

April 12, 2022

TOWN OF KROTZ SPRINGS
OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Krotz Springs, State of Louisiana, met in regular session, at the regular meeting place, the town hall, Krotz Springs, Louisiana at 6:30 P.M., April 12, 2022.

There were present: Craig Burghdoff, Cindy Stelly, Nyssa Godwin, Keith Ardoin

There were absent: Larry Martinez

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Krotz Springs were duly convened as the governing authority of said town by Mayor Carroll Snyder, who then stated that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen were ready for the transaction of business.

On motion of Keith Ardoin, and duly seconded by Nyssa Godwin to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on March 9, 2022. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

On motion of Craig Burghdoff, and duly seconded by Cindy Stelly that all outstanding bills be paid. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

On motion of Nyssa Godwin, and duly seconded by Keith Ardoin to approve the Financial Statements and Reconciliation Worksheet. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

Chief Susie Snyder informed the Council and Mayor their police unit is still on hold. Mayor Snyder said we can amend the budget and add the unit to next years fiscal period. Chief Snyder reported that a town utility trailer and been stolen, and has been recovered. Chief Susie also reported that a resident had reported contractor fraud and the suspect was in Texas, and waiting to be extradited back to Louisiana.

Maintenance Supervisor Nina Snyder we are trying to schedule a smoke test with LRWA. Mayor Snyder said that they need to find out where the water is going into manholes, also we need to seal shut the ones on Regina Street and Doiron Street because they are in the ditch. Mayor Snyder spoke with DOTD about digging behind on Jeff Weinstein's property to improve drainage and behind Billy's. Nina Snyder said the lawnmower has still not come in and all is good around town. Nina spoke to Gordon about the lights at the Community Center and the tennis courts.

District 1 Fire Chief Tim Guidry addressed the Mayor and Council and how we all need to work together for the town. We would like to upgrade the fire hydrants with the cooperation of the town. Tim Guidry also mentioned that the fire ratings for the town will be soon be coming up and the rating is based on the legal description of the area. Councilwoman Cindy Stelly said we are glad your department will be involved even though we are separate entities.

On motion of Cindy Stelly, and duly seconded by Keith Ardoin to adopt the Fair Housing Month Proclamation declaring the month of April as "Fair Housing Month". The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

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Mayor Snyder informed the Council that the town received a letter from the Love Louisiana Outdoors and the town could receive up to \$225,000. Also, our summer recreation program has 17 Wee ball players and 11 T-ball players.

On public comment Betty Artigue had a complaint about fires and smoke from Dean Goode's yard. Louis Polotzola complained about Barry Mires residence on Main Street not having skirting and steps.

On other business Mayor Snyder informed the Council that Genesis will be cancelling their contract with the town in May of 2022. Councilman Keith Ardoin addressed the issue of GEM cars on the streets, and stated they must be licensed, insurance, all specifications by the state must be followed. Mayor Snyder reported he had no problem with the GEM cars as long as they were legal. Councilman Keith Ardoin said he spoke to Delores Sanders about her house that adjoins the Community Center and the town would give her appraisal value.

On announcements the Town Easter Egg Hunt will take place April 13th at Nall Park at 4:30pm. Nina Snyder informed the Council that Kenneth Kaiser resigned on April 12, 2022.

On motion of Craig Burghdoff, and duly seconded by Cindy Stelly that the meeting be adjourned. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

ATTEST:

Carroll Snyder, Mayor

Suzanne Belleau, Town Clerk

I, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Mayor and Board of Alderman of the Town of Krotz Springs, held April 12, 2022.

Suzanne Belleau, Town Clerk