

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA  
WEDNESDAY, November 10, 2021**

The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Port Allen, Louisiana met in regular session on Wednesday, November 10, 2021 in the Council Chambers of Port Allen City Hall.

Mayor Lee called the meeting to order at 5:30PM and Police Chief Cory Hicks led the pledge of allegiance. Council members present were: Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy and Mr. Riviere.

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mrs. Lacy to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of October 13, 2021. The motion carried by unanimous consent of the members present.

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Riviere to promote Corporal Kendra Wisham to Sergeant effective October 13, 2021 with a pay grade change from 113-D to 114-E. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas: Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere: Nays: None. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Riviere and seconded by Mr. Brown to approve a salary increase of Corporal Aleric Celestine from pay grade 113-D to 113-E upon completion of his 6 month probationary period effective October 13, 2021. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas: Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere: Nays; none. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Riviere and seconded by Mrs. Gordon to authorize Chief Hicks to advertise to interview and make recommendations for hiring two (2) post certified officers and one non-post certified officer to fill three (3) vacant positions in the Police Department. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas; Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere; Nays; none. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Riviere to award to the lowest bidder the clarifier rehabilitation project at the Waste Water Treatment Plant. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas; Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere: Nays, none. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Riviere and seconded by Mr. Brown to fund equipment for the Port Allen High School Baseball Team at a cost of \$480.24. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas; Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere: Nays; None. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mrs. Gordon to fund the Annual Black History Parade at a cost of \$3,000.00. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas; Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere: Nays; None. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mrs. Lacy to introduce an ordinance to amend the fiscal year 2021-2022 City of Port Allen Roads and Drainage Fund to cover the cost of a truck to replace the vehicle damaged by fire. A roll call vote was as follows: Yeas; Mr. Brown, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. Hubble, Mrs. Lacy, Mr. Riviere; Nays; None. Motion passed.

There were no condemnation proceedings.

There were no alcoholic beverage permits issued.

Announcements:

- Mayor Lee announced the retirement of Mr. Claude Webre, Jr. after 25 years of service and Mr. Carl Dunn after 17 years of service to the City of Port Allen.
- PEC representative gave an update on the LGAP grant for 2021-2022

A motion was made by Mr. Brown and seconded by Mr. Riviere to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:45PM.

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a/ Richard N. Lee, III, Mayor

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a/ Rose A. Roche', Municipal Clerk