

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 2019 AT 5:30 P.M.**

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER. **(PLEASE SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES/ELECTRONIC DEVICES)**

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.
2. ROLL CALL.
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF JULY 10, 2019.
4. PUBLIC COMMENTS: COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ARE ALLOWED IN ACCORDANCE WITH LA R.S. 42:11 AND CITY OF PORT ALLEN CODE OF ORDINANCES IN CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE II, SECTION 2-34 AND SPECIFICALLY LIMITED TO AN AGENDA ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED DURING THE MEETING.
5. PUBLIC HEARING TO OBTAIN VIEWS REGARDING THE ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION SETTING MILLAGE RATES FOR THE TAX YEAR 2018 FOR ALL PROPERTIES SUBJECT TO TAXATION WITHIN THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN. **(MAYOR LEE)**
6. ADOPT A RESOLUTION SETTING THE MILLAGE RATES FOR THE TAX YEAR 2018 FOR ALL PROPERTIES SUBJECT TO TAXATION WITHIN THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: **(MUNICIPAL CLERK)**

General Alimony	7.54 mills
Police Department	5.27 mills

(originally approved by voters through a tax proposition election held on October 19, 1985 for a period of ten years beginning with 1986 and renewed by voters through a special election held on October 21, 1995 for a period of ten years beginning with 1996 and again renewed by voters through a special election held on January 15, 2005 for a period of ten years beginning with 2006, and again renewed by voters through a special election held on November 21, 2015 for a period of ten years beginning with 2016)

7. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION TO REQUEST ADDITIONAL FUNDING FROM THE WEST BATON ROUGE CONVENTION AND VISITOR'S BUREAU TO ASSIST WITH THE WHITEHEAD BOULEVARD RECREATIONAL TRAILS PROJECT. **(PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE)**
8. PUBLIC HEARING TO OBTAIN VIEWS REGARDING THE ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING THE STATE OF LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT RIGHT-OF-WAY ONLY FOR LOUISIANA HIGHWAY 76 (COURT STREET) EXCLUDING ANY PAVED ROADWAY THEREON INTO THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA, PURSUANT TO LSA-R.S. 33:180 ET SEQ.
9. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING THE STATE OF LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT RIGHT-OF-WAY ONLY FOR LOUISIANA HIGHWAY 76 (COURT STREET) EXCLUDING ANY PAVED ROADWAY THEREON INTO THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA, PURSUANT TO LSA-R.S. 33:180 ET SEQ. *(Introduced on June 12, 2019)*

ORDINANCE NO. 4 OF 2019

AN ORDINANCE TO ANNEX THE STATE OF LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTION AND DEVELOPMENT RIGHT-OF-WAY ONLY FOR LOUISIANA HIGHWAY 76 (COURT STREET) EXCLUDING ANY PAVED ROADWAY THEREON INTO THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA, PURSUANT TO LSA-R.S. 33:180 ET SEQ.; AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS.

10. PUBLIC HEARING TO OBTAIN VIEWS REGARDING THE ANNEXATION OF ADDITIONAL PROPERTY INTO THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA PURSUANT TO LSA-R.2. 33:172 ET SEQ.
11. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE ANNEXING OF ADDITIONAL PROPERTY INTO THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA PURSUANT TO LSA-R.S. 33:172 ET SEQ. (*Introduced on June 12, 2019*)

ORDINANCE NO. 5 OF 2019

AN ORDINANCE TO ANNEX ADDITIONAL PROPERTY INTO THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA PURSUANT TO LSA-R.S. 33:172 ET SEQ.; AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS.

12. PUBLIC HEARING TO OBTAIN VIEWS REGARDING THE CITY COUNCIL'S INTENTION TO AMEND ITS ORDINANCE REGARDING THE CURRENT PROHIBITION AGAINST KEEPING CHICKENS ON THEIR PROPERTY INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS UNDER CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS AND CONDITION.
13. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES CURRENTLY PROHIBITING THE KEEPING OF FOWL TO NOW ALLOW THE KEEPING OF CERTAIN FOWL UNDER SPECIFIC CONDITIONS AND CIRCUMSTANCES. (*Introduced on June 12, 2019*)
(PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE)

ORDINANCE NO. 6 OF 2019

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN, STATE OF LOUISIANA, PROVIDING THAT THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA BE AMENDED BY ADDING LANGUAGE TO CHAPTER 18, ARTICLE II, DIVISION 1, SEC. 18-75, AND REMOVING LANGUAGE FROM SEC. 18-73, TO AUTHORIZE KEEPING OF CERTAIN FOWL UNDER SPECIFIC RESTRICTIONS AND CIRCUMSTANCES INSIDE THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN; AND TO PROVIDE FOR RELATED MATTERS.

14. CONSIDER ADOPTING THE LOUISIANA COMPLIANCE QUESTIONNAIRE REQUIRED ANNUALLY BY THE LOUISIANA LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR. **(MAYOR LEE)**
15. CONSIDER INTRODUCING AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CITY OF PORT ALLEN BUDGET IN THE SEWER FUND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$36,000 TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF TWO (2) 30KW/40HP MOTORS AND A REPLACEMENT BLOWER FOR THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT. **(MAYOR LEE)**
16. CONSIDER DECLARING ONE (1) 2007 CROWN VICTORIA, BEARING LOUISIANA VIN #2FAFP71V78X141465, ASSIGNED TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AS SURPLUS PROPERTY AND AUTHORIZING THE DISPOSAL OF THIS PROPERTY IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. **(MAYOR LEE)**

17. CONSIDER A REQUEST TO GO INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO LA.R.S. 42:71(A)(1).
(MAYOR LEE)
18. CONSIDERATION OF TAKING ACTION IN REFERENCE TO AN APPEAL OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST AN EMPLOYEE OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT. **(MAYOR LEE)**
19. CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS. **(CITY ATTORNEY)**
20. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE PERMITS. **(ADRIAN GENRE)**
21. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE. **(MAYOR LEE)**
22. **ADJOURN.**