

REGULAR MEETING

March 9, 2021

The Regular Meeting of the Jennings City Council was convened on the 9th day of March, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. in the Jennings City Council Chambers, 154 N. Main Street, Jennings, Louisiana with President Stephen VanHook presiding and a quorum present.

Jennings City Council Members present: Carolyn Simon, District A; Johnny Armentor, District B; Clifton LeJeune, District C; Anthony LeBlanc, District D; Stephen VanHook, District E

Jennings City Council Members Absent: None

The Prayer was led by Ms. Simon and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Armentor.

It was moved by Mr. LeJeune, seconded by Ms. Simon and carried by unanimous yeas of voice vote to **APPROVE** the Minutes of the February 9, 2021 Regular Meeting.

Ordinance No. 1769 – an ordinance wherein the City Council approves the levying of millage rates not to exceed the prior year’s maximum. It was motioned by Mr. Armentor and seconded by Mr. LeBlanc to introduce Ordinance No. 1769. Mayor Henry Guinn stated this was regular housekeeping the city had to do each year and the millage rates will be exactly the same as 2020. After no other public comment or questions, it was carried by unanimous yeas of roll call voice vote to **INTRODUCE** Ordinance No. 1769.

Mr. LeBlanc motioned and Ms. Simon seconded to discuss whether to approve and confirm a beer & liquor permit to Ana M. Cardenas, d/b/a *Cono Loco, LLC* for retail sales – Class A – drinking on premises – located at 215 North Lake Arthur Avenue. Mayor Guinn stated that all the paperwork was in order with a clear background check. After no other comment or discussion, it was carried by yeas of voice vote to **approve and confirm** the beer/liquor permit to *Cono Loco, LLC* for retail sales – Class A – drinking on premises – located at 215 North Lake Arthur Avenue. Mayor Guinn thanked them for starting a business in the City of Jennings. Yeas: Anthony LeBlanc, Carolyn Simon & Stephen VanHook Nays: Johnny Armentor Abstained: Clifton LeJeune

Ms. Simon motioned and Mr. LeBlanc seconded to discuss whether to approve and confirm a beer & liquor permit to Brenda DelAngel, d/b/a *El Taco* for retail sales – Class A – drinking on premises – located at 446 North Main Street. Mayor Guinn stated that all the paperwork was in order with a clear background check. After no other comment or discussion, it was carried by yeas of voice vote to **approve and confirm** the beer/liquor permit to *El Taco* for retail sales – Class A – drinking on premises – located at 446 North Main Street. Mayor Guinn thanked them for starting a business in the City of Jennings. Ms. Carolyn Simon asked both businesses to be aware of the safety of the children who are dining with the parents who are drinking. Yeas: Anthony LeBlanc, Carolyn Simon & Stephen VanHook Nays: Johnny Armentor Abstained: Clifton LeJeune

With no further business on the agenda, it was moved by Mr. Armentor, seconded by Mr. LeBlanc and carried by unanimous yeas of voice vote to **ADJOURN** this Regular Meeting on March 9, 2021 of the Jennings City Council at 5:37 p.m.

ATTEST:

/s/Barbara Lantz

Barbara Lantz, Secretary
Jennings City Council

Stephen VanHook, President
Jennings City Council