OUACHITA PARISH POLICE JURY
FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

OCTOBER 17, 2022
POLICE JURY CONFERENCE ROOM

The Finance Committee of the Ouachita Parish Police Jury met on October 17, 2022 in the Police Jury Conference Room. The meeting was called to order at 6:57 p.m. by Mr. Shane Smiley, President.

Police Jurors Attending:
Mr. Jack Clampit
Mr. Larry Bratton
Mr. Shane Smiley
Mr. Lonnie Hudson

Police Jurors Absent:
Mr. Scotty Robinson
Mr. Michael Thompson

Mr. Brad Cammack, Treasurer presented the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Animal Control. The budget is being recommended by the Animal Control Advisory Committee. It includes the current tax rate and not the proposed rate that will be voted on in April 2023.

Mr. Hudson moved and Mr. Clampit seconded the motion to approve the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Animal Control. The motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Cammack presented the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Shelter Improvement Fund. The budget has no significant activity in either budget.

Mr. Bratton moved and Mr. Hudson seconded the motion to approve the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Shelter Improvement Fund. The motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Cammack presented the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Library Operations Fund. The current tax expires in 2025. Renovations are planned for the main branch and then the Carver branch. The bookmobile purchase has been moved to 2023. The operations fund will transfer $2,000,000.00 to the Capital Outlay fund in 2022 and 2023.

Mr. Hudson moved and Mr. Bratton seconded the motion to approve the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Library Operations Fund. The motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Cammack presented the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Library Capital Outlay Fund. The 2023 Proposed budget includes renovations to the main branch.

Mr. Clampit moved and Mr. Hudson seconded the motion to approve the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for Library Capital Outlay Fund. The motion passed without opposition.

Mr. Cammack presented the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for West Ouachita Sewerage District 9.

Mr. Hudson moved and Mr. Clampit seconded the motion to approve the 2022 Amended and 2023 Proposed budgets for West Ouachita Sewerage District 9. The motion passed without opposition.

There was no further business to come before the committee.

Mr. Hudson moved and Mr. Bratton seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed without opposition. The meeting adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

Shane Smiley, President

Karen Cupit, Recording Secretary