

Finance Committee
June 25, 2025

The Finance Committee met Wednesday, June 25, 2025, at 12:10 PM in the Nathaniel Zeno, Jr., Meeting Room, 160 Industrial Drive, Jonesboro, Louisiana. Members Present: Mrs. Amy Magee, Mrs. Tarneshala Cowans, and Keith Burris. Absent: None

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Mrs. Magee.

Invocation was given by Mrs. Cowans.

Mr. Burris led in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Chair called for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion- Mrs. Cowans, seconded by Mr. Burris to amend the agenda to add agenda item #5 recommending the purchase of a new stretcher for the Jackson Parish Coroner's office. Motion carried.

Ms. Nia Evans, Secretary-Treasurer, gave a financial report that included the budget to actual update.

Motion- Mr. Burris, seconded by Mrs. Cowans to recommend approving the 2nd quarter budget amendments. Motion carried.

Motion- Mr. Burris, seconded by Mrs. Cowans to recommend approving the 2025 Millage rates as recommended by the Tax Assessor. Motion carried.

Motion- Mr. Burris, seconded by Mrs. Cowans to recommend entering into a CEA with the Sherriff's Department for the opioid funding request in the amount of \$147,014.75 and the Jackson Parish District Attorney's office in the amount of \$45,000 for the PTI program. Motion carried.

Motion- Mr. Burris, seconded by Mrs. Cowans to recommend the approval of the purchase of new stretcher for the Jackson Parish coroner's office. Motion carried.

Motion- Mr. Burris, seconded by Mrs. Cowans to amend the agenda to add agenda item #6 recommending a 5% across the board increase in salary for the Jackson Parish Police Jury employees. Motion carried

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Motion by Mrs. Cowans, seconded by Mr. Burris to adjourn. Motion carried.