



**PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DERIDDER, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR SESSION HELD ON MONDAY, MARCH 23, 2026 AT 5:30 O’CLOCK P.M.**

The Council of the City of DeRidder, Louisiana met in Regular Session at its meeting place, the Council Chambers, located at City Hall, 200 South Jefferson Street, DeRidder, Louisiana on Monday, March 23, 2026 at 5:30 o’clock p.m. President Randy Larken called the meeting to order, Councilmember Hooper led the Invocation and Councilmember Wayne Godfrey, Sr. led the Pledge of Allegiance of the United States of America. The roll was called by the Clerk as follows: Councilmember John Marcello, Councilmember Keith Hooper, Councilmember Wayne Godfrey, Sr., Councilmember Danny Reynolds, Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken. Councilmember Monte’ Woods was absent. Six Councilmembers were present representing a quorum. Also present were Michael Harris, Mayor; LTC Gutierrez, Ft. Polk Officio Councilmember; Glenna Luther, Council Clerk; and Shane Williams, City Attorney.

5. **Visitors’ Docket.** Faith Scott with the War Memorial Civic Center presented information on the April 25, 2026, Veteran Resource Round-Up, and the May 1-3, 2026, A Call to Honor events.

7. **Adoption of Minutes.** President Larken announced that the March 9, 2026 regular meeting minutes have been distributed and there being no corrections, the minutes were approved by the Council.

**13. ORDINANCES**

A. **Introductions.**

1. **AN ORDINANCE APPROVING JERRY PURDUE TO FULFILL THE VACATED TERM OF AMANDA WESTMORELAND AS THE POLICE DEPARTMENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DERIDDER MUNICIPAL FIRE AND POLICE CIVIL SERVICE BOARD AS PROVIDED BY LA. R.S. 33:2536, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

Councilmember Godfrey made the motion to introduce the above-entitled Ordinance as read by Mr. Williams and Councilmember Hooper offered a second. The motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows, to-wit:

YEAS: Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Councilmember Monte’ Woods

ABSTAIN: None.

The motion having been unanimously approved, the Ordinance was introduced and set for a public hearing in Regular Session on Monday, April 13, 2026 at 5:30 o’clock p.m.

2. **AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_ GRANTING A FRANCHISE, RIGHT, AND PRIVILEGE TO BEAUREGARD ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (“COMPANY”), ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, TO AMEND THE FRANCHISE FOR A PERIOD OF AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY-FIVE YEARS FROM APRIL 22, 2026, THE NON-EXCLUSIVE RIGHT, PRIVILEGE AND FRANCHISE TO CONDUCT WITHIN THE CITY OF DERIDDER, LOUISIANA, AN ELECTRICAL LIGHTING AND POWER BUSINESS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, AND TO ENTER UPON, ERECT, CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN, OPERATE, USE, EXTEND,**



REPAIR, REPLACE, AND REMOVE, IN, UNDER, UPON, OVER, ABOVE, ACROSS AND ALONG ANY AND ALL THE PRESENT AND FUTURE PUBLIC ROADS, HIGHWAYS, PARKS, STREETS, LANES AND ALLEYS AND ANY OTHER PUBLIC AREAS OF THE CITY OF DERIDDER AND OVER, UNDER, ABOVE, ALONG AND ACROSS ANY AND ALL STREAMS, CANALS, BAYOUS, EMBANKMENTS AND BRIDGES NOW OR HEREAFTER OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY IT, A SYSTEM OF WORKS, UNDERGROUND CONDUITS, POLES, POLE LINES, TOWERS, DISTRIBUTION LINES, TRANSMISSION LINES, WIRES, GUYS, CABLES, CONDUITS, TRANSFORMERS AND OTHER DISTRIBUTION AND TRANSMISSION INSTRUMENTALITIES, SUBSTATIONS, GENERATING FACILITIES, AND OTHER FACILITIES AND APPURTENANCES (INCLUDING TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH POLES AND WIRES FOR SAID COMPANY'S OWN USE), NECESSARY OR PROPER FOR THE GENERATION, TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION AND SALE OF ELECTRICITY INTO, IN, WITHIN, FROM, ACROSS AND THROUGH THE CITY OF DERIDDER, AS NOW EXISTING OR AS SAID CITY'S LIMITS MAY HEREAFTER BE EXTENDED; AND GRANTING UNTO BEAUREGARD ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. THE AUTHORITY TO USE SUCH FOR THE PURPOSE OF GENERATION, TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION, DELIVERY AND SALE OF ELECTRICITY TO THE MUNICIPALITY AND TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE CITY OF DERIDDER, AND TO ANY OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY, GOVERNMENTAL SUBDIVISION, PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION, WHEREVER LOCATED WITHIN OR WITHOUT THE CITY LIMITS OF DERIDDER, TO BE USED BY SUCH PURCHASER OR PURCHASERS, FOR LIGHTING, COOLING, HEATING, POWER OR ANY OTHER PURPOSE OR PURPOSES FOR WHICH ELECTRICITY MAY BE USED; GRANTING TO SAID COMPANY THE RIGHT TO ADOPT REASONABLE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR ITS SERVICE, DEMAND DEPOSITS, CHARGE FOR INSTALLATION AND TO PREVENT OR PERMIT THE RESALE OF ELECTRICITY BY THE COMPANY'S CUSTOMERS; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT BY THE COMPANY TO SAID CITY OF DERIDDER FOR AN AMENDED AMOUNT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT (5%) FROM THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE \_\_\_ TO APRIL 22, 2051, OF THE AMOUNTS RECEIVED BY THE COMPANY FROM THE SALE AND DELIVERY OF KILOWATT HOURS OF ELECTRIC ENERGY AT RETAIL FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL PURPOSES BASED ON RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL NET RATES APPROVED BY THE LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION BILLED FOR SERVICE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF SAID MUNICIPALITY, EXCLUSIVE OF TAXES AND ALL GOVERNMENTAL FEES AND IMPOSITIONS SHOWN ON SUCH BILLS. IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED THAT NO PAYMENT SHALL BE DUE TO THE MUNICIPALITY BY THE COMPANY ON AMOUNTS RECEIVED FROM THE FOLLOWING CLASSIFICATIONS OF SALES AND SERVICE: (1) SALES OR DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY FOR RESALE, (2) SALES OR DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY TO THE MUNICIPALITY AND TO OTHER PUBLIC AUTHORITIES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE STATE OF LOUISIANA AND ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS, INCLUDING PARISHES AND OTHER



