

AGENDA

**ST. MARTIN PARISH COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING - OCTOBER 4, 2022 – 5:00 P.M.
CARROLL J. FUSELIER MEETING ROOM
ANNEX BUILDING, 301 WEST PORT STREET,
ST. MARTINVILLE, LOUISIANA**

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. INVOCATION
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
4. ROLL CALL
5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
 - Regular Meeting of September 6, 2022
 - Special Meeting of September 20, 2022
6. PERSONS TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL:
 - A.) Shandi Tyler and Nicole Angelle to share exciting news about the St. Martin Parish Early Childhood Network.
 - B.) Ledricka Johnson Thierry to announce her candidacy for Judge, Third Circuit Court of Appeal, Third District.
 - C.) Ward 1 Justice of the Peace Neal Trahan to address the Council on proposed increase in compensation.
 - D.) Bill Pondrom, Brushmasters, LLC to answer questions regarding canal spraying operations.
7. SPECIAL BUSINESS:
 - A.) Acknowledge receipt of the Year 2023 Sinking Fund and Operating and Maintenance Budgets and to Call For Public Hearing for the Year 2023 Sinking Fund and Operating and Maintenance Budgets.
 - B.) Acknowledge receipt of the Year 2023 Parish Capital Outlay Budget and to Call For Public Hearing for the Year 2023 Parish Capital Outlay Budget.
 - C.) Conduct Public Hearing to hear comments on values of property for assessment purposes fixed by the St. Martin Parish Assessor.

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SPECIAL BUSINESS: (Continued . . .)

D.) RULE TO SHOW CAUSE to address nuisance property at 1798-B Declouet Highway, Breaux Bridge (District 9). Property owned by John and Barbara Boudreaux.

8. ORDINANCE INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING:

SUMMARY NO. 1375-OR (Introduced by Carla JeanBatiste, District 2 and Dean LeBlanc, District 8)

An Ordinance to amend and/or revise Appendix A of the St. Martin Parish Zoning Ordinance relative to the Section thereof entitled, "Schedule of Zoning District Regulations," so as to provide for side and rear yard widths of five (5) feet in Zoning Districts R-1, R-1R, R-2, and R-3; and to provide for all matters associated therewith.

9. RESOLUTIONS:

SUMMARY NO. 068-RS (Introduced by Daniel Richard, Jr., District 9)

A Resolution assenting or dissenting with the recommendations of the Assessor that the assessment remains as shown on the assessment rolls.

SUMMARY NO. 069-RS (Introduced by Brook Champagne, District 6)

A Resolution selecting and authorizing the submission of State Capital Outlay Budget Requests for Year 2023-2024.

SUMMARY NO. 070-RS (Introduced by Carla JeanBatiste, District 2)

A Resolution to the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development indicating highway construction priorities for the fiscal year 2023-2024.

SUMMARY NO. 071-RS (Introduced by Byron Fuselier, District 1)

A Resolution approving the Annual Certification of Compliance for the Off-System Bridge Replacement Program for 2021-2022.

SUMMARY NO. 072-RS (Introduced by Chris Tauzin, District 5)

A Resolution authorizing and directing the Parish President to execute for and on behalf of the St. Martin Parish Government, a Certificate of Substantial Completion, pertaining to the Catahoula Lake Dredging Project, St. Martin Parish, Louisiana.

SUMMARY NO. 073-RS (Introduced by Vincent Alexander, District 7)

A Resolution proclaiming Friday, November 11, 2022, as Veterans Day.

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RESOLUTIONS: (Continued . . .)

SUMMARY NO. 074-RS (Introduced by Tangie Narcisse, District 3)

A Resolution to approve or disapprove the application of Louisiana Sugar Cane Cooperative, Inc. (#20170492-C-ITE) for an Industrial Tax Exemption.

SUMMARY NO. 075-RS (Introduced by Dean LeBlanc, District 8)

A Resolution to approve or disapprove the application of Processors, LLC (#20170074-ITE) for an Industrial Tax Exemption.

SUMMARY NO. 076-RS (Requested by Parish President Chester Cedars)

A Resolution approving and accepting the recommendation of the Fire Service District Coordinator and the St. Martin Parish Fire District Steering Committee to divide, for purposes of fire ratings assigned by the Property Insurance Association of Louisiana, the Fire Protection District into two separate service areas, one consisting of the fire departments in upper St. Martin Parish and the other consisting of the fire departments in lower St. Martin Parish.

SUMMARY NO. 077-RS (Requested by Parish President Chester Cedars)

A Resolution approving and recognizing a public emergency relative to immediate repairs and/or the replacement of the pumps located at the St. Martin Parish Industrial Park.

SUMMARY NO. 078-RS (Requested by Parish President Chester Cedars)

A Resolution authorizing Parish President Chester Cedars to execute a contract with Sellers & Associates, Inc. to furnish required professional engineering services associated with the Sales Tax No. 1 Road Improvements Project (Project No. 99032).

SUMMARY NO. 079-RS (Requested by Parish President Chester Cedars)

A Resolution awarding the contract for the St. Martinville Branch Library Interior Renovations Project to the responsive low bidder, ARL Construction, Inc.

10. ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLICATION:

SUMMARY NO. 1376-OR (Introduced by Dean LeBlanc, District 8)

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19, St. Martin Parish Zoning Ordinance, Appendix D, Parish Road Zoning Data Sheets of the Code of Ordinances for the St. Martin Parish Government by: amending the zoning classification district on a portion of a road zoned in the original ordinance adopted on December 18, 1995. {1251 Bordelon Road}

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ORDINANCES INTRODUCED FOR PUBLICATION: (Continued . . .)

SUMMARY NO. 1377-OR (Introduced by Chris Tauzin, District 5)

An Ordinance to adopt the Sinking Fund and Operating and Maintenance Budgets for the Year 2023.

SUMMARY NO. 1378-OR (Introduced by David Poirier, District 4)

An Ordinance to adopt the Parish Capital Outlay Budget for the Year 2023.

11. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS NOT REQUIRING COUNCIL ACTION.

12. ADJOURNMENT.