

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF ST. MARTINVILLE, LOUISIANA
HELD ON THE 6th DAY OF JULY, 2026.

The Mayor and City Council of the City of St. Martinville, Louisiana met in Regular Session on the 6th day of July 2026 at City Hall, their regular meeting place, pursuant to the call of the Mayor.

THERE were present: Jason Willis, Mayor

Brad Horton, Councilman

George Choplin, Councilwoman

Jonas Fontenette, Councilman

Monica Charles, Councilwoman

Flo Chatman, Councilwoman

Allan L. Durand, City Attorney

THERE were absent: None

Mayor Jason Willis presiding called the meeting to order.

It was moved by Councilwoman Chatman duly seconded by Councilman Horton and unanimously carried that the minutes of the regular meeting held June 15, 2026 and special meeting of June 24, 2026, hereby be approved for publication in the Teche News, the Official Journal of the City of St. Martinville.

The item to discuss nuisance property located at 2085 Terrace Hwy, owned by Eddie Greig was tabled until future meeting. This matter will be discussed in executive session due to possible litigation. No action was taken at this time.

It was moved by Councilwoman Charles duly seconded by Councilman Chatman and unanimously carried that bids be obtained to remove dilapidated structure located at 220 Denbas Street, owned by Parfait Robertson, Jr and bid be awarded to lowest bidder.

Planning & Zoning Coordinator Otis Chatman reported that the nuisance property located at 211 Hyacinth owned by Emile Ledet was cleaned up by the owner. No action was needed.

RESOLUTION

A Resolution by the City Council of the City of St. Martinville

WHEREAS the City of St. Martinville operates by the Lawrason Act, and
WHEREAS the City Council desires to appoint the following Municipal Officials,
THEREFORE, be it resolved that the following people are appointed to the following positions:

Interim Chief of Police	Andrew Broussard
City Clerk	Lorrie M Poirier
Street Superintendent	Brian Francis
Utility Superintendent	Mike Douet
Tax Collector	St Martin Parish Sheriff Office/St. Martin Parish School Board
Attorney	Allan Durand
Magistrate	Eddie Guidry

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilman Choplin duly seconded by Councilwoman Charles, and upon being submitted to a vote, the vote was :

Yeas: B.Horton, G.Choplin, J.Fontenette, M.Charles and F.Chatman

Nays: None

Absent:None

The Resolution above was thereon declared adopted on the 6th day of July, 2026.

JASON WILLIS, Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this is a true and fully correct copy of a Resolution passed and adopted by the St. Martinville City Council on the date shown above.

Lorrie M. Poirier, City Clerk

It was moved by Councilman Horton duly seconded by Councilman Choplin and unanimously carried that Councilman Fontenette be appointed as Mayor ProTem for one year.

Mayor's Report

- *Congratulations to new and existing council members
- * Training for council on Lawrason Act to be held Wednesday, July 8th
- *Basketball Camp is still going on
- *Cultural Sports Camp will start July 20th at Adam Carlson Park
- * Cultural History Camp will start July 27th at Adam Carlson Park
- * Swimming Pool and Splash Pad is open
- *Swimming Lessons are being offered at the pool

There being no further business to come before the Mayor and City Council, Mayor Willis adjourned the meeting upon motion of Councilwoman Chatman and duly seconded by Councilwoman Charles.

JASON WILLIS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

LORRIE M POIRIER, CITY CLERK