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## VILLAGE OF FOREST HILL, LOUISIANA

Public Hearing

Public Meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen

May 8, 2018

## PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES

Public Hearing held at 5:45 pm on May 8, 2018. Present: Mayor Elizabeth Jeter; Council Persons Jerriot Robinson, Anna Cloud, and Stacy Danzy. Also present, Chief of Police Garland Carroll, Attorney Greg Jones, and members of the public. With a quorum present, meeting was called to order by attorney Greg Jones.

Ordinance # 2018-2 Establishing the Simple Possession of Marijuana as a Crime in the Village of Forest Hill was introduced. Attorney Greg Jones explained ordinance. Public questions were requested. Public meeting was adjourned.

## **MEETING MINUTES**

On May 8, 2018 at 6:00 p.m., Mayor Elizabeth Jeter and the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Forest Hill, Louisiana conducted a regular meeting at the Forest Hill Town Hall, 138 Blue Lake Rd, Municipal Complex Room # 2, Forest Hill, Louisiana 71430.

- 1. Mayor Jeter called the meeting to order.
- 2. Roll call was as follows:

Present: Mayor Elizabeth Jeter, and Alderpersons Robinson, Cloud and Danzy.

Also present at the meeting: Police Chief Garland Carroll; Gregory Jones, attorney,
Jason Murphy, Engineer and members of the public.

- 3. Mr. Jason Murphy led the invocation.
- 4. Chief Carroll led the pledge of allegiance.
- Mayor Jeter welcomed everyone to the regular meeting.
- 6. Public comments: Mr. Charles Elliott introduced himself as a candidate for District Judge.
- 7. A motion to adopt the minutes of the April 10, 2018 meeting as published was made by Alderperson Robinson, seconded by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried.

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- 8. A motion to adopt the financial statement as presented was made by Alderperson Robinson, seconded by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried .
- A motion to allow the clerk to pay monthly bills was made by Alderperson Robinson, and seconded by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried.
- 10. Unfinished business: None.

## **New Business:**

- a. Ordinance # 2018-02 Establishing the Simple Possession of Marijuana as a Crime within the Village of Forest Hill. Ordinance would be effective upon passing. Discussion opened. Motion to adopt Ordinance 2018-02 made by Alderperson Robinson; seconded by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried.
- b. Resolution 2018-05 Levying Millage Rate for 2018 at 4.93 mills (no change). Motion to levy said millage rate made by Alderperson Robinson, seconded by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried.
- c. Motion to hire a part time employee (that could become full time) in the Utility Department. Position would start at \$ 10 per hour, part-time, on a 90 day probationary period. Motion made by Alderperson Robinson; seconded by Alderperson Danzy. Motion carried.
  - 11. The Mayor and Board heard the monthly police and engineer reports.

With no further business to come before the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Alderperson Robinson, seconded by Alderperson Cloud. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned.

Elizabeth Jeter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Laural Strange, Town Clerk