

**PROCEEDINGS OF MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
OF THE TOWN OF OAK GROVE, LOUISIANA
TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2022 – 5:00 P.M.**

The Town Council of Oak Grove met in regular session on Tuesday, June 14, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. in the council chambers at City Hall. Present for the meeting were Council Members Nevels, Gammill, Walker, Allen and Dunnahoe. Mayor Holland presided.

Invocation was led by Council Member Gammill.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Walker to approve the minutes of the May 10, 2022 council meeting. The motion passed by general consent.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Nevels to approve the May 2022 financials and bills for payment. The motion passed by general consent.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Nevels to strike Myra Akers with Mary Bird Cancer Center from the agenda. It was noted that Ms. Akers was not able to attend the meeting and would try to reschedule. The motion passed by general consent.

Council Member Nevels made a motion, seconded by Council Member Dunnahoe to approve the corrections to Budget Revision No. 2 for the FY ending June 30, 2022. The motion carried.

Council Member Nevels made a motion, seconded by Council Member Allen to adopt the Budget Ordinance for FY 2022-2023. A roll call vote was taken and the votes were as follows: For 5 Against 0 Absent 0. The Ordinance was recorded in Ordinance Book No. 4; Page 16; as Ordinance No. 618.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Dunnahoe to approve the bid for Official Journal from the West Carroll Gazette for \$4.80per inch which is the equivalent of \$6.00 per legal square. The motion carried.

Council Member Walker made a motion, seconded by Council Member Allen to approve the Juneteenth federal holiday as a paid holiday for town employees. The motion carried.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Nevels to approve Obadiah Rouse to attend Water Level 2 training in Walker, Louisiana July 11-14th. The motion carried.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Nevels to approve Marilyn Jordan to attend the LRWA Convention in Lake Charles July 19 – 20th. The motion carried.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Dunnahoe to approve Chief Russell to attend the annual Chief's convention in Lake Charles July 18 – 21st. The motion carried.

Council Member Walker made a motion, seconded by Council Member Allen to approve hiring Chase Robertson as a full-time police officer. The motion carried.

Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Dunnahoe to approve changing the Legion Hut rental agreement to include an early set-up fee of \$75.00 for renters who wish to have access to the building the afternoon prior to their rental in order to set-up for their event. The motion carried.

The upcoming District C meeting and LMA convention were discussed and everyone was asked to let the Clerk know if they were planning to attend.

Mayor Holland recognized Council Members Dunnahoe and Gammill by presenting each of them with a plaque in recognition of their service to the citizens of Oak Grove.

With no further business to discuss, Council Member Allen made a motion, seconded by Council Member Nevels to adjourn at 5:16 p.m. The motion carried.

MELLISSA CORLEY, LMMC

ADAM T. HOLLAND, MAYOR