

VILLAGE OF HOSSTON

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VILLAGE OF HOSSTON MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING HELD MARCH 17, 2026

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Village of Hosston met in regular session Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 6:30 pm, in the Village Hall, Hosston, LA.

Present: Mayor Kim Jaynes, Alderman Henry Blunt, Alderman Misti Banks, Chief Jessie Colston, and Hayden Linn, Town Clerk.

Absent: Alderman Crystal Carnley

Also Present: Karen McInnis

Mayor Jaynes called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm, at which time a quorum was verified. Opening prayer was led by Chief Colston and all present joined in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Alderman Blunt made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Alderman Banks. All in favor, motion carried.

There were no public comments.

Alderman Banks made a motion to approve the minutes for the February 17, 2026, regular session meeting, seconded by Alderman Blunt. All in favor, motion carried.

Alderman Blunt made a motion to approve the financials for February 2026, seconded by Alderman Banks. All in favor, motion carried.

Jason Parrot with Winwater and Justin Kirby gave a presentation on the meters manufactured by Master Meter.

Delaney Wolfe and Elizabeth with Aflac gave a presentation on Aflac Insurance.

Mayor Jaynes introduced **Ordinance No. 2 of 2026 (Amended)** TITLE: AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2 OF 2025 AN ORDINANCE TO APPOINT AND FIX THE SALARY FOR THE TOWN CLERK OF THE VILLAGE OF HOSSTON. There will be a public hearing prior to the adoption of Ordinance No. 2 of 2026 (Amended) at the Regular Town Council Meeting at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at the Hosston Village Hall, located at 15669 Hwy 71 Hosston, La.

Alderman Banks made a motion to introduce **Ordinance No. 2 of 2026 (Amended)** TITLE: AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2 OF 2025 AN ORDINANCE TO APPOINT AND FIX THE SALARY FOR THE TOWN CLERK OF THE VILLAGE OF HOSSTON, seconded by Alderman Blunt. All in favor, motion carried.

Mayor Jaynes informed the board that the State had come out to check the water system and found that three wells were not registered as plugged. The State has requested that these wells be addressed. The options are plugging each well, or donating the wells back to the landowner. Mayor Jaynes has already spoken with two landowners who have agreed to accept the wells back. The third well has not been located.

The board was informed that no bids had been received on the surplus property from the police department.

Mrs. Karen McInnis asked how the town had acquired the Chevy Tahoe for the police department. Chief Colston was able to share with her that it had been donated from one of the neighboring cities.

Alderman Blunt made a motion to adjourn at 7:29pm, seconded by Alderman Banks. All in favor, motion carried.

Kim Jaynes, Mayor