

Posted:  
APRIL 2, 2026



Notice of Regular Committee Meetings to be held on Monday, April 6, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. in the Police Jury Meeting Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor of Parish Courthouse, 701 Murray Street, Ste. 201, Alexandria.

**“Craig Smith, President”**

1. **Finance Committee.....3**  
*Chairman: Davron “Bubba” Moreau*
2. **Public Works, Watershed and Agricultural Affairs Committee.....5**  
*Chairman: Parrish W. Giles*
3. **Workforce Development and Grants Committee.....9**  
*Chairman: Randy Wiggins*
4. **Tourism and Economic Planning and Development Committee.....10**  
*Chairman: Jay Scott*
5. **Courthouse, Coliseum and Facilities Committee.....11**  
*Chairman: Sean McGlothlin*
6. **Parochial Board Liaison and Municipal Liaison Committee.....12**  
*Chairman: Danny Bordelon*
7. **Personnel, Elections, Insurance and Legal Committee.....13**  
*Chairman: Oliver “Ollie” Overton, Jr.*
8. **Ambulance, Fire, Health and Homeland Security Committee.....14**  
*Chairman: Randy Harris*

In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to attend this public meeting, please contact the Police Jury Office at (318) 473-6660, describing the assistance that is necessary.

CALL TO ORDER  
RAPIDES PARISH POLICE JURY  
STANDING COMMITTEE'S  
APRIL 6, 2026

WELCOME

ROLL CALL

IF THERE IS ANY PUBLIC COMMENT ON ANY AGENDA  
ITEM IN THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE'S, PLEASE STAND  
TO BE RECOGNIZED ON THAT ITEM

Recognize and present plaques to the Peabody Boys Basketball team  
for winning LHSAA 2026 Division II Select Championship.

Recognize Mr. Peter Williams Candidate for Louisiana 6<sup>th</sup>  
Congressional District.

FINANCE COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
DAVRON “BUBBA” MOREAU, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
  
2. Treasurer’s Report.
  
3. Motion to amend a motion of December 8, 2025 to correct the asset number from Rapides Parish Fire District No. 10 – Plainview VFD Asset/Inventory Listing, ~~10859~~ to 10359 – 2008 Ford F-250. Equipment to be placed for auction as requested by the Fire Chief and approved by the Plainview VFD Board of Directors.  
(Mr. Giles)
  
4. Motion to approve the purchase of a 50KW Generator for Rapides Parish Fire District No. 18, to be installed at Station No. 3, Hwy 112, Lecompte, Louisiana, as recommended by the Fire Chief and approved by the Fire District Board of Directors on March 20, 2026.  
(Mr. Overton)
  
5. Motion to delete from the Rapides Parish Police Jury Finance Asset/Inventory program the equipment listed below as it no longer suitable for public use:

<u>Asset Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Method of Disposal</u>
12065	Folding Machine	Auction

  
(Mr. Moreau)
  
6. Motion to authorize Rapides Parish Fire District#6 to purchase a 2024 F550 Mini Pumper from Bull Dog Fire, under the qualified group purchasing HGAC contract, cost not to exceed \$332,000.00, as recommended by the Fire Chief and approved by the Deville Volunteer Fire Department Board of Directors on March 30, 2026.  
(Mr. Smith)

7. Motion to Open for Public Auction and record Ordinance of Sale for the following property as requested by the Attorney hired through the City of Alexandria and private to help move blighted, abandoned, adjudicated property:

**Tax Debtor**

Alice Hammond

**Description**

Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Tisonville Subdivision of Lot Fifteen (15) of Leland College Subdivision, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 215 of the records of Rapides Parish, Louisiana LESS & EXCEPT: Part expropriated in Suit # 155,362 State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation & Development Vs. Ruby Lee Hammond, dated June 30, 1989, filed and recorded July 7, 1989, Conveyance Book 1267, Page 490 of the records of Rapides Parish, Louisiana (Receipt in Conveyance Book 1267, Page 492) Bearing the municipal address of: 3744 Bethel Street, Alexandria, LA

