The Police Jury of the Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana, met in regular session at its meeting place, the Courtroom of the Grant Parish Courthouse, 200 Main Street, Colfax, Louisiana, on Thursday, April 8, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

The following members were present:

Mr. Don Arnold, Mr. David Merrell, Mr. Mark Ball, Mr. Cephas Bowie Jr., Mr. Brandon DuBois, Mr. Johnny Jamison, Mr. Arnold Murrell, Mr. Winston Roberts.

The following members were absent:

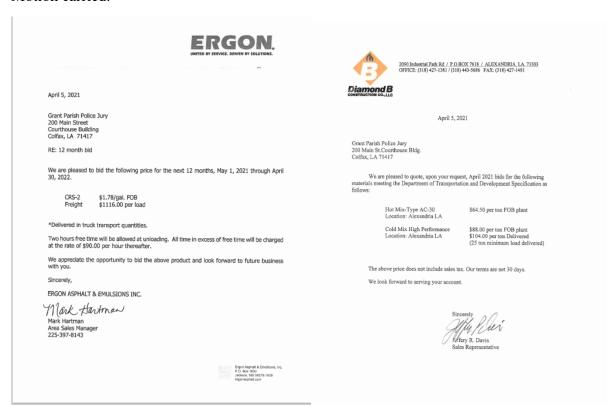
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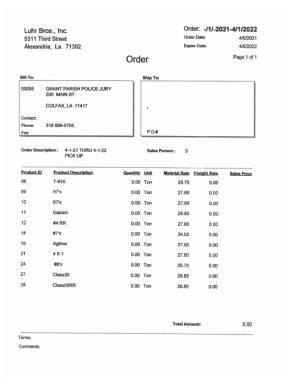
Motion by Mr. Mark Ball, seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to accept the minutes of last meeting as published in the official journal. Motion carried.

Mr. Robert Wolfe, Parish Engineer, gave an update on open projects in Grant Parish.

Mr. Paul Fuslier, Acadian Ambulance Operations Manager, gave the monthly call report for the parish.

Motion by Mr. Winston Roberts, seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to open sealed bids for Cold Mix, Hot Mix, Maintenance gravel, Diesel, AC-10, MC-30, CRS-2 Emulsion, and #610 stone. Motion carried.





Motion by Mr. Winston Roberts, seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to accept all bids. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Brandon DuBois, seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to approve Resolution 7-2021; Recognizing the Colfax Chronicle as the Official Journal for the Parish of Grant. Motion carried.

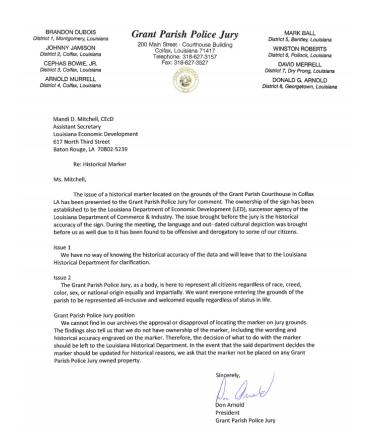
Motion by Mr. Winston Roberts, seconded by Mr. Brandon DuBois to move the May meeting of the Grant Parish Police Jury to May 20, 2021 due to a conflict with the Police Jury Association of Louisiana Convention on May 13, 2021. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Arnold Murrell, seconded by Mr. Winston Roberts to reduce speed limit on Hooper Road from 45mph to 35mph. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Mark Ball, seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to designate 15 loads of hot mix for Mundy Loop using Capital Improvement funds from District 5. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Arnold Murrell, seconded by Mr. Brandon DuBois to support Mr. Joshua McAllister in his candidacy for Executive Board Member of Police Jury for Region VIII. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Cephas Bowie Jr., seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to approve letter regarding the historical marker in front of courthouse. Motion carried.



Motion by Mr. Cephas Bowie Jr., seconded by Mr. Arnold Murrell to allow Grant Parish Health Unit to purchase a new phone system. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Brandon DuBois, seconded by Mr. Winston Roberts to amend the agenda to include motion to hire Mr. William "Bill" Blair for polling redistricting. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Johnny Jamison, seconded by Mr. Brandon DuBois to hire Mr. William "Bill" Blair for polling redistricting. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Brandon DuBois, seconded by Mr. Cephas Bowie Jr. to enter into executive session. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Cephas Bowie Jr., seconded by Mr. Mark Ball to enter back into regular session. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Brandon DuBois, seconded by Mr. Winston Roberts to pay bills as funds become available. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Brandon DuBois, seconded by Mr. Mark Ball to adjourn. Motion carried.