The Jackson Parish Police Jury met in Business Session Monday, August 3, 2020 at 5:00 PM at the Dr. Charles H. Garrett Community Center, Jonesboro, Louisiana. Members present: Mr. Todd Culpepper, Ms. Amy Magee, Mr. John McCarty, Ms. Tarneshala Cowans, Ms. Regina Rowe, and Mr. Lynn Treadway. Absent: Mr. Lewis Chatham.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Ms. Magee.

Mr. McCarty gave the invocation and Ms. Cowans led in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

The President opened the floor for public comments.

Mr. Hal Mims, Mayor of East Hodge stated that he had submitted block grants to repair bad areas in their town roads and that his engineer estimated that it would take \$50,000 for the repairs.

The President called for Committee Reports.

Mr. Treadway, Chairman of the Economic Development Committee, provided a summary of the July 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting.

Ms. Cowans, Chairman of the Policy and Personnel Committee, provided a summary of the July 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting. The Jury discussed the COVID-19 policy and asked for the Return to Work" section include the requirement of one negative test result.

The Jury reviewed the Telecommuting Policy.

The Jury discussed the trustee labor provided by the prison. Mr. Anderson stated his concerns.

The Jury discussed the request for Mr. Anderson to be reclassified to Level III. Ms. Magee reviewed the feedback from the Operations Committee meetings in February and March. She stated that she wanted to keep all reclassifications and raises for the end of the year, per the established policy and procedures. Ms. Rowe detailed the policy established in 2018.

Mr. Culpepper, Chairman of the Finance Committee, provided a summary of the July 24<sup>th</sup> meeting. The Jury discussed the 2020 millage, the Library millage, the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement for the North Louisiana Economic Partnership, and reviewed the budget amendments.

Ms. Magee, Chairman of the Operations Committee, provided a summary of the July 28<sup>th</sup> meeting. The Jury reviewed the cost estimates for Poda and Rosco road. Ms. Magee stated that the Parish Engineer would provide updated options for Rosco and Shalimar roads.

The Jury reviewed the updated Organizations Charts for the Road and Solid Waste Departments.

The Jury reviewed the recommended agreement with the Clerk of Court.

With the conclusion of Committee Reports, the President moved on to Continued Business. The Jury reviewed the status of committee assignments. Ms. Magee asked the members of the Veteran's Committee to meet to discuss their plans for Veteran's Day.

The Jury reviewed the nominees and actions needed for parish board appointments.

The Jury discussed the status of Sugar Creek Road. Mr. Culpepper confirmed that there were still agreements between property owners that needed to be completed. The Jury determined that it was not ready for a Road Removal Hearing and cancelled the August 10<sup>th</sup> hearing.

The President moved to New Business.

The Jury reviewed the municipal requests for the 2020 appropriation.

The Jury discussed the need to hold a special election for Constable, District E due to no one qualifying for the position.

The President opened the floor for discussion of other topics.

Ms. Magee presented the Jury with a lease agreement and Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Department of Children and Family Services for them to be able to utilize the Dr. Charles H. Garrett Community Center in the event of a state issued state of emergency as a DSNAP Site.

The President opened the floor for announcements and notifications.

Motion Mr. McCarty, seconded Ms. Rowe to adjourn. Motion carried.