(Mr. Moreau)

8. Receive a quarterly update from Ms. Betty Jo Bourgeois on sales tax collections within Rapides Parish and legislative update on sales tax related bills.
9. Motion to approve the purchase of office furniture from Louisiana State Contract No. 4400032301 to be used for the Police Jury Administrative Office at 711 Washington Street.  
(Mr. Smith)

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

PUBLIC WORKS, WATERSHED & AGRICULTURAL  
AFFAIRS COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
PARRISH W. GILES, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
2. Public Works Director's Report.
3. Motion to authorize the leasing of three (3) 1-ton trucks, three (3) <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> ton trucks, and four (4) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-ton trucks for the Rapides Parish Highway Department thru Enterprise Fleet Management and authorize the President to sign all necessary documents, as recommended by the Interim Public Works Director.  
(Public Works Study Committee 3/12)
4. Motion to delete from the Rapides Parish Police Jury Public Works Asset/Inventory program the equipment listed below as it no longer suitable for public use:

<u>Asset Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Method of Disposal</u>
11141	2015 Ford F250 VIN No. 1FT7W2B62FEA58746	Auction
11143	2015 Ford F250 VIN No. 1FT7W2B64FEA58747	Auction
12403	2019 Dodge Ram 1500 VIN No. 1C6RR7KG2KS659423	Auction
12404	2019 Dodge Ram 1500 VIN No. 1C6RR7KG4KS659424	Auction
12405	2019 Dodge Ram 1500 VIN No. 1C6RR7KG6KS659425	Auction
12407	2019 Dodge Ram 1500 VIN No. 3C6JR6DG5KG583286	Auction

(Mr. Giles)

5. Motion to authorize Pan American Engineers to advertise for bids for various road improvements in Curtis Park Subdivision, Road District 10A, District A, project cost estimated to be \$515,000.00. Project to be funded by Road District 10A, District A.  
(Mr. Moreau)
  
6. Motion to approve a one (1) year contract with 4-K Farm & Trucking, LLC for transporting waste tires as per the Environmental Regulatory Code, Section 10523, Parts A-K, pages 141-142. The contract will automatically renew after a one (1) year period unless cancelled by either party thirty (30) days prior to end date of the contract.  
(Mr. Giles)
  
7. Motion to authorize Pan American Engineers to advertise for bids for various road improvements for patch base failures and overlay on Downs Lane, Road District 36A, District E, project cost estimated to be \$700,000.00. Project to be funded by Road District 36A, District E.  
(Mr. Bordelon)
  
8. Motion to authorize the Purchasing Agent to advertise and receive bids for off road diesel fuel and storage tanks for the Public Works Department. Storage tanks to be placed at Area 1 - Rapides Parish Public Works Main Office, Area 2 - Esler Field site and Area 3 - Glenmora work site.  
(Mr. Giles)
  
9. Motion to authorize the trade in of Asset No. 12730 – Dodge Ram 1500, VIN No. 1C6RRGST6MS506828 and Asset No. 12732 – Dodge Ram 1500, VIN No. 1C6RR6ST4MS506830, leased by Public Works Department thru Enterprise Fleet Management. Gain of trade in to be applied toward balance of the Enterprise Fleet Lease for the Public Works Department.  
(Mr. Giles)

10. Motion to authorize the leasing of two (2) Dodge Ram 1500 Crew Cab trucks, for the Rapides Parish Public Works Department as replacements for trading in Asset No. 12730 – Dodge Ram 1500 & Asset No. 12732 – Dodge Ram 1500.  
(Mr. Giles)
  
11. Motion to authorize cleanup of garbage, trash, weeds and debris at 7019 Isabella Drive, Alexandria, LA and authorize legal counsel to invoice the property owner for cost of cleanup. Public Works Department to complete the job if a contractor is unable to complete the job in a timely manner or if it is cost prohibitive.  
(Mr. McGlothlin)
  
12. Motion to authorize cleanup of garbage, trash, weeds and debris at 5106 Benjamin Street, Alexandria, LA and authorize legal counsel to invoice the property owner for cost of cleanup. Public Works Department to complete the job if a contractor is unable to complete the job in a timely manner or if it is cost prohibitive.  
(Mr. Scott)
  
13. Motion to authorize the Purchasing Agent to receive price quotes and award to the lowest bidder for chip sealing on various roads in Road District 2B-1, District C, cost not to exceed \$240,000.00. Project to be funded by Road District 2B-1, District C Maintenance Funds.  
(Mr. Smith)
  
14. Motion by Mr. Bubba Moreau, seconded by Mr. Craig Smith to authorize the Purchasing Agent to receive price quotes and award to the lowest bidder for chip sealing on various roads in Road District 2B-2, District C, cost not to exceed \$240,000.00. Project to be funded by Road District 2B-2, District C Maintenance Funds.  
(Mr. Smith)

15. Motion to accept Project No. 3490 – Waters Bayou Drainage Improvements as “Substantially Complete”, with the exception of punch list items and authorize the Parish President to sign the Substantial Completion certificate, as recommended by Pan American Engineers.  
(Mr. Smith)
  
16. Receive an update from the Cotile Lake Study Committee on needs for the Cotile Recreation Area and Cotile Lake.  
(Mr. Bordelon)
  
17. Receive a quarterly update from Matt Johns on permits issued by RAPC for the Rapides Parish Police Jury.
  
18. Motion to extend the agreement with Richard’s Bush-Hogging Services, to mow the levees at Cotile, Kincaid and Indian Creek, twice per year for a charge of \$10,528.00 per time, for a total of \$21,056.00, (same price as previous year) to begin as soon as possible, as per recommendation by the Interim Public Works Director and agreed upon by Vendor.  
(Mr. Giles)

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT  
ARE NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT & GRANTS COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
RANDY WIGGINS, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
2. Motion to accept the one (1) year extension of the Youth Empowerment Services Grant in the amount \$100,000.00 and approve a program extension through the Rapides Foundation to continue operating until March 31, 2027 and authorize Ms. Sharon Neal, Executive Director and the Parish President to sign all necessary documents.  
(Mr. Wiggins)
3. Motion to adopt a resolution authorizing Parish President Craig Smith, to execute any and all documents with LADOTD for Esler Regional Airport, including but not limited to applications, grant agreements, capital improvement plans, local funding matches, enrollment forms, and other related documents required for state programs.  
(Mr. Moreau)
4. Receive a quarterly update from Kimberly Boyd on grants administered by RAPC for the Rapides Parish Police Jury.

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE  
NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

TOURISM AND ECONOMIC PLANNING  
AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
JAY SCOTT, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE  
NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

COURTHOUSE, COLISEUM AND FACILITIES COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
SEAN MCGLOTHLIN, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
2. Receive an update on the Courthouse and Coliseum.  
(Mr. McGlothlin)
3. Motion to authorize the President to execute Beneficial Occupancy documents related to the Courthouse Restroom Renovation Project, construction by DSW Construction, for the third-floor restrooms (men and women) as recommended by the Project Engineer and approved by Fire Marshal. The one-year warranty will begin today upon approval of beneficial occupancy.  
(Mr. McGlothlin)

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE  
NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

