

MINUTES

Livingston Parish February 10, 2022

Pursuant to notice duly posted in the public lobby of the Livingston Parish Governmental Building, the Livingston Parish Ordinance Committee met on February 10, 2022, at the hour of four thirty o'clock (4:30) p.m. in the Parish Council Chambers, located in the Livingston Parish Governmental Building, 20355 Governmental Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana with the following members present:

Maurice "Scooter" Keen
Tracy Girlinghouse- Vice-chairman
John Wascom- Chairman

The Chair, Councilman John Wascom, called the meeting to order.

The Chair began by addressing Old Business, item 3a, "Master Plan recommendations:
i. Setbacks on State and Federal Roads and Highways".

The Chair called upon Mr. Gerald Burns. Mr. Burns presented the ordinance that the Master Plan Review committee has worked on with the help of meeting with officials for the setbacks on state and federal highways. A lengthy explanation and discussion ensued.

Public Input: Gerald Burns, Master Plan Review Committee Chair

A **MOTION** was offered by Tracy Girlinghouse and duly seconded by Maurice "Scooter" Keen to authorize Mrs. Sandy to put what has happened here today in ordinance form. Whereas none opposed the motion passed.

Councilman Girlinghouse clarified that the only adjustment is to take the apron out for any and all commercial projects.

Mr. Burns continued the discussion by pointing out that other ordinances (pond, telecommunications) have a precedence of setting additional setbacks. Councilman Talbert stood up to state that these setbacks were not taking the use or value of people's property.

Councilman Girlinghouse addressed Other Business by stating that a social media policy would be presented at tonight's council meeting.

Councilman Keen stated that he was working on a video piping ordinance.

Councilman Talbert approached the podium with additional other business. He stated that Mr. Sam called him because there is no design standard in the retention pond ordinance. Planning would like a note added to the ordinance that retention ponds follow the same design standards that is set forth in the pond ordinance.

Mr. Sam Digirolamo spoke inaudibly in the audience.

Public Input: Councilman Garry Talbert

Sam DiGirolamo, Planning Director

With no action being taken the Chair having no other business a **MOTION** was offered by Tracy Girlinghouse and duly seconded by Maurice “Scooter” Keen to adjourn the February 10, 2022 meeting of the Livingston Parish Ordinance Committee, with no further discussion and where none opposed.

/s/ Lauren White

Lauren White, Deputy Clerk

/s/ John Wascom

John Wascom, Chairman