



City Council Workshop Meeting Minutes

Date: Monday, February 9, 2026
Time: 5:00 o'clock p.m.
Place: City Council Chambers
DeRidder City Hall
200 South Jefferson, DeRidder, Louisiana 70634
Contact: Glenna Luther
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President Randy Larken called the meeting to order at 5:00 o'clock p.m., led the Invocation and Councilmember Keith Hooper led the Pledge of Allegiance of the United States of America.

Roll Call:

Present: Councilmember Wayne Godfrey, Sr., Councilmember Monte' Woods, Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Keith Hooper, Councilmember Danny Reynolds, Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.

Also Present: Michael Harris, Mayor; and Glenna Luther, Council Clerk.

Mayor Harris updated the Council on the status of the Franchise Agreement with Beauregard Electric Co-Op. Mike Luttrell with Beauregard Electric provided specifics of the proposed Franchise Agreement with the City. Shane Williams, City Attorney, explained that the City is still in the process of negotiating the proposed Agreement and drafts will be forwarded to the Council for review. Following a discussion with Council and Mr. Luttrell, Mr. Luttrell provided examples of what will be included in the Contract, including street light agreement, maintenance of powerlines, rate of 5% and term of 50 years.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:17 o'clock p.m.

ATTEST:

GLENN LUTHER, CMA/LMMC
CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

RANDY LARKEN
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL