerk of Court’s office of the Parish of Ouachita, and in the Office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector.
SECTION SIX: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 9.16 mills on all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Ouachita for the purpose of improving, maintaining, operating and equipping the Ouachita Correctional Center, said valuation being shown by the assessment rolls for the year 2016 according to the election held in Ouachita Parish on April 21, 2014, resolution adopted January 9, 2014, as said rolls are filed according to law in the Clerk of Court’s office of the Parish of Ouachita, and in the office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector.

SECTION SEVEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 2.90 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation on all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Ouachita, for the purpose of improving, maintaining, operating and equipping juvenile detention facilities according to the election held in Ouachita Parish on 3rd day of May, 2014, resolution adopted May 19, 2014, said valuation being shown by the assessment rolls for the year 2016 as said rolls are filed according to law in the Clerk of Court's office in the Parish of Ouachita, and in the office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector.

SECTION EIGHT: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury, acting for the Board of Commissioners of the Mosquito Abatement District No. 1 of the Parish of Ouachita, that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of 1.40 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property situated in the Parish of Ouachita, and not exempt from taxation by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana for the purpose of “the abatement, control, eradication and study of mosquitoes and other arthropods of public health importance and all activities incidental thereto” according to the election held in Ouachita Parish on March 8, 2008, for the purpose of voting said tax under the provisions of resolution adopted November 19, 2007, said valuation being shown by the assessment rolls for the year 2016 as said rolls are filed according to the law in the Clerk of Court's Office of the Parish of Ouachita, and in the Office of the Sheriff and Tax Collector.

SECTION NINE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that for the calendar year 2016 there is hereby levied a special tax of eight cents per acre on all woodlands subject to taxation in the Parish of Ouachita for the purpose of Forest Protection, all as set forth under La. R.S. 3:4321 adopted by Act 5 of the 1990 Louisiana Legislature.

SECTION TEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that for the calendar year 2016, there is hereby levied a special tax of 5.00 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation on all taxable property situated in Road Lighting District No. 1 of the Parish of Ouachita for the purpose of providing, maintaining, and operating electric lights on the street, roads, highways, alleys, and public places in said District, said valuation being shown by the assessment roll for the year 2016 and a service charge of -0- to be assessed to persons occupying residential and non-residential structures and persons owning unoccupied structures located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 1, and to persons owning lots wholly or partly within the District upon which no structure is located, pursuant to the provision of the proposition which was approved at an election held on November 6, 2012.
SECTION ELEVEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifteen and no/100 Dollars ($15.00), plus a collection charge of $0.75 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 4, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWELVE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifteen and no/100 Dollars ($15.00), plus a collection charge of $0.75 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 5, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirteen and no/100 Dollars ($13.00), plus a collection charge of $0.65 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 6, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FOURTEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirteen and no/100 Dollars ($13.00), plus a collection charge of $0.65 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 7, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FIFTEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Ten and no/100 Dollars ($10.00), plus a collection charge of $0.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 9, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION SIXTEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of One-Hundred Fifty and no/100 Dollars ($150.00), plus a collection charge of $7.50, to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 10, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION SEVENTEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifteen and no/100 Dollars ($15.00), plus a collection charge of $0.75 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable
property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 11, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION EIGHTEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirty and no/100 Dollars ($30.00), plus a collection charge of $1.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 12, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION NINETEEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Twenty and no/100 Dollars ($20.00), plus a collection charge of $1.00 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 13, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Forty and no/100 Dollars ($40.00), plus a collection charge of $2.00 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 14, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-ONE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirty and no/100 Dollars ($30.00), plus a collection charge of $1.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 16, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-TWO: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010 there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifty and no/100 Dollars ($50.00), plus a collection charge of $2.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 17, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-THREE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010 there is hereby levied a service charge of Forty-five and no/100 Dollars ($45.00), plus a collection charge of $2.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 18, for the purposes stated in the proposition.
SECTION TWENTY-FOUR: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirty and no/100 Dollars ($30.00), plus a collection charge of $1.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 19, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-FIVE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Five and no/100 Dollars ($5.00), plus a collection charge of $0.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 20, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-SIX: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirteen and no/100 Dollars ($13.00), plus a collection charge of $0.65 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 22, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-SEVEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Eighteen and no/100 Dollars ($18.00), plus a collection charge of $0.90 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 23, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-EIGHT: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Twenty and no/100 Dollars ($20.00), plus a collection charge of $1.00 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 24, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION TWENTY-NINE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Ten and no/100 Dollars ($10.00), plus a collection charge of $0.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 26, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Sixty-five and no/100 Dollars ($65.00), plus a collection charge of $3.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located...
wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 27, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-ONE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Forty and no/100 Dollars ($40.00), plus a collection charge of $2.00 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 28, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-TWO: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Five and no/100 Dollars ($5.00), plus a collection charge of $0.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 29, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-THREE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Five and no/100 Dollars ($5.00), plus a collection charge of $0.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 30, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-FOUR: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifty and no/100 Dollars ($50.00), plus a collection charge of $2.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 32, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-FIVE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Eighteen and no/100 Dollars ($18.00), plus a collection charge of $0.90 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 33, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-SIX: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Sixty-five and no/100 Dollars ($65.00), plus a collection charge of $3.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 34, for the purposes stated in the proposition.
SECTION THIRTY-SEVEN: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Sixty and no/100 Dollars ($60.00), plus a collection charge of $3.00 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 35, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-EIGHT: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifty and no/100 Dollars ($50.00), plus a collection charge of $2.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 36, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION THIRTY-NINE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Thirty and no/100 Dollars ($30.00), plus a collection charge of $1.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 38, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FORTY: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of One-Hundred Thirty and no/100 Dollars ($130.00), plus a collection charge of $6.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 39, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FORTY-ONE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Seventy-five and no/100 Dollars ($75.00), plus a collection charge of $3.75 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 40, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FORTY-TWO: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 17, 2010, there is hereby levied a service charge of Five and no/100 Dollars ($5.00), plus a collection charge of $0.25 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 42, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FORTY-THREE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 22, 2011, there is hereby levied a service charge of Eighty and no/100 Dollars ($80.00), plus a collection charge of $4.00 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable
property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 44, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FORTY-FOUR: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on October 19, 2013, there is hereby levied a service charge of Fifty and no/100 Dollars ($50.00), plus a collection charge of $2.50 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 45, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