**MUNICIPALITIES, AND ALL DIVISIONS AND AGENCIES OF ANY OF THE FOREGOING, AND (3) SALES OR DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRICITY FOR INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES AND/OR TO INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS WHO ARE BILLED ON OR THE EQUIVALENT OF RATE SCHEDULE LPI ON FILE WITH THE LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OR ANY RATE SCHEDULES AMENDING OR SUPERSEDING THOSE RATE SCHEDULES OR ANY RATE SCHEDULES FILED WITH THE LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION HAVING APPLICATION TO INDUSTRIAL USE; PROVIDING FOR ACCEPTANCE BY BEAUREGARD ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND AGREEMENTS IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

Councilmember Reynolds made the motion to introduce the above-entitled Ordinance as read by Mr. Williams and Councilmember Marcello offered a second. The motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows, to-wit:

YEAS: Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.  
NAYS: None.  
ABSENT: Councilmember Monte' Woods.  
ABSTAIN: None.

The motion having been unanimously approved, the Ordinance was introduced and set for a public hearing in Regular Session on Monday, April 13, 2026 at 5:30 o'clock p.m.

- 3. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15, ZONING, ARTICLE III, SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS, BY REMOVING SEC. 15-64. SUPPLEMENTARY YARD REGULATIONS, (g) FENCES AND WALLS. AND ADDING SEC. 15-66. REGULATION OF THE INSTALLATION, LOCATION, HEIGHT, MATERIALS, AND DESIGN OF FENCES; DEFINING AND PROHIBITING SOLID WALLS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS FOR RESIDENTIAL ZONED DISTRICTS; ESTABLISHING GROUND CLEARANCE AND MAXIMUM HEIGHT REQUIREMENTS; REQUIRING CITY PERMITS, PROVIDING FOR PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION APPROVAL OR DENIAL; REQUIRING TAPERING AND VISIBILITY FOR TRAFFIC SAFETY; ESTABLISHING AN APPEAL PROCESS TO THE CITY COUNCIL; PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT, ADJUDICATION, AND CIVIL FINES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

Councilmember Marcello made the motion to introduce the above-entitled Ordinance as read by Mr. Williams and Councilmember Godfrey offered a second. The motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows, to-wit:

YEAS: Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.  
NAYS: None.  
ABSENT: Councilmember Monte' Woods.  
ABSTAIN: None.



The motion having been unanimously approved, the Ordinance was introduced and set for a public hearing in Regular Session on Monday, April 13, 2026 at 5:30 o'clock p.m.

**13. ORDINANCES**

**B. Public Hearings.**

- 1. AN ORDINANCE ENLARGING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF DERIDDER, LOUISIANA, UNDER AUTHORITY OF LOUISIANA REVISED STATUTE 33:172, AND ANNEXING CERTAIN AREAS THERETO AS DESCRIBED MORE FULLY HEREINBELOW; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

The title of the Ordinance was read by Mr. Williams. President Larken opened the public hearing, there were no public comments or remarks from the Council. Councilmember Reynolds made a motion to adopt the Ordinance and Councilmember Labue offered a second. The motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows, to-wit:

- YEAS: Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.
- NAYS: None.
- ABSENT: Councilmember Monte' Woods.
- ABSTAIN: None.

