

MINUTES

**CITY OF NEW ROADS CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING**

August 20, 2024

The New Roads City Council met in regular session at 5:30 o'clock P.M. Tuesday, August 20, 2024 at the City Hall in New Roads, Louisiana. Mayor Theron Smith called the meeting to order. A roll call resulted as follows:

PRESENT: James Hunter, Kirk White, and Cleotha Johnigan

ABSENT: Joy Nelson and Kurt Kellerman

Notice of this meeting was duly exercised and mailed per bylaws:

Public comments on agenda items

There were no public comments.

Consent Calendar – Approval of Minutes of Regular Council Meeting of August 6, 2024

The minutes of the Regular Council meeting of August 6, 2024 were submitted for approval.

The reading of the minutes was waived.

Motion by Mr. Hunter and seconded by Mr. Johnigan.

RESOLVED, That the minutes be approved in their entirety.

The motion was unanimously carried.

Discussion of Tasers for Police Department

Mayor Smith presented a modified quote for tasers. The new quote is for eight tasers at a total cost of \$29,432.10.

Motion by Mr. White and seconded by Mr. Johnigan.

RESOLVED, that the quote be approved.

A roll call vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Hunter, Johnigan and White

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Nelson and Kellerman

On a vote of 3-0-0-2, the motion carried.

Committee Reports

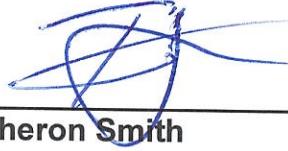
Mr. White reported that the committee met and approved "In Kind" services to assist Mr. Darryl Patin with improvements at