

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF GUEYDAN, GUEYDAN, LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT SPECIAL MEETING HELD TUESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2008.

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gueydan, State of Louisiana, met for a Special Session at their meeting place, City Hall, Gueydan, Louisiana, on Tuesday, January 22, 2008, pursuant to the provisions of written notice, in the manner as required by law, viz:

January 18, 2008

MESSRS: DAVID DUPUIS
JUDE REESE
MS: CLAUDETTE PRICE
ALTHEA WILLIAMS
GALE SMITH

Dear Governing Authority:

You are hereby notified that a Special Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gueydan, Louisiana, has been called by Mayor Craig Hensgens to be held at the City Hall, Tuesday, January 22, 2008 at 6:00 P.M for the following purpose:

- 1) To accept resignation of Marcus Crochet as Patrolman
- 2) To accept resignation of Shawn Theriot as Auxiliary/Part Time Patrolman
- 3) To hire Damon Broussard as a Patrolman for the Gueydan Police Department
- 4) To add Nick LeBeouf as a Part Time Patrolman
- 5) To add Benjamin Vidrine to the Part time Patrolman Status
- 6) To purchase a Fire Truck
- 7) To purchase a Police Car
- 8) Authorize Sellers & Associates to advertise for bids for the lighting of Girls Softball Field

Yours very truly,

S/Craig Hensgens
Craig Hensgens
Mayor

<u>SERVICE ACCEPTED AND ALL DELAYS WAIVED</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>
<u>S/Althea B. Williams</u>	<u>01/18/08</u>	<u>10:15 A.M.</u>
<u>S/Gale Smith</u>	<u>01/18/08</u>	<u>10:35 A.M.</u>
<u>S/Jude D. Reese</u>	<u>01/18/08</u>	<u>10:48 A.M.</u>
<u>S/Claudette S. Price</u>	<u>01/18/08</u>	<u>10:50.A.M.</u>

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Gueydan met in special session with Mayor Craig Hensgens presiding and the following Aldermen present:

PRESENT: CLAUDETTE PRICE, GALE SMITH & JUDE REESE

ABSENT: ALTHEA WILLIAMS & DAVID DUPUIS

Motion by JUDE REESE, seconded by GALE SMITH and carried to accept the resignation of Marcus Crochet as Patrolman with the Gueydan Police Department.

Motion by GALE SMITH, seconded by JUDE REESE and carried to accept the resignation of Shawn Theriot as Auxiliary/Part time Patrolman with the Gueydan Police Department.

Police Chief Blake Hebert recommended Damon Broussard to be hired as a Patrolman with the Gueydan Police Department. Motion by JUDE REESE, seconded by GALE SMITH and carried to hire Damon Broussard as a Patrolman with the Gueydan Police Department effective January 22, 2008.

Motion by GALE SMITH, seconded by JUDE REESE and carried to table the hiring of Nick LeBeouf as a part time patrolman with the Gueydan Police Department due to Mr. LeBeouf not taken the Psychological evaluation.

Motion by GALE SMITH, seconded by CLAUDETTE PRICE and carried to add Benjamin Vidrine to the part time patrolman status.

Motion by GALE SMITH, seconded by JUDE REESE and carried to purchase a 1987 International Truck from Luther Hardee to replace the Tanker Truck Cab.

Police Chief Blake Hebert informed the Governing Authority on the condition of the police cars and stated that the cars are in need of repair and that he had found a police unit to purchase and that the Gueydan Police Department is hoping to acquire used units from the Lafayette Police Department. No action was necessary on this subject due to funds being disbursed from the Police Department Capital Outlay Budget.

Motion by JUDE REESE, seconded by CLAUDETTE PRICE and carried to authorize Sellers & Associates to advertise for bids for the Lighting of the Girls Softball Field.

There being no further business to come before the meeting upon motion by GALE SMITH, seconded by JUDE REESE and carried the meeting thereupon adjourned at 6:25 o'clock P.M. on this 22nd day of January, 2008.

Clerk

Mayor