PAROCHIAL BOARD LIAISON & MUNICIPAL LIAISON COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
DANNY BORDELON, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
2. Motion to proclaim the month of April 2026 as Rapides Parish Litter Awareness Month.  
(Mr. Smith)
3. Motion to adopt a resolution proclaiming the week of April 12 – 18, 2026 as National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week in Rapides Parish.  
(Mr. Smith)
4. Motion to adopt a resolution proclaiming the month of April 2026 as National County Government Month in Rapides Parish.  
(Mr. Smith)
5. Motion to adopt a resolution proclaiming the week of April 19<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>, 2026 as National Library Week and Rapides Parish Library Week within Rapides Parish.  
(Mr. Smith)
6. Motion to adopt a resolution proclaiming the month of April 2026 as Fair Housing Month in Rapides Parish.  
(Mr. Smith)
7. Motion to adopt a resolution proclaiming the week of April 6 – 10, 2026, as National Community Development Week in Rapides Parish.  
(Mr. Smith)

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE  
NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

PERSONNEL, ELECTIONS, INSURANCE & LEGAL COMMITTEE  
APRIL 6, 2026  
OLIVER "OLLIE" OVERTON, JR., CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
  
2. Motion to authorize the Sales Tax Administrator to request Rapides Parish Civil Service to advertise for the IS Coordinator position at the Sales Tax Office, to allow the current employee to properly train a new hire, prior to the current employee's retirement in December 2026.  
(Mr. Overton)
  
3. Motion to authorize the Purchasing Agent to advertise and receive proposals for drug screening services for Parish employees, as per the adopted Substance Abuse Policy.  
(Mr. Smith)

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE  
NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**

AMBULANCE, FIRE HEALTH & HOMELAND SECURITY COMMITTEE  
 APRIL 6, 2026  
 RANDY HARRIS, CHAIRMAN

1. Public comment on any agenda item upon which a vote is to be taken.
2. Motion to receive the required report from **PAFFORD EMS** under the Contract for February 2026 as reviewed by the Rapides Parish Ambulance Control Board:

Response Zone	# of Resp's	Average Resp Time	Contract % Goal	No Exceptions	With Contract Exceptions	With Acadian Exceptions
<b>Zone 1 (Alexandria/Pineville)</b>						
• <b>8 Minute Zone</b>						
Life Threatening 8:00 min	726	<b>5:49 min</b>	90%	81.57%	83.71%	98.88%
8:01-8:59	46			86.74%	87.87%	99.21%
10 min	46			91.91%	92.58%	99.55%
9:29 min	72			90%		
Non-Life Threatening	270	7:09 min				
<b>Zone 2 (Outside Urban Area)</b>						
• <b>12 Minutes or Less</b>						
Life Threatening 12:00 min	217	<b>8:27 min</b>	90%	84.44%	86.77%	99.22%
12:01-12:59	8			87.55%	89.88%	99.22%
14 min	8			90.66%	92.22%	99.22%
13:41 min	24			90%		
Non-Life Threatening	77	8:37 min				
<b>Zone 3 (Rural Areas)</b>						
• <b>20 Minutes Less</b>						
Life Threatening 20:00 min	145	<b>12:53 min</b>	90%	90.06%	90.68%	98.76%
20:01-20:59	6			93.79%	93.79%	99.38%
22 min	1			94.41%	94.41%	99.38%
20:00 min	9			90%		
Non-Life Threatening	47	14:50 min				
<b>Emergency Hospital</b>						
30:00 min	30	<b>15:56</b>	90%	81.08%	81.08%	100%
31 min	0			81.08%	81.08%	100%
33 min	2			86.49%	86.49%	100%
36:03 min	5			90%		
<b>Non-Emergency</b>						
90:00 min	1,115	<b>15:23</b>	90%	98.82%	98.82%	100%
<b>TOTAL</b>						
	<b>2,854</b>					

(Mr. Harris)

3. Motion to approve the implementation of a volunteer pay per call for Rapides Parish Fire District No. 7, per the policy approved and adopted by the Ruby Kolin Volunteer Board of Directors on March 20, 2026 and recommended by the Fire Chief.

(Mr. Smith)

**THESE ITEMS WERE NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA BUT ARE NOW ADDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT BY ROLL CALL**