

RAPIDES PARISH POLICE JURY

SPECIAL SESSION
AUGUST 6, 2012

The Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, met in Special Session at its regular meeting place, the Police Jury Room of the Parish Courthouse, 701 Murray Street, Alexandria, Louisiana, on Monday, August 6, 2012, at 3:00 p.m. (Central Standard Time), pursuant to the provisions of a written notice given to each and every member thereof and duly posted in the manner required by law, viz:

Notice Posted: July 26, 2012 11:30 a.m.
(Date) (Time)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING/MEETING

I. A public hearing will be held as follows:

DATE: August 6, 2012
TIME: 3:00 p.m. CST
PLACE: Rapides Parish Police Jury Meeting Room, 2nd Floor Parish Courthouse,
701 Murray Street, Alexandria, Louisiana

1. To discuss adopting the adjusted 2012 ad valorem millage rates after reassessment and/or roll forward to millage rates not to exceed the prior year's maximum millage rates as advertised.
(Mr. Overton)

Close public hearing; ADJOURN.

II. A public meeting will be held as follows:

DATE: August 6, 2012
TIME: Immediately following the public hearing
PLACE OF MEETING: Rapides Parish Police Jury Meeting Room, 2nd Floor Parish
Courthouse, 701 Murray Street, Alexandria, Louisiana

AGENDA: (Full meeting agenda is required.)

Call to Order
Roll Call
Public Comment
Approval of Minutes from last meeting/hearing will be done in the next Jury meeting on August 13, 2012.

There is no old business to be discussed.

New Business:

1. Adopt the adjusted millage rates.
2. Set forth the adjusted millage rates **and** roll forward to millage rates not exceeding the maximum authorized rates.
3. Adopt other authorized millages or taxes.

Adjournment

Oliver Overton, Jr., President
(Name of Authorized Person)
Rapides Parish Police Jury
(Name of Taxing District)
PO Box 1150, Alexandria, LA 71309
(Address)
(318) 473-6660
(Telephone Number)

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There were present: Honorable Oliver Overton, President; Richard Vanderlick, Vice President; and Police Jurors Joe Bishop; Scott Perry, Jr.; Theodore Fountaine, Jr.; Davron "Bubba" Moreau; Craig Smith; Richard Billings; and Sean McGlothlin.

Also present were Mr. Tim Ware, Treasurer; Mr. Dennis Woodward, Public Works Director; Ms. Donna Andries, Sales Tax Administrator; Ms. Melissa Becker, Rapides Area Planning Commission Area Director; Ms. Elaine Morace, WIA Director; Mr. Shane Trapp, Courthouse and Jail Building Superintendent; Chief Randy McCain, Fire District No. 2; Mr. Thomas O. Wells, Legal Counsel; and Ms. Angela T. Voss, Parish Secretary.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, State of Louisiana, was duly convened as the governing authority of said Parish by Hon. Oliver Overton, President, who welcomed all present and then stated that the Police Jury was ready for the transaction of business.

Mr. Oliver Overton, President, called the meeting to order.

Motion by Mr. Joe Bishop, seconded by Mr. Richard Billings, to hold a public hearing to discuss and adopt the adjusted 2012 ad valorem millage rates and/or roll forward to millage rates not to exceed the prior year's maximum millage rates for the tax year 2011, as advertised. On vote the motion carried. OPEN HEARING
2012 MILLAGES

Mr. Tim Ware explained the hearing and rolling forward or back of millages in detail by giving examples of how the process works.

Mr. Overton asked if there was any Public comment or questions.

Mr. Randy Patterson expressed his opinion to roll down and keep down.

Mr. Ware explained what Mr. Patterson was asking and why the Jury should roll up the four millages that could be rolled up.

Motion by Mr. Oliver Overton, seconded by Mr. Joe Bishop, to close the public hearing. On vote the motion carried at 3:12 p.m. CLOSE HEARING

Motion by Mr. Richard Vanderlick, seconded by Mr. Sean McGlothlin, to open the public meeting. On vote OPEN MEETING

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the motion carried at 3:12 p.m.

Motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Joe Bishop, to adjust all millage rates by rolling forward or back not to exceed the prior year's maximum millage rates. On vote the motion carried. ADJ. ALL MILLAGE RATES FORWARD OR BACK

RESOLUTION NO. 1

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, Louisiana, in a public meeting held on August 6, 2012, which meeting was conducted in accordance with the Open Meetings Law and the additional requirements of Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Louisiana Constitution and R.S. 47:1705(B), that the following **adjusted** millage rates be and they are hereby levied upon the dollar of the assessed valuation of all property subject to ad valorem taxation within said Parish for the year 2012, for the purpose of raising revenue:

MILLAGE

	Adjusted Rate
General Alimony	4.04
Exempted Municipalities	2.02
Fire District No 2 Service Area 1	16.510
Fire District No 3	12.930
Fire District No 4	15.300
Fire District No 5	41.660
Fire District No 6	20.410
Fire District No 7	26.040
Fire District No 7	14.260
Fire District No 8	52.030
Fire District No 9	24.020
Fire District No 10	21.230
Fire District No 10	22.590
Fire District No 11	33.160
Fire District No 11 Service Area 1	53.720
Fire District No 11 Service Area 2	45.850
Road District No 1A	25.030
Road District No 2C	54.490
Road District No 3A	32.000
Road District No 5A	48.240
Road District No 6A	21.610
Road District No 6A	53.070
Road District No 7A	5.560
Road District No 9B	10.980
Road District No 10A	9.940
Road District No 36	10.560
Recreation District Buckeye	6.090
Health Unit	1.060
Senior Citizens Services	1.060
Renaissance	2.060
Libraries	1.030
Library Parishwide	6.260

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Assessor of the Parish of Rapides, shall extend upon the assessment roll for the year 2012 the taxes herein levied, and the tax collector of said Parish shall collect and remit the same to said taxing authority in accordance with law.

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The foregoing resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by the following votes:

YEAS: Oliver Overton Jr., Richard Vanderlick, Joe Bishop, Scott Perry Jr., Theodore Fountaine Jr., Davron "Bubba" Moreau, Craig Smith, Sean McGlothlin, Richard Billings

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT: None

Motion by Mr. Richard Billings, seconded by Mr. Joe Bishop, to adopt all other authorized millages (Fire District No. 2 and Fire District No. 14). On vote the motion carried.

**ADOPT ALL OTHER
MILLAGES**

Motion by Mr. Bubba Moreau, seconded by Mr. Joe Bishop, to roll forward the adjusted millage rates (Fire District No. 3, Fire District No. 4, Road District No. 10A, Road District No. 36) not exceeding the maximum authorized rates. On vote the motion carried.

ROLL FORWARD

RESOLUTION NO. 2

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rapides Parish Police Jury of the Parish of Rapides, Louisiana, in a public meeting held on August 6, 2012, which meeting was conducted in accordance with the Open Meetings Law and the additional requirements of Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Louisiana Constitution and R.S. 47:1705(B), that the taxing district voted to increase the millage rate(s), but not in excess of the prior year's maximum rate(s), on all taxable property shown on the official assessment roll for the year 2012, and when collected, the revenues from said taxes shall be used only for the specific purposes for which said taxes have been levied. Said millage rate(s) are:

	Adjusted Rate	<u>2012 Levy</u>
General Alimony	4.04	4.04
Exempted Municipalities	2.02	2.02
Fire District 2		15.52
Fire District 2 Service Area 1	16.510	16.510
Fire District 3	12.930	13.210
Fire District 4	15.300	15.340
Fire District 5	41.660	41.660
Fire District 6	20.410	20.410
Fire District 7	26.040	26.040
Fire District 7	14.260	14.260
Fire District 8	52.030	52.030
Fire District 9	24.020	24.020
Fire District 10	21.230	21.230
Fire District 10	22.590	22.590
Fire District 11	33.160	33.160
Fire District 11 Service Area 1	53.720	53.720
Fire District 11 Service Area 2	45.850	45.850
Fire District 14		21.93
Road District No 1A	25.030	25.030
Road District No 2C	54.490	54.490
Road District No 3A	32.000	32.000
Road District No 5A	48.240	48.240
Road District No 6A	21.610	21.610
Road District No 6A	53.070	53.070

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Road District No 7A	5.560	5.560
Road District No 9B	10.980	10.980
Road District No 10A	9.940	10.040
Road District No 36	10.560	10.770
Recreation District Buckeye	6.090	6.090
Health Unit	1.060	1.060
Senior Citizens Services	1.060	1.060
Renaissance	2.060	2.060
Libraries	1.030	1.030
Library Parishwide	6.260	6.260

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Assessor of the Parish of Rapides, shall extend upon the assessment roll for the year 2012 the taxes herein levied, and the tax collector of said Parish shall collect and remit the same to said taxing authority in accordance with law.

The foregoing resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by no less than two-thirds of the total membership of the taxing authority voting in favor as required by Article VII, Section 23(C) of the Louisiana Constitution and R.S. 47:1705(B). The votes were:

Vote: Motion passed (**summary:** Yes = 7, No = 2, Abstain = 0).

Yes: Craig Smith, Davron "Bubba" Moreau, Joe Bishop, Oliver Overton, Richard Vanderlick, Scott Perry, Sean McGlothlin.

No: Richard Billings, Theodore Fontaine Jr.

Motion by Mr. Joe Bishop, seconded by Mr. Richard Vanderlick, to close the public meeting. On vote the motion carried at 3:14 p.m. **CLOSE MEETING**

Angela T. Voss, Secretary
Rapides Parish Police Jury

Oliver Overton, President
Rapides Parish Police Jury