

LHSC Meeting Minutes

June 2, 2025

10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

Louisiana State Police Headquarters
7919 Independence Boulevard, Classrooms B & C
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70806

Jay O'Quinn, Chairman, Presiding
Ron Pourciau, Vice-Chair

Call to Order, *Chairman O'Quinn*

- The meeting was called to order at 10:04 AM.

Prayer/Pledge, *Vice-Chairman Pourciau*

Roll Call, *LHSC Director Freeman*

- Commissioner Ard – present
- Commissioner Barrett - present
- Commissioner Basilica – present
- Commissioner Baur - present
- Commissioner Blache - present
- Commissioner Butler -present
- Commissioner Carlisle - present
- Commissioner Coulon – present
- Commissioner Kay - present
- Commissioner Leger - present
- Commissioner O'Quinn - present
- Commissioner Oxley - present
- Commissioner Pohlmann - present
- Commissioner Pourciau – present
- Commissioner Sangisetty – present
- Commissioner Taylor – present
- Commissioner Thomas – present

Public Comment

- No public comments were offered.

Welcome to Commission Members, Safety Partners & Stakeholders

- An introduction to Judge Marcel, Judicial Outreach Liaison, was made.

Approval of Minutes from March 24, 2025 Meeting, *Chairman O'Quinn*

- A motion to amend the roll call was made by Commissioner Kay and seconded by Commissioner Leger.

- A motion to approve the amended minutes was made by Commissioner Kay and seconded by Commissioner Pourciau.

Recusal from Voting/Discussion, *Attorney Faye Morrison, DPS Office of Legal Affairs*

Grant Funding Recommendations & Voting

- Planning & Administration, Program Management, Surveys – *Dortha Cummins, LHSC Deputy Director*
 - There were no questions regarding the funding recommendations made by Dortha Cummins.
- Earned & Paid Media, Special Projects – *Greg Fischer, LHSC Public Information Officer*
 - There were no questions regarding the funding recommendations made by Greg Fischer.
- Non-Motorized & Vulnerable Road Users and Young Drivers – *Craig Russell, LHSC Program Coordinator*
 - There were no questions regarding the funding recommendations made by Craig Russell.
- Occupant Protection and Community Engagement – *Chanita Vazquez, LHSC Program Coordinator*
 - Clarification was requested and given regarding the funding allocated for YMCA operations in Orleans and Jefferson parish. Commissioners also advocated for additional funding for Think First.
- Impaired Driving – *Steve Wilkison, LHSC Program Coordinator*
 - There were no questions regarding the funding recommendations made by Steve Wilkison.
- Traffic Records & Information Systems – *Bill Douglas, LHSC Program Coordinator*
 - There were no questions regarding the funding recommendations made by Bill Douglas.
- Special Projects – *Kristy Miller, LHSC Planner*
 - There were no questions regarding the funding recommendations made by Kristy Miller.
- Police Traffic Services – *Terry Chustz, LHSC Program Coordinator*
 - Clarification was requested and given in regard to overtime pay for special patrols.

Voting Items re: Grant Funding Recommendations, *Chairman O'Quinn*

- A motion to approve budget recommendations was made by Commissioner Leger and seconded by Commissioner Thomas.

Old & New Business, *LHSC Director Freeman*

- Reminder about Financial Disclosure Forms
- Memorial Day – “Click It or Ticket”
- 1 Million Steps 2 Safety

Public Comment on Agenda Items

- No public comments were offered.

Adjournment

- A motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Coulon and seconded by Commissioner Leger at 11:28 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,



Lisa Freeman

Governor's Representative for Highway Safety
LHSC Executive Director