SECTION FORTY-FIVE: BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that pursuant to the provisions of the proposition which was approved at a special election held on November 21, 2015, there is hereby levied a service charge of Seventy-five and no/100 Dollars ($75.00), plus a collection charge of $3.75 to be paid to the Tax Collector, in the year 2016 on each parcel of immovable property located wholly or partly within the boundaries of the Road Lighting District No. 46, for the purposes stated in the proposition.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all said taxes enumerated herein in the various sections of this Ordinance shall be exigible and collectable on the same day in the manner as provided by existing laws and ordinances of the Ouachita Parish Police Jury.

The Ordinance was submitted to a roll call vote, and the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: (6) Mr. Scotty Robinson, District A; Mr. Jack Clampit, District B; Mr. Walt Caldwell, District C; Dr. Ollibeth Reddix, District D; Mr. Shane Smiley, District E; and Ms. Pat Moore, District F.

NAYS: (0)
ABSTAIN: (0)
ABSENT: (0)

The above Ordinance was adopted on the 6th day of September, 2016.

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Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Smiley offered the following resolution for adoption.

RESOLUTION NO. 16-37

A RESOLUTION REAPPOINTING STEVE HALL TO BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT NO. 1 TO SERVE FOR A TERM OF SIX (6) YEARS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 20, 2016 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 20, 2022; AND FURTHER PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, Steve Hall’s term will expire September 20, 2016, and he has served admirably as a member of the Hospital Service District No. 1 Board of Commissioners, and desires to remain as a member of the Board of Commissioners;
NOW, THEREFORE:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury in legal and regular session that Steve Hall, 213 Pinecrest, West Monroe, Louisiana 71291 be and hereby is reappointed as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Hospital Service District No. 1 for a term of six (6) years beginning September 20, 2016 and ending September 20, 2022.

The above resolution was adopted this 6th day of September, 2016.

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The president recognized Mr. Clampit, District B.

MR. JACK CLAMPIT, DISTRICT B:
Mr. Clampit spoke regarding the Steep Bayou Capital Outlay project and stated authorization was needed for Mr. Crosby to begin the plans for the project. Motion offered by Mr. Clampit, seconded by Mr. Smiley to authorize Mr. Crosby to begin work on the Steep Bayou Capital Outlay application. Motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Clampit, seconded by Mr. Smiley offered the following ordinance for adoption.

ORDINANCE NO. 9117

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE III OF CHAPTER 11 OF THE COMPiled ORDINANCES OF OUACHITA PARISH, LOUISIANA, (SECTIONS 11-36 et seq.) GOVERNING “CHENIERE LAKE” TO PROHIBIT THE ERECTION OR USE OF PERMANENT DUCK BLINDS; TO ESTABLISH SHOOTING HOURS; TO PROHIBIT UNATTENDED DUCK DECOYS; AND, FURTHER PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, Cheniere Lake is publically owned property of the Ouachita Parish Police Jury upon which duck hunting is allowed;

WHEREAS, the Cheniere Lake Advisory Committee has recommended that the Ouachita Parish Police Jury regulate waterfowl hunting on Cheniere Lake in a manner similar to the manner in which the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries regulates waterfowl hunting on the Wildlife Management Areas (“WMAs”) of the State of Louisiana; and,

WHEREAS, the Ouachita Parish Police Jury finds that regulating duck hunting on Cheniere Lake in a manner similar to the state WMAs would serve the interest of consistency in regulation and would best enable the public to safely enjoy duck hunting and other outdoor pursuits on Cheniere Lake;

NOW, THEREFORE:
BE IT ORDAINED by the Ouachita Parish Police Jury in legal and Regular Session that Article III of Chapter 11 of the Compiled Ordinances of Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, (Section 11-36 et seq.) governing “Cheniere Lake” be supplemented and/or amended to repeal the present Section 11-56 “Boating, fishing, or hunting from supporting platform near duck blind” and to adopt in its place the following provision:

Sec. 11-56. Waterfowl hunting. Prohibition of permanent duck blinds and unattended decoys; Shooting times.

Construction of and/or hunting from permanent duck blinds is prohibited on Cheniere Lake. Any permanent blind will be removed and destroyed.

A “permanent blind” is any blind using non-natural materials or having a frame which is not dismantled within two hours after the end of legal shooting time each day. Blinds with frames of wood, plastic, metal poles, wire, mesh, webbing or other materials may be used but must be removed from Cheniere Lake within two hours after the end of legal shooting time each day. Blinds made solely of natural vegetation and not held together by nails or other metallic fasteners may be left in place but cannot be used to reserve hunting locations. For purposes of this Ordinance “natural vegetation” (including any material used as corner posts) is defined as natural branches that are two inches or less in diameter.

“Legal shooting times” for waterfowl hunting on Cheniere Lake shall begin one-half hour (30 minutes) before sunrise and shall end at 12:00 p.m. (Noon) each day. Active waterfowl hunting shall cease not later than the end of legal shooting hours each day.

Unattended waterfowl decoys are prohibited on Cheniere Lake. Decoys must be removed from Cheniere Lake within two hours after the end of legal shooting time each day. Unattended decoys will be confiscated and disposed of.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the supplemental and amending provisions set forth above shall become effective September 10, 2016.

The Ordinance was submitted to a roll call vote, and the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: (6) Mr. Scotty Robinson, District A; Mr. Jack Clampit, District B; Mr. Walt Caldwell, District C; Dr. Ollibeth Reddix, District D; Mr. Shane Smiley, District E; and Ms. Pat Moore, District F.

NAYS: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

The above Ordinance was adopted on the 6th day of September, 2016.
The president recognized Mr. Caldwell, District C.

**MR. WALT CALDWELL, DISTRICT C:**
Mr. Caldwell asked to defer the matters concerning Lonewa Road, Old Sterlington Road, and Frenchman’s Bend drainage district to the next meeting of the Jury.

Mr. Caldwell asked Mr. Murray to speak on Roberts Road. Mr. Murray stated that the cost estimate to repair the road is $27,000 and the traffic count is 77 vehicles per day. No action was taken at this time.

The president recognized Dr. Reddix, District D.

**DR. OLLIBETH REDDIK, DISTRICT D:**
Dr. Reddix stated that she did not have any items.

The president recognized Mr. Smiley, District E.

**MR. SHANE SMILEY, DISTRICT E:**
Mr. Smiley stated that he did not have any items.

The president recognized Ms. Moore, District F.

**MS. PAT MOORE, DISTRICT F:**
Ms. Moore requested approval to travel to New Orleans to attend a community reinvestment summit on September 14-15. Motion offered by Ms. Moore, seconded by Mr. Clampit to approve the travel request. Motion passed without opposition.

**ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:**
The president recognized Mr. Cammack, Treasurer. Mr. Cammack spoke regarding the Day Road CWEF project and stated that the project was completed under the budgeted amount and approval was needed to transfer the remaining funds to the Harris Street CWEF project. Motion offered by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Ms. Moore to request the state move the remaining funds to the Harris Street project. Motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Cammack requested to declare the Coroner’s Office 20016 Jeep Liberty, asset 14012, as surplus and allow for sale at public auction. Motion offered by Dr. Reddix, seconded by Mr. Clampit to declare the vehicle as surplus and allow for sale at public auction. Motion passed without opposition.

The president recognized Chief Hemphill, Fire Department. Chief Hemphill stated that he did not have any additional items.
The president recognized Mr. Mitchell, Assistant District Attorney. Mr. Mitchell spoke regarding the Glenwood Dissolution Acknowledgment for Coordination Agreement and recommended approval. Motion offered by Mr. Clampit, seconded by Dr. Reddix to approve the Glenwood Dissolution Acknowledgment for Coordination Agreement and allow the president to sign the agreement. Motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Mitchell spoke regarding the Travis Street Bridge and stated that approval was needed to advertise the project for bids in accordance with the agreement between the Police Jury and the City of West Monroe for replacement of the bridge. Motion offered by Mr. Smiley, seconded by Dr. Reddix to approve the advertisement for bids. Motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Mitchell asked to defer the matter concerning the G. B. Cooley property until the next meeting of the Jury.

The president recognized Mr. Murray, Public Works Director. Mr. Murray stated that he did not have any additional items.

**BEER AND WHISKEY APPLICATIONS:**
There were none.

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

There being no other business to come before the Jury, a motion to adjourn was offered by Mr. Caldwell, seconded by Dr. Reddix. The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

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Scotty Robinson, President                 Karen Cupit, Recording Secretary