

TO: Lincoln Parish Police Jury
FROM: Public Works Committee
SUBJECT: Committee Report

The Public Works Committee of the Lincoln Parish Police Jury met in the Jack Beard Community Room, 910 North Trenton Street, Tuesday, March 8, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. Present were: Logan Hunt, Chair; Theresa Wyatt, TJ Cranford, Glenn Scriber, and Matt Pullin.

ABSENT: None

Logan Hunt called the meeting to order and Glenn Scriber delivered the invocation.

Theresa Wyatt made a motion, seconded by TJ Cranford, to approve the agenda. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

First on the Agenda was to consider permission to advertise for asphalt bids. TJ Cranford offered a motion, seconded by Matt Pullin, to recommend advertising for asphalt bids for a one-year period. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Next on the agenda was to consider the possibility of revising the current road striping ordinance. Chair Hunt stated that he would like to have a pilot study done for striping on heavily travelled chip sealed roads. Theresa Wyatt asked if Garr Road could be put in the study due to oil trucks travelling this road. After discussion, Administrator Doug Postel stated that he would research options and report back to the committee.

Theresa Wyatt offered a motion, seconded by Matt Pullin, to recommend assisting Dubach with limb pickup. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Next on the Agenda was to consider acquisition of equipment. TJ Cranford offered a motion, seconded by Matt Pullin, to recommend approving the purchase of two John Deere Utility Tractors on state contract. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Glenn Scriber offered a motion, seconded by Matt Pullin, to recommend advertising for bids for the purchase of two side mount rotary mowers on state contract. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

TJ Cranford offered a motion, seconded by Matt Pullin, to recommend approving the purchase of one commercial Ztrak Diesel Lawn Mower on state contract. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Matt Pullin offered a motion, seconded by TJ Cranford, to recommend advertising for bids for the purchase of a broom tractor. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Matt Pullin offered a motion, seconded by Glenn Scriber, to recommend advertising for bids

for the purchase of a soil stabilizer/recycler. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Theresa Wyatt offered a motion, seconded by TJ Cranford, to recommend advertising for bids for the purchase of an 8-yard dump truck. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Glenn Scriber offered a motion, seconded by TJ Cranford, to recommend the purchase of a Warren EAC-2420 Sand Spreader. The motion carried with the following votes:

YEAS: Wyatt, Cranford, Hunt, Scriber, and Pullin

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

The last item on the Agenda was a discussion of Longstraw Road. Parish Administrator Doug Postel stated that the road had been closed inside City Limits to accommodate runways at Ruston Regional Airport. Since then those that live in the area have expressed concerns about emergency services having to drive through Jackson Parish and back into Lincoln Parish in order to arrive on scene. Mr. Postel stated that he believes St. Peter's Church Road may provide a cut through, however solutions were still being researched. No action was taken.

There being no other business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned.

Doug Postel
Parish Administrator

Logan Hunt
Committee Chair