

February 12, 2020

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., February 11, 2020.

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

There were absent: None

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 January 14, 2020. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

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

On motion of Nyssa Godwin, and duly seconded by Craig Burghdoff to approve the Financial Statements and Reconciliation Worksheets. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

Chief Susie Snyder informed the Council and Mayor that the department busted Robert Gibson during a traffic stop with drugs and searched his home and found crystal meth. We hope the charges will stick, because he usually gets probation.

On motion of Craig Burghdoff, and duly seconded by Cindy Stelly to hire Blaiklyn Ardoin from seasonal to a full-time position for the Town of Krotz Springs in the maintenance department with benefits to begin in three months. The motion was carried by roll call vote as follows:

YEAS: Craig Burghdoff, Larry Martinez, Cindy Stelly, Nyssa Godwin, Keith Ardoin

NAYS: None

Maintenance Supervisor Nina Snyder said the crew has been cleaning curbs on Hwy 190 and requested police assistance. The department will be doing a tap across from the fire hall we think it is on an old septic tank, did a locate to check on sewer line. We have a beaver problem on the old Hwy 190. Alderman Craig Burghdoff inquired about the lights on Hwy 190 and Mayor Snyder said hopefully they will begin next week, weather permitting.

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Mayor Snyder informed the Council that Burton Kolder with Kolder, Slaven & Company, LLC would like for the town to consider hiring them as our auditors. They said they could save the town 10%.

On motion of Cindy Stelly, and duly seconded by Craig Burghdoff to keep Champagne and Company LLC as the town's auditor. The motion was carried by roll call vote as follows:

YEAS: Craig Burghdoff, Larry Martinez, Cindy Stelly, Nyssa Godwin, Keith Ardoin

NAYS: None

On motion of Keith Ardoin, and duly seconded Nyssa Godwin to adopt a resolution "Municipal Water Pollution Prevention". The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

On other business Doug Kelly requested to have the Kelly's Parade February 22, 2020 at 2:00 P.M.

On motion of Craig Burghdoff, and duly seconded by Cindy Stelly to allow Kelly's Parade in the Town of Krotz on February 22, 2020 at 2:00 P.M., passing on the designated route, no 4-wheelers or ATV's, providing the town with a copy of the general liability insurance and adding the Town of Krotz Springs as the additional insured. The motion was carried by roll call vote as follows:

YEAS: Craig Burghdoff, Larry Martinez, Cindy Stelly, Nyssa Godwin, Keith Ardoin

NAYS: None

Maintenance Supervisor Nina Snyder informed the Council and Mayor that Maguire Iron, Inc submitted a program for the water tower maintenance. The cost would be \$33,688 for five years, the first year would be exterior renovation and repairs, and the next four years would be a visual inspection. Nina Snyder spoke to Jim Hoffman who cleaned the inside of the tank, who was supposed to put together a contract. Nina Snyder said he just does not seem reliable, always hard to contact and slow to respond. Nina Snyder said she will get other quotes to present to the Council and Mayor.

On other business: Rhonda Butler will have a meet and greet on February 13, 2020 from 1:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. in the council room, there is a Mayor's Meeting on February 17, 2020 in Cankton at 6:30 P.M., Town Hall will be closed Tuesday, February 25, 2020 in observance of

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Mardi Gras, and the town has launched a new website krotzsprings.org.

No public comments.

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

ATTEST:

Carroll B. 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 Aldermen of the Town of Krotz Springs, held February 11, 2020.