The motion having been unanimously approved, the Ordinance was adopted as Ordinance No. O-2026-13; Charter Series, as follows:

**ORDINANCE NO. O-2026-13  
CHARTER SERIES**

**AN ORDINANCE ENLARGING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF DERIDDER, LOUISIANA, UNDER AUTHORITY OF LOUISIANA REVISED STATUTE 33:172, AND ANNEXING CERTAIN AREAS THERETO AS DESCRIBED MORE FULLY HEREINBELOW; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

**WHEREAS,** the boundary of the City of DeRidder is contiguous and common to the boundary of the area to be annexed; and

**WHEREAS,** no written objection and/or opposition to the proposed annexation has been received; and

**WHEREAS,** there being no registered voters residing in the area of property to be annexed to the City of DeRidder, Louisiana ("City") described more fully hereinbelow and there being no resident property owners in the said area of property to be annexed to the City and the only nonresident property owner of the entirety of the property constituting the said area to be so annexed into the City having signed the PETITION FOR ANNEXATION of the said area of property to be annexed pursuant to Louisiana Revised Statutes Title 33, Section 172, a copy of which said PETITION FOR ANNEXATION is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "A"; and

**WHEREAS,** the City Council finding that the said PETITION FOR ANNEXATION is in accordance with law, said property will technically come into the City zoned O-L, and further that Notice of the PETITION FOR ANNEXATION has been published as required by law and the Official Journal Affidavit of Publication of said Notice is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "B"; and



**WHEREAS,** a copy of the legal description of the entire corporate limits of the City of DeRidder, which includes this annexation, is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "C"; and

**WHEREAS,** the legal description of this annexation request is as follows and as shown in the Beauregard Parish Tax Assessor Parcel Assessment, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "D", to-wit:

Legal Description/Property

PARCEL: 0302999390

A PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (SW1/4 OF NW1/4) OF SECTION THIRTY-TWO (32), TOWNSHIP TWO (2) SOUTH, RANGE NINE (9) WEST, BEAUREGARD PARISH, LOUISIANA, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT: BEGINNING AT A POINT 89 DEGREES 08' EAST 1025.2 FEET FROM THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SW1/4 OF NW1/4, THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 43' EAST PARALLEL TO THE WEST LINE OF SAID SW1/4 OF NW1/4 1247.56 FEET TO THE NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY OF US HIGHWAY NO. 190; THENCE NORTH 88 DEGREES 51' 50" EAST ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT-OF-WAY 294.27 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID SW1/4 OF NW1/4; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 45' 40" WEST ALONG SAID EAST LINE 1246.17 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SW1/4 OF NW1/4; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 18' WEST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SW1/4 OF NW1/4 293.30 FEET, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 8.4055 MORE OR LESS, AS PER PLAT THEREOF PREPARED BY E. H. BARENTINE, REGISTERED SURVEYOR, WHICH PLAT IS ANNEXED HERETO AND MARKED "EXHIBIT G" FOR IDENTIFICATION. SUBJECT TO EXISTING ROAD ACROSS THE NORTH LINE.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of DeRidder, Louisiana sitting in regular session duly convened on this 23rd day of March, 2026, that:

**SECTION 1:** The corporate limits and boundaries of the City of DeRidder, Louisiana, be, and the same are hereby, enlarged and extended to include and embrace within the corporate limits of the City of DeRidder, Louisiana, in addition to the property contained within the present corporate limits of the said City, that property described more fully above in the body of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 2:** **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that this ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after the date of its publication in the News Leader, the official journal of the City of DeRidder, Louisiana.

**SECTION 3:** **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

**THUS DONE AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of DeRidder, Louisiana sitting in regular session duly convened in Council Chambers on this 23rd day of March, 2026 at DeRidder, Louisiana.

**ATTEST:**

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**GLENN LUTHER, CMA/LMMC**  
**CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**

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**RANDY LARKEN**  
**PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL**



**2. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF DERIDDER, THROUGH ITS MAYOR, TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH TEXTMYGOV FOR A MUNICIPAL COMMUNICATION PLATFORM, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

The title of the Ordinance was read by Mr. Williams. President Larken opened the public hearing, there were no public comments Fire Chief Harlow answered questions from Councilmember Reynolds about the platform, services to citizens and costs of the product. Councilmember Labue made a motion to adopt the Ordinance and Councilmember Godfrey offered a second. The motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows, to-wit:

YEAS: Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.  
NAYS: None.  
ABSENT: Councilmember Monte' Woods.  
ABSTAIN: None.

The motion having been unanimously approved, the Ordinance was adopted as Ordinance No. O-2026-14; Charter Series, as follows:

**ORDINANCE NO. NO. O-2026-14  
CHARTER SERIES**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF DERIDDER, THROUGH ITS MAYOR, TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH TEXTMYGOV FOR A MUNICIPAL COMMUNICATION PLATFORM, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

**WHEREAS,** the City of DeRidder ("City") recognizes the ongoing need to enhance communications, accessibility and engagement with its residents; and

**WHEREAS,** City desires to implement a smart texting platform that allows residents to ask questions, receive immediate responses, find information and report issues twenty-four hours a day; and

**WHEREAS,** the City Council of the City of DeRidder has reviewed the TextMyGov platform constituting Exhibit "A" hereto and finds that contracting for these services is in the best interest of the City and its residents for the promotion of public communication and welfare:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** that the City Council of the City, authorizes the City, through its Mayor, to enter into a contract with TextMyGov, as set forth and in accordance with the terms and conditions, and for the consideration, set forth in Exhibit "A" hereto.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

**THUS DONE AND ADOPTED** on this 23rd day of March, 2026 by the City Council of the City of DeRidder in Regular Session duly convened in Council Chambers in DeRidder, Louisiana.

**ATTEST:**

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**GLENN LUTHER, CMA/LMMC  
CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**

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**RANDY LARKEN  
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL**



**13.C. Public Meeting.**

- 1. AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE MILLAGE RATES FOR POLICE AND FIRE OPERATIONS AND GENERAL ALIMONY; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

The title of the Ordinance was read by Mr. Williams. President Larken opened the public meeting asking if anyone present wished to make a public comment on the Ordinance before the Council. There were no comments from the public or remarks from the Council. Councilmember Hooper made a motion to adopt the Ordinance and Councilmember Marcello offered a second. The motion having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows, to-wit:

YEAS: Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.  
NAYS: None.  
ABSENT: Councilmember Monte' Woods.  
ABSTAIN: None.

The motion having been approved, the Ordinance was considered adopted and became **Ordinance No. O-2026-15**, Charter Series, as follows:

**The following Ordinance was introduced by Councilmember Keith Hooper and Seconded by Councilmember John Marcello as follows, to-wit:**

**ORDINANCE NO. O-2026-15  
CHARTER SERIES**

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING FORTH THE MILLAGE RATES FOR POLICE AND FIRE OPERATIONS AND GENERAL ALIMONY; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, that the following millage(s) are hereby levied on the 2026 tax rolls on all property subject to taxation by the City of DeRidder, Louisiana.

**MILLAGE**

<b><u>POLICE AND FIRE</u></b>	<b>2.880 mills</b>
<b><u>GENERAL ALIMONY</u></b>	<b>8.020 mills</b>

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the proper administrative officials of the Parishes of Beauregard and Vernon, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized, and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for the year 2026, and to make the collection of the taxes imposed for and on behalf of the taxing authority, according to law, and that the taxes herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on all property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided by law.

The foregoing Ordinance was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the Ordinance was adopted by the following votes:

YEAS: Councilmember John Marcello; Councilmember Keith Hooper; Councilmember Wayne Godfrey; Councilmember Danny Reynolds; Councilmember Vincent Labue and President Randy Larken.  
NAYS: None.  
ABSENT: Councilmember Monte' Woods.  
ABSTAIN: None.



**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

**THUS DONE AND ADOPTED** on this 23rd of March, 2026 by the City Council of the City of DeRidder in regular session duly convened in Council Chambers at DeRidder, Louisiana.

**ATTEST:**

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**GLENN LUTHER, CMA/LMMC**  
**CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**

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**RANDY LARKEN**  
**PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL**

**Reports.** Mayor Harris reported on his recent visit with General Curl, that he was reassured that Fort Polk is not going anywhere and that the Army is continuing to build, he had a very good CASA Color Run last week with Councilmember Hooper, that there are a lot of kids out at West Park and other parks and recommended that the Council stop by and say hi every now and then and let them know we are here. Martin Scott, Neighborhood Preservationist, provided an update on enforcement of Section 7-21, Maintenance of Premises, of the City's Code of Ordinances. LTC Gutierrez reported on the status of the gates at Ft. Polk, that Ft. Polk is taking additional measures with what is going on in the Middle East, that there have been some changes and Fort Polk is operating with additional measures since January, and any changes will be communicated out through the Fort Polk Facebook page and the MyArmyPost app, construction is going on outside the gate near the post office and in a few weeks construction will begin inside the Main Gate. President Larken announced that the February financials are on Council's desks and he wished Councilmember Woods a Happy March 26 birthday in her absence.

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 6:03 o'clock p.m.

**ATTEST:**

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**GLENN LUTHER, CMA/LMMC**  
**CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**

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**RANDY LARKEN**  
**PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL**