**Minutes of the Town of Jonesboro Jonesboro, Louisiana**

**Regular Meeting – 6:00 P.M. July 09, 2019**

**Call to Order**

Mayor Leslie Thompson called the Special Called Meeting to order at 6:05pm

**Roll Call**

Roll call was taken by Mayor Leslie Thompson

Flowers – present

Ginn-present

Johnson-absent

Siadek-absent

Stringer-present

A quorum was present

**Invocation –** Flowers

**Pledge –** Stringer

**Public comments –**

\*Wednesday, October 7, 2019 at 1:30pm-3:30pm – Open House for community college. Mr. Epps will be at the Open House.

\*VP Oil Change, would like to revisit the decision and possibly fix the road, which is in bad condition.

\*Resident of Jonesboro would like the establishment on Leon Drive, to remain closed.

\*Opening of new store- 4 Corners’ Coffee & Ice cream Shop. Date to open August 3, 2019.

**Ginn- requested to amend the agenda and add the budget**

**Stringer-** motioned

**Flowers-**abstained and said no. There was no majority ruling on the agenda and adding the budget died.

**Midwest Management Law suit negotiated settlement, the Town is dismissed from the suit, has to pay nothing and receives $516.78. The Town is receiving the property taxes that the Plaintiff would have had to pay had the tax sale not taken place.**

**Stringer -**motioned

**Flowers-** seconded

**Motioned carried**

**Compliance Officer/Purchasing Agent- Mark Treadway – He gave a summary of his position, what it entails, what he is responsible for and what a positive impact his position will make on our budget spending, in addition to how it will impact and benefit Town Hall’s structure.**

**Ordinance Code of Jonesboro/On line**

Ordinance will be given to Mr. Stokes. Resolution will be presented at the next regular meeting. Mr. Stokes advised the Councilmembers to read the ordinance book to get a better understanding. Once the Resolution is adopted there will be no changes in the code if needed.

**Louisiana Department of Veterans Affairs Cooperative Endeavor Agreement -Parish/Municipality shall contribute to the support of the Veterans’ Service Office in monthly payments of $60.00.**

**Stringer-** motioned

**Flowers-**seconded

**Motioned carried**

**Zoning Board Confirmation – Recommendations and correction of names will be on the 8/13/19 agenda**

**Stringer-**Tabled

**Flowers-** seconded

**Adopt the millage rate(s) for tax year 2019**

**Stringer-**motioned

**Flowers-**seconded

**Motioned carried**

**Approval of the minutes**

June 18, 2019, June 20, 2019 and June 24, 2019

**Flowers-**motioned

**Stringer-** seconded

**Motioned carried**

**Approval of Department Head Reports**

**Flowers -**motioned

**Stringer -**seconded

**Motioned carried**

**Council Comments**

**Mayor Comments**

**Adjournment**

**Flowers-motioned**

**Motioned carried**

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Mayor Leslie Thompson Vivian McCarden, Clerk

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