

Police Jury Room  
August 19, 2002  
Abbeville, Louisiana

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Vermilion Parish Police Jury held on August 19, 2002, with Mr. Edval Simon, Jr. presiding.

The following members were present:

Mr. Purvis Abshire	Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee
Mr. Terry Bessard	Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux
Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard	Mr. Mark Poche'
Mr. Kenneth DeHart	Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr.
Mr. Carroll Duhon	Mr. Edval Simon, Jr.
Mr. Hubert Faulk	Mr. Ritter Trahan
Mr. Louis Joe Hardy	

Absent: Mr. Minos Broussard

President Edval Simon, Jr. called for any other bids in the audience to be submitted relative to the bid call shown on the agenda.

Upon motion of Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, duly seconded by Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr., and unanimously carried, the Jury closed the receipt of all bids for tonight's meeting.

Upon motion of Mr. Ritter Trahan, duly seconded by Mr. Purvis Abshire, and unanimously carried, the Jury authorized the opening of the following bids:





Upon motion of Mr. Ritter Trahan, duly seconded by Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury authorized the award of the above listed equipment to the highest bidder for each item.

Upon motion of Mr. Ritter Trahan, duly seconded by Mr. Terry Bessard, and unanimously carried, the reading of the minutes of the August 5, 2002 meeting were dispensed with and were accepted.

President Edval Simon, Jr. read the following announcements:

- (1) There will be a meeting of the Council for Conservation and Reinvestment of Outer Continental Shelf Revenues held via conference call on Tuesday, August 20, 2002 at 10:30 a.m.
- (2) Received a copy of a report of cash disbursements and salaries paid by Ray Lemaire, Sheriff, Parish of Vermilion for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2002.
- (3) The Louisiana Parish Engineers and Supervisors Association's Fall Conference will be held on September 5-6, 2002 in Baton Rouge.
- (4) Received an invitation from the Allen Parish Police Jury for jurors and guests to attend the Region 7 Meeting to be held on Saturday, September 7, 2002, at the Allen Parish Civic Center in Oberlin. Registration will begin at 5:30 p.m.
- (5) The 2002 Cattle Producers Tour sponsored by Acadiana Resource Conservation and Development Council will be held on September 8, – September 11, 2002.
- (6) The 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Organization of Parish Administrative Officials will be held on September 11 – 13, 2002 in New Iberia.

Mr. Gene Sellers, Parish Engineer, advised the Police Jury that Waterworks District No. 1 representatives will be attending an announcement ceremony relative to the funding of the – Forked Island – Esther – Intracoastal City Water System, on Tuesday August 20, 2002 at 4:00 p.m. at the USDA Office located in the U. L. Wetlands Center Building in Lafayette.

Upon motion of Mr. Louis Joe Hardy, duly seconded by Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury approved the preliminary plat and construction plans for the Meraiah Estates Subdivision, contingent upon Board of Health approval of the proposed water and sewer system and the submission of the preliminary review fee of \$75.00 and plan review fee of \$100.00.

Upon motion of Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux, duly seconded by Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury approved the preliminary plat and construction plans for the Elie Addition Subdivision, contingent upon the Board of Health approval of the proposed water and sewer system as well as approval of the comprehensive drainage plan, and the submission of the preliminary review fee of \$75.00 and plan review fee of \$100.00.

Upon motion of Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, duly seconded by Mr. Kenneth DeHart, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury authorized the President to sign the Request For A Line of Credit and to act on behalf of the Police Jury in all matters pertaining to the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the State of Louisiana relative to the dredging of the Oilfield Canal Off of the Oaks Canal project.

By same action, the Police Jury authorized the President to act on behalf of the Police Jury in all matters pertaining to the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the State of Louisiana relative to the Flood Protection in the Erath & Bayou Tigre Area, Planning & Construction project.

Upon motion of Mr. Hubert Faulk, duly seconded by Mr. Purvis Abshire, and unanimously carried, the Public Road Committee Recommendations were amended to hire the following persons to be assigned to the patching/resealing crew:

- A) Michael d'Augereau
- B) Albert Thibodeaux
- C) Joseph Westbrook

Upon motion of Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, duly seconded by Mr. Ritter Trahan, and unanimously carried, the Public Road Committee Recommendations were approved as amended, and the appropriate officials of the Jury were authorized to carry out the recommendations.

PUBLIC ROAD COMMITTEE  
AUGUST 14, 2002  
ABBEVILLE, LOUISIANA

AS A RESULT OF A PUBLIC ROAD COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 14, 2002, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED FOR THE JURY'S CONSIDERATION:

1. It is recommended that the following actions be taken relative to the Parish Road Improvements Project in Wards 7, 3 and 4:

- A) Approve Contract Change Order No. 2 to adjust contract quantities to as-built quantities reflecting a net increase to the original contract of \$15,442.70.
- B) Approve Partial Payment Estimate No. 2 to the contractor, H & S Construction Co. Inc. in the amount of \$131,239.57.
- C) Approve payment of Invoice #006754 from Sellers & Associates, Inc. in the amount of \$14,246.84. Invoice represents engineering services provided relative to the project.
- D) Adopt a Resolution of Acceptance of the Road Improvements Project as complete and authorizing the President to execute a “Notice of Acceptance” and recordation of same.

- 2. It is recommended that Invoice #006755 from Sellers & Associates, Inc. in the amount of \$148.00 be approved to be paid. Invoice represents setting of grade elevations for pipe location off of La. Hwy 339. Cost to be paid from Sub 5 of 2 Road District funds
- 3. It is recommended that Contract Change Order 1 relative to the FY 2000-2001 LCDBG Water System Improvements – North Vermilion Area V – Water Distribution System be approved. Change Order represents a net increase to the contract of \$903.70.
- 4. It is recommended that Contract Change Order No. 1 relative to the FY 2000-2001 LCDBG – Water System Improvements – North Vermilion – Area VI – Water Distribution System be approved. Change Order represents an increase to the contract of \$1,980.00.
- 5. It is recommended that the Police Jury approve the award of the contract for the Dredging of the Boston Canal project to C. F. Bean Construction based on their low bid submitted.
- 6. It is recommended that employee James Guidry be reimbursed the cost of two (2) mailboxes purchased to replace those damaged by mower at a cost of \$10.52. Cost to be paid from Road District No. 6 funds.
- 7. It is recommended that a weed control spray rig for the Area 4 Barn be approved to be purchased from Vermilion Coop at a cost of \$1,600.00 and 3 day delivery, being the lowest of the quotes received.

8. It is recommended that the Police Jury ratify the agreement with B & B Fire and Safety-Haz-Mat Response to handle and dispose of three (3) drums of material found on St. Elmo Road. Total cost not to exceed \$675.00.

9. It is recommended that the Corps of Engineers be requested to clear and dredge Bayou Que de Tortue from the mouth, northeastward and to the Riceville area.

It is further recommended that the parish Congressional delegation be requested to assist in getting the project completed.

10. It is recommended that the President be authorized to sign a dirt fill agreement with Mr. Wayne Guidry for access to dirt located on his property.

It is further recommended that a stockpile agreement be signed with Mr. Calvin Lebouef to utilize his property to temporarily stockpile the material.

11. It is recommended that Partial Payment Estimate No. 2 from M. P. Dumesnil Construction Co., in the amount of \$54,860.27 be approved to be paid. Estimate represents construction work completed thru August 2, 2002 on the FY 2000-2001 LCDBG Water System Improvements – North Vermilion – Area VI – Water Distribution System Project.

12. It is recommended that the following state highway driveway permit installations be approved to be paid:

- A) Shelia M. Hebert – La. Hwy 694
- B) Lawrence Milliman – La. Hwy 82
- C) James Besse – La. Hwy 82

13. It is recommended that the following private roads be recognized for placement on the parish road system map, and that the road supervisor and parish engineer be authorized to obtain the necessary information to locate and plot them on the parish road system map:

- A) T. J. Prejean Pvt. Road
- B) Soos Pvt. Road

14. It is recommended that Invoice No. 2202605 from Coastal Environments, Inc. in the amount of \$7,236.52 be approved to be paid. Invoice represents professional services provided relative to the environmental assessment of the effects of a deep water access channel through Freshwater Bayou. Cost to be paid from Coastal Impact Assistance funds.

15. It is recommended that the Police Jury ratify the payment of \$126,980.00 to Quality Equipment Co., Inc. for furnishing four (4) tractors for the parish road maintenance programs per bids previously received and accepted.
16. It is recommended that the Police Jury approve the payment of the \$2,500 deductible to Gulf Insurance Group relative to the S. Luquette vs. VPPJ suit.
17. It is recommended that the invoices shown on the attached sheets be approved to be paid.

Respectfully submitted,  
Luther "Buster" Hardee  
Chairman

PARISHWIDE:

Arceneaux Tires.....	\$ 33.75
Cajun Hardware, Inc. . . . .	39.99
G & H Tire & Service . . . . .	117.25
Hardee Home Center . . . . .	23.66
Jones Brothers Co Inc. . . . .	767.43
Meaux Lumber Co.....	43.45
Pauls Tire Repairs.....	146.50
Romero Auto Electric . . . . .	252.00
Sam Guarino & Son... . . . .	78.00
Thrifty Way Pharmacy.....	22.74
Vermilion Janitorial .. . . .	<u>120.60</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 1,645.37

Gueydan Mfg. Inc.....	\$ 98.50
Pauls Tire Repairs.....	<u>242.36</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 340.86

PARISHWIDE FRS:

H & S Construction ... . . . .	\$ 147.10
Romero Auto Electric . . . . .	<u>96.00</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 243.10

ROYALTY ROAD:

Coastal Timbers.....	\$ 9,969.36
Covington Sales & Service, Inc.....	<u>27,953.94</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 37,923.30

MAINTENANCE RD – SUB ROAD 3 OF ROAD 2:

Acadiana Shell Co .....	\$ 105.30
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MAINTENANCE RD – SUB ROAD 5 OF ROAD 2:

LeBlanc & Theriot .... \$ 28.54

In accordance with the Public Road Committee Recommendations, the following resolution was adopted:

Upon motion of Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr., duly seconded by Mr. Terry Bessard, and unanimously carried, the Public Works Committee Recommendations were approved as presented, and the appropriate officials of the Jury were authorized to carry out the recommendations;

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE  
AUGUST 14, 2002  
ABBEVILLE, LOUISIANA

AS A RESULT OF A SPECIAL PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 14, 2002, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED FOR THE JURY'S CONSIDERATION:

1. It is recommended that authorization be given to pay Ricky Faulk for 28.5 hours of overtime incurred relative to mosquito spraying done during the period of August 1 thru August 14, 2002.
2. It is recommended that a letter be sent to the State Office Of Emergency Preparedness asking that state and/or federal funds received to combat the West Nile Virus problem be divided on an equal consideration for all entities especially those that have existing mosquito control programs.
3. It is recommended that the damage claim of Scott Young (Young's Grocery, Inc. in the amount of \$67.67 be approved to be paid. Payment to be made to Fred's Plumbing & Electric, Inc.

It is further recommended that the solid waste supervisor inspect the garbage container site location and relocate the containers, as necessary to prevent any future situations.

4. It is recommended that the damage settlement offered by USA Agencies in the amount of \$6,330.00 for the parish truck previously driven by Mr. Herschel David, be accepted.

It is further recommended that Sellers and Associates, Inc. be authorized to prepare specifications and advertise for bids for a replacement truck similar to the one damaged (Ford Ranger XL).

5. It is recommended that the invoices shown on the attached sheets be approved to be paid.
6. It is recommended that the proposed fire department re-allocations be submitted to the Vermilion Fire Protection Association for comment.
7. It is recommended that Mr. Carroll Duhon and Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr. be reappointed to the property and equipment subcommittee of the Vermilion Fire Protection Association.

8. It is recommended that Invoice NO. 45265 from Black's Pump & Water Well Service, Inc. in the amount of \$1,471.00 be approved to be paid. Invoice represents replacement of the water well motor at the District 13 Fire Station damaged by lightning. Costs to be paid from 76 Sales Tax – unforeseen emergency allocation.

Respectfully submitted,  
T. J. Prejean, Jr.  
Chairman

SALES TAX AND BOND 1976:

Public Works:

Terry Bourque .....	\$	125.00
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Entex .....		69.26
Kaplan Utilities.....		57.79
Worldcom.....		20.84
Sellers & Associates .		440.00
Southeast Water District # 2.....		<u>20.01</u>
TOTAL.....	\$	732.90

Advance Chemical ....	\$	111.47
Bell South.....		455.54
Cajun Chemical & Janitorial .....		28.72
Eagle Pest Control & Chemical.....		20.00
Entergy .....		4.16
Entergy .....		576.07
Franklin Supply, Inc..		38.33
General Fund .		77.34
Hoh Pak Laboratory, Inc. ....		90.00
J T & J Enviro Service .....		250.00
K & J Supplies, Inc. ...		28.96
Piazza Office Supply. ....		286.46
Southern Power Systems.....		207.22
Standard Coffee Service.....		161.21
Vermilion Janitorial .		22.45
Vermilion Printers ....		141.83
Victory Supply.....		41.90
Public Works Director – P.C.....		<u>9.53</u>
TOTAL.....	\$	2,551.19

Mosquito Control:

Kaplan Telephone .....	\$	14.96
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Abbeville Meridional. ....	\$ 241.50
Auto Go Transmission .....	1,438.50
Bergeron Machine Shop Inc.....	80.00
Cintas Corporation ....	26.40
Discount Tire Center.. .....	135.70
Enertec Inc..... .....	1,732.80
Franklin Supply, Inc. . .....	35.92
John W. Hock Company .....	805.81
Carquest – Abbeville . .....	14.28
Office Depot Card Plan.....	32.00
Patterson Ent Inc..... .....	1,922.00
Pumpelly Oil, Inc..... .....	879.00
Republic Auto Parts of Abbeville.....	29.19
Scalisi’s Small Engine .....	236.31
T & M Aviation, Inc. . .....	7,439.00
Gilmore-Global Instruments Co.....	<u>183.02</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 15,231.43

Rural Fire Protection:

Slemco..... .....	\$ 55.33
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A T & T..... .....	\$ 20.20
Bell South..... .....	227.03
Mary Beth C. Broussard .....	100.00
Arvillien Choate .....	100.00
Jefferson Davis Electric Corp .....	14.39
Kaplan Telephone..... .....	254.68
Slemco..... .....	<u>628.09</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 1,344.39

Bell South..... .....	\$ 98.39
Minvielle & Associates, Inc. ....	512.50
Water District #1 .....	<u>16.20</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 627.09

A-1 Radiator.. .....	\$ 680.00
Stine Lumber Co..... .....	20.01
Bonaventure Co..... .....	4,118.94
Broussard Auto Repair.....	92.00
Discount Tire Center.. .....	1,068.00
Entergy .....	120.93
Personal Communications.....	80.00
Sellers & Associates .. .....	70.00

Slemco.....	70.99
Duhon Bros Oil Co. ..	<u>196.35</u>
TOTAL.....	\$ 6,517.22

1994 SALES TAX AND BOND FUND:

Kaplan Telephone .....	\$ 14.95
La. Dept. of Labor.....	\$ 2,582.35
Worldcom.....	14.00
Shelton's Truck & Diesel.....	<u>2,760.00</u>
TOTAL.....	\$ 5,356.35

Acadian Contractors, Inc.....	\$ 3,500.00
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A & L Bolt & Screw .	\$ 56.90
Stine Lumber Co.....	171.25
Abbeville Meridional .....	101.00
Acadiana Hydraulic, Inc.....	668.02
Advance Chemical .....	93.15
Bayou Fencing & Supply, Inc. ....	560.00
Bell South.....	184.84
Belsco, Inc. ....	538.25
Bergeron Machine Shop Inc.....	520.00
Breaux Tire Co .....	37.10
Cleaning Systems Company.....	191.26
Custom Glass & Mirror.....	40.00
Dept. of Environmental Quality .....	1,776.31
Discount Tire Center. ....	15,626.72
Electronic Services ...	490.75
Enertec Inc.....	757.40
Frenzel Motors.....	10.00
General Fund .	103.12
Dutch Gosnell Mfg. Supply Inc.....	409.24
Griner Drilling Service, Inc.....	4,646.00
Hoh Pak, Laboratory, Inc. ....	303.00
Icon Environmental Services.....	1,904.45
Ike's Plumbing Service .....	412.85
J T & J Enviro Service .....	600.00
Laborde & Neuner ....	1,226.63
Lafayette Threaded Products.....	27.00
Langlinais Tractor.....	987.77
Lingo International, Inc.....	667.03
Lowe's Companies, Inc.....	294.00
Louisiana Machinery .....	84.97
Macro Oil Co. ....	1,370.95

Mandate, Inc. ....	508.86
Menard Oil Co.....	9,791.55
Music Mountain Spring Water.....	323.50
Carquest – Abbeville . ....	441.50
Nortrax South .....	113.10
O’Reilly Automotive, Inc. ....	363.66
Pace Analytical Services Inc. ....	2,925.00
Pauls Tire Repairs.....	30.00
Prochem Inc... ..	367.90
Republic Auto Parts of Abbeville.....	83.56
Xpect First Aid .....	291.34
Rittiner Equipment Co., Inc. ....	1,208.34
Romero Auto Electric .....	482.00
Sam Guarino & Son... ..	197.05
Sattler’s Supply Co., Inc. ....	1,812.64
Scott Construction Equipment Co. ....	7,040.00
Slemco.....	3,201.12
Southern Power Systems.....	80.00
Standard Coffee Service .....	138.12
Thrifty Way Pharmacy.....	150.61
Tifco Industries.....	176.18
Vermilion Office Supply.....	66.43
Voorhies Supply Co... ..	1,079.22
Beta Technology Inc.. ..	162.99
Public Works Director – P.C.....	<u>10.91</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 65,905.44

Upon motion of Mr. Mark Poche, duly seconded by Mr. Carroll Duhon, and unanimously carried, the Finance Committee Recommendations were approved as presented, and the appropriate officials of the Jury were authorized to carry out the recommendations;

FINANCE COMMITTEE  
AUGUST 14, 2002  
ABBEVILLE, LOUISIANA

AS A RESULT OF A FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 14, 2002, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED FOR THE JURY’S CONSIDERATION:

1. It is recommended that the Police Jury requests proposals from certified public accounting firms to perform an audit of the Police Jury’s financial statements. Proposal to address performing single year audits for the calendar years ending December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2003.
2. It is recommended that the Sheriff’s Office be requested to meet with the Police Jury to discuss new expense charges being made on prisoner transports and other new charges.

3. It is recommended that Senator Hoyt, as a member of the White Lake Reserve Board be requested to have the Board consider setting aside 20,000 of the 71,000 acres as a public hunting and fishing area similar to the Wax Lake and Sherburne Wildlife Management Areas.
4. It is recommended that the Police Jury establish the travel mileage reimbursement rate at 32 cents per mile effective immediately.
5. It is recommended that Invoice No. 123288 from the Onebane Law Firm in the amount of \$1,883.42 be approved to be paid. Invoice represents legal services provided relative to the Suire vs. VPPJ suit.
6. It is recommended that the Secretary-Treasurer prepare the necessary paperwork to obtain proposals for health care coverage based on the following conditions being met:
  - Coverage to be PPO type plan.
  - Preferred coverage to have the same, or reasonably similar benefits to the current plan.
  - Options on deductibles or co-pays may be presented for consideration.
  - Coverage to be available to all currently enrolled persons.
  - Optional P.O.S plans may be considered.
7. It is recommended that the invoices shown on the attached sheet be approved to be paid.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mark Poche?  
Chairman

General Fund . . . . .	\$189,235.79
Criminal Court Fund . . . . .	7,047.46
Parishwide Public Improvement Maintenance Fund . . . . .	113,656.00
Vermilion Parish Public Library . . . . .	80,834.03
Royalty Road Fund ... . . . .	3,591.62
Road District No. 1 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	7,281.54
Sub 1 of 2 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	5,646.42
Road District No. 3 and/or Sub 2 of 2 Mtne Fund . . . . .	14,984.80
Sub 3 of 2 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	3,528.33
Sub 4 of 2 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	1,868.61
Sub 5 of 2 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	4,317.77
Road District 4-A Maintenance Fund . . . . .	7,737.87
Road District No. 6 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	3,698.84
Road District No. 7 Maintenance Fund . . . . .	3,910.85
Payroll Account . . . . .	153,211.81
Vermilion Parish Civil Defense . . . . .	3,026.62

ROYALTY ROAD:

La. Parish Government Risk Management .....	\$ 37,515.00
Patient Care/Labyrinth Health.....	<u>858.40</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 38,373.40

Burch, Marcus, Pool, Krupp & Daniel ..... \$ 7,008.00

HEALTH UNIT:

City of Abbeville .....	\$ 949.85
Entex .....	29.16
Kaplan Telephone.....	374.78
Onebane Law Firm .....	8,294.62
Slemco.....	406.45
Southeast Water District #2 .....	42.45
Town of Erath .....	24.20
USDA.....	2,531.95
Worldcom.....	<u>8.04</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 12,661.50

Airgas Gulf States.....	\$ 248.40
La. DHH Office of Public Health.....	38.14
Milfred Simon .....	<u>156.30</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 442.84

Acadiana Ford .....	\$ 428.19
Acadiana Shell.....	137.28
Advance Chemical.....	386.41
Airgas Gulf States.....	16.34
Bay City Motors .....	60.35
Buddy Cabrol A/C & Electric .....	521.00
Cintas Corp.....	22.50
Discount Tire Center.. .....	659.46
G & H Seed Co. Kaplan.....	98.85
Hoh Pak, Laboratory Inc.....	15.00
J T & J Enviro Serv ... ..	150.00
La. D.E.Q. / Air Quality.....	90.00
Pauls Tire Repairs.....	9.00
Piazza Office Supply . .....	35.71
South Side Towing ....	68.50
Standard Coffee Service .....	48.18
Tomahawk Live Trap Co. ....	<u>343.95</u>
TOTAL .....	\$ 3,090.72

GENERAL FUND:

Abbeville Emergency Services.....	\$ 918.00
Abbeville General Hospital.....	5,573.06
Acadian Ambulance Service .....	878.00
David W. Craft MD .. .....	170.00
Dubois Pharmacy & Food Mart.....	12.05
Gene Dupree DDS .....	150.00
Ardly Hebert, MD.....	1,655.00
Hollier's Drug Store.. .....	3,016.44
Landry's Pharmacy ... .....	48.17
Lafayette Consolidated Government .....	100.00
Lafayette Parish Sheriff .....	97.85
Dr. Gordy Landry .....	320.00
Radiology Clinic .....	875.00
Rapides Parish Coroners Office .....	1,100.00
Savins Health Mart, Inc.....	712.94
The Denison Company LLC .....	1,852.50
Vermilion Parish Clerk of Court .....	840.00
Vermilion Parish Sheriff .....	<u>2,878.47</u>
TOTAL.....	\$21,197.48

Abbeville Emergency Services.....	\$ 1,636.00
Abbeville General Hospital.....	604.35
Acadiana Medical Laboratories.....	279.25
Lafayette Consolidated Govt.....	800.00
Dr Emil Laga . .....	8,680.00
East Baton Rouge Coroners' .....	200.00
Radiology Clinic .....	1,052.00
St. Martin Parish Sheriff Dept.....	<u>107.00</u>
TOTAL.....	\$13,358.60

SALES TAX AND BOND 1978:

A T & T.....	\$ 24.24
Bell South.....	122.65
Entex .....	997.72
Kaplan Telephone .....	15.00
Slemco.....	7,623.98
Southeast Water District #2.....	949.56
Worldcom.....	115.42
Bell South Public Communication .....	<u>55.30</u>
TOTAL.....	\$ 9,903.87

City of Abbeville .....	\$ 705.29
Dept. of Environmental Quality .....	240.00
Entex .....	42.39

General Fund . . . . .	103.12
R & S Construction.... .	27,810.00
Sellers & Associates .. .	<u>366.00</u>
TOTAL . . . . .	\$29,266.80

Abbeville Snapper Sales & Service.....	\$ 29.90
Abbeville Hardware... .	30.45
Stine Lumber Co..... .	782.66
Advance Chemical..... .	114.51
Architectural Specialties, Inc. . . . .	264.00
Auto Chlor Systems... .	248.50
Bell South..... .	203.29
Buddy Cabrol A/C ..... .	3,478.00
CTC Mechanical Services..... .	150.00
Cajun Chemical & Janitorial . . . . .	30.40
Coburn's Lafayette – South . . . . .	527.68
Cormier Electric . . . . .	248.75
Desormeaux's Heating & Air..... .	188.00
Duhon Supply . . . . .	41.50
Entex . . . . .	1,084.32
Hoh Pak, Laboratory Inc. . . . .	15.00
J T & J Enviro Service..... .	600.00
K & J Supplies..... .	88.02
Langlinais Tractor..... .	121.70
Lester's Air Conditioning, Inc..... .	2,820.00
Slemco..... .	7,574.23
Southland Engine Co. Inc. . . . .	40.00
Bellsouth Public Communication..... .	55.30
Teche Electric Supply . . . . .	46.20
Kenneth D Lege..... .	<u>19.44</u>
TOTAL . . . . .	\$ 18,801.85

Upon motion of Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux, duly seconded by Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard, and unanimously carried, the Courthouse (Building) Committee Recommendations were approved as presented, and the appropriate officials of the Jury were authorized to carry out the recommendations:

COURTHOUSE BUILDING COMMITTEE  
AUGUST 14, 2002  
ABBEVILLE, LOUISIANA

AS A RESULT OF COURTHOUSE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 14, 2002, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED FOR THE JURY'S CONSIDERATION:

1. It is recommended that the administrative office explore the use of a portion of the Kaplan Health Unit by Representative Frith.
2. It is recommended that the Police Jury approve Contract Change Order No. 1 relative to the Erath Branch Library Renovation Project. Change Order reflects a net increase to the contract of \$5,169.78.
3. It is recommended that the Police Jury approve payment of Invoice No. 36-3673 from La. Testing and Inspection, Inc. in the amount of \$317.50. Invoice represents testing services provided relative to the Abbeville Library Construction Project.
4. It is recommended that the Downtown Business Association be authorized to use the west porch of the Courthouse for the annual Christmas Stroll to be held on December 5, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ernal "E. J." Broussard  
Acting Chairman

Upon motion of Mr. Purvis Abshire, duly seconded by Mr. Hubert Faulk, and unanimously carried, the Rabies and Animal Control Committee Recommendations were approved as presented, and the appropriate officials of the Jury were authorized to carry out the recommendations:

RABIES AND ANIMAL CONTROL COMMITTEE  
AUGUST 14, 2002  
ABEVILLE, LOUISIANA

AS A RESULT OF A RABIES AND ANIMAL CONTROL COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 14, 2002, THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED FOR THE JURY'S CONSIDERATION:

1. It is recommended that the secretary and purchasing agent look at other options regarding carbon monoxide detection units to be installed at the Rabies Control Center.

It is further recommended that authorization be given to expend an amount up to \$500.00 toward the purchase of a detection unit or system.

Respectfully submitted,  
Purvis Abshire,  
Chairman

Upon motion of Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr., duly seconded by Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury authorized the payment of the self-insured retention (deductible) payment in the amount of \$878.00 to Grigsby & Ezell for depositions taken relative to the Guy Duhon lawsuit.

Upon motion of Mr. Carroll Duhon, duly seconded by Mr. Kenneth DeHart, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury ratified the Section 5311 Monthly Activity Report for the month of July, 2002 as submitted by the Vermilion Council On Aging and directing the Secretary to submit the report to the Department of Transportation and Development for reimbursement in accordance with the contract agreement.

Upon motion of Mr. Mark Poche', duly seconded by Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury ratified a Temporary Alcoholic Beverage Permit for the Bellow Trailriders sponsoring a fundraiser on August 23, - 25, 2002 at the Waikiki Campground, located at 7507 W. La. Hwy 338, Abbeville, LA.

The Secretary advised the Jurors on the following meetings to be held on Tuesday, August 20, 2002:

- 2:30 p.m. - Center for Disease Control briefing on the West Nile Virus status, to be held at the Clifton Chenier Bldg. in Lafayette.
- 3:30 p.m. - Office of Emergency Preparedness briefing on filing for disaster relief funds relative to the West Nile Virus, to be held at the Clifton Chenier Bldg. in Lafayette.
- 4:00 p.m. - Waterworks District No. 1 announcement regarding funding of Forked Island – Intracoastal City – Esther Water System Improvements, to be held at the Wetlands Center in Lafayette.

Upon motion of Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard, duly seconded by Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury approved payment of Estimate No. 4 in the amount of \$116,094.42 to Rudick Company, Inc. relative to the construction of the new Abbeville Library. Cost to be paid from the Library Construction Fund.

Upon motion of Mr. Terry Bessard, duly seconded by Mr. Louis Joe Hardy, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury approved payment of Invoice No. 2261 in the amount of \$1,771.97 to The Sellers Group for services relative to the construction of the new Abbeville Library. Cost to be paid from the Library Construction Fund.

Upon motion of Mr. Purvis Abshire, duly seconded by Mr. Ritter Trahan, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury authorized payment of Estimate No. 9 in the amount of \$2,500.00 to Minvielle Lumber Company relative to the renovations of an existing building to house the Kaplan Branch of the Vermilion Parish Library. Cost to be paid from the Library Construction Fund.

Upon motion of Mr. Pervis "Pee Wee" Meaux, duly seconded by Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury approved payment of \$20,471.64 to the Department of Elections and Registration for the costs associated with the Sales Tax Election held on May 4, 2002.

Upon motion of Mr. Kenneth DeHart, duly seconded by Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury authorized the issuance of a letter of no objection relative to a request to bulkhead on the Vermilion River for George Sagrera.

Upon motion of Mr. Terry Bessard, duly seconded by Mr. Mark Poche, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury approved payment of Invoice No. 778 in the amount of \$500.00 to B & B Fire & Safety Services, Inc. for containment and disposal of unidentified drums found on a parish road south of the Delcambre area.

Upon motion of Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr., duly seconded by Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury authorized the issuance of an Act of Disclaimer relative to a road right of way conveyed onto the Parish of Vermilion by Deed dated January 26, 1889, and recorded in COB 6, Page 42, under Entry No. 3050 in the Clerk of Court records and more particularly described as follows:

One certain strip of land of thirty feet wide along the South side of the South half of the South East quarter of Section Eight in Township Thirteen South of Range Three East (T13S-R3E), situated in said Parish of Vermilion.

The President recognized Senator Fred Hoyt who presented a report on the White Lake Management.

Upon motion of Mr. Mark Poche, duly seconded by Mr. Luther "Buster" Hardee, and unanimously carried, the Police Jury adopted the following ordinance establishing a 35 MPH speed limit on Albert Road from Grosse Isle Road to Rodrigue Road:

## **ORDINANCE**

### **2002-O-15**

WHEREAS, it has been brought to the Police Jury's attention that a considerable amount of speeding is existing and causing very hazardous conditions on Albert Road; and

SECTION I: NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED, that the Vermilion Parish Police Jury does hereby impose a 35 mph speed limit from Grosse Isle Road to Rodrigue Road; and

SECTION II: BE IT HEREBY FURTHER ORDAINED, that the appropriate speed limit signs be installed in said area.

SECTION III: BE IT HEREBY FURTHER ORDAINED, that a maximum penalty of \$100.00 and/or a 10 day jail sentence may be imposed at the discretion of the court.

SECTION IV: BE IT HEREBY FURTHER ORDAINED, that Honorable Sheriff Raywood Lemaire be and is hereby requested and/or directed to enforce the speed limit by the use of radar and/or regular patrolling.

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Upon motion of Mr. T. J. Prejean, Jr., duly seconded by Mr. Ernal "E. J." Broussard, and unanimously carried, that there being no further business to be presented, the meeting was duly adjourned.

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Secretary-Treasurer

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President