

CADDO PARISH COMMISSION
505 TRAVIS STREET, GOVERNMENT PLAZA
PUBLIC NOTICE
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
Streaming at www.caddo.org
February 20, 2020
3:30 P.M.

1. ROLL CALL:

Commissioners:

Hopkins	District 1	Gage-Watts	District 7
Johnson	District 2	Taliaferro	District 8
Jackson	District 3	Atkins	District 9
Young	District 4	Chavez	District 10
Burrell	District 5	Lazarus	District 11
Cawthorne	District 6	Epperson	District 12

2. INVOCATION:

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Veterans and active military members saluting during recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance would be appropriate, should you wish to do so.

4. AGENDA ADDITIONS:

5. CITIZENS COMMENTS:

Citizens who wish to address the Commission on any issue other than zoning, please fill out a comment card located in the chamber foyer and return to the President or the Clerk of the Commission. Individual comments are limited to 3 minutes

NOTE: Citizens who wish to address the Commission on matters relative to public hearings (items listed on the agenda only) will be limited to a cumulative total of 15 minutes each, for or against an issue. Those who wish to speak or make a presentation are asked to select their speakers and address the points they wish considered with this limitation in mind.

6. VISITORS:

7. ADOPT REGULAR SESSION MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 6, 2020

8. SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS:

9. COMMUNIQUE AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Administration response to information requests from Commissioners

10. PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

11. PUBLIC HEARING ON ZONING ORDINANCES AND CASES:

12. PUBLIC HEARING ON ORDINANCES:

12.I. Ordinance No. 5943 Of 2020

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BUDGET OF ESTIMATED REVENUES & EXPENDITURES FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000 TO PROVIDE AN APPROPRIATION TO LEGAL SERVICES OF NORTH LOUISIANA, INC. AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

(Commissioner Jackson)

Documents:

[5943 FACT SHEET NORTH LOUISIANA LEGAL AID.PDF](#)
[5943 LEGAL SERVICES FINAL.PDF](#)

13. ZONING ORDINANCES: (For Final Passage)

14. ORDINANCES: (For Final Passage)

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15. ZONING ORDINANCES (For Introduction By Title)

16. ORDINANCES: (For Introduction By Title)

17. WORK SESSION MINUTES FEBRUARY 18, 2020
RATIFY WORK SESSION MINUTES

18. RESOLUTIONS:

18.I. Resolution No. 12 Of 2020
A RESOLUTION TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WITH MENTAL
ILLNESSES IN JAILS, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

(Commissioner Gage-Watts)

Documents:

[12 STEPPING UP - MENTAL HEALTH IN LOCAL JAILS.PDF](#)

18.II. Resolution No. 13 Of 2020
A RESOLUTION OF THE PARISH OF CADDO URGING THE LOUISIANA STATE
LEGISLATURE TO STRENGTHEN THE LOUISIANA GUN LAW BY
INCORPORATING MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS FOR OWNING AND CARRYING
A FIREARM, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

(Commissioner Johnson)

Documents:

[13 GUN LAW.PDF](#)

18.III. Resolution No. 14 Of 2020
A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NORTHWEST
LOUISIANA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS (NLCOG), THE COORDINATION AND
DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (CDC), AND THE LSUS RED RIVER
WATERSHED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPLYING
FOR GRANT FUNDING AND ACTING IN SUPPORT OF WATERSHED REGION
MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES AND IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE STATE OF
LOUISIANA WATERSHED INITIATIVE, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH
RESPECT THERETO

(Administration)

Documents:

[14 WATERSHED INITIATIVE.PDF](#)

19. OLD BUSINESS:

20. NEW BUSINESS:

20.I. Confirm Re-Opening The Hiring Process For The Commission Clerk, Starting Internally
(Commissioner Epperson)

20.II. Confirm Submitting Formal Request On Behalf Of The Parish To The BOR Shreveport
Law School Study
(Commissioner Jackson)

21. COMMUNIQUES AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

22. CITIZEN COMMENTS (Late Arrivals)

23. ADJOURN:

To all persons desiring to attend and observe a meeting of the Caddo Parish Commission, or who wish to present information to the body: If you have physical limitations that require special accommodations in order for you to attend and participate in a meeting of the Caddo Parish Commission, please contact the office of the Caddo Parish Commission Clerk at (318) 226-6596, at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting so that an effort can be made to provide those accommodations.