

Avoyelles Parish Port Commission
Meeting Minutes
June 15, 2020

The APPC held its monthly business meeting, at its office located on Honey Bee road, Simmesport, Louisiana on Monday, June 15, 2020 @ 5:30 PM.

Those present were: Barry Laiche, Scott Williams, Penn Lemoine, James Sampson, and Sullivan Battiste. Those absent were: Patrick Deshotels, Toney Pierite, and Chris Rousseau.

The meeting opened up with the pledge of allegiance by Police Jury member Jacob Coco, followed by opening prayer by port attorney Stacy Auzenne.

Motion to adapt the 2020-2021 budget by Penn Lemoine, second by James Sampson ; all in favor.

Treasurer's report was given by commission president Barry Laiche on the two port bank accounts and loan provided by Port Director Samuel Ducote.

A motion was made to adapt the May 2020 minutes by James Sampson, second by Penn Lemoine; all in favor.

Commission President Barry Laiche gave an update on the auction sale of surplus homes, also present was Henderson Auctions representative Branon Edwards, to address details of the online auction scheduled for the end of July.

A motion to have an undescriptive 30 acres of farmland in port property surveyed was made by Penn Lemoine, second by Sullivan Battiste; all in favor.

A motion was made by Penn Lemoine to authorize the signing of checks requiring two signatures by port officers, second by James Sampson; all in favor.

At the end of the meeting, a motion was made to adjourn by Scott Williams, second by Sullivan Battiste; all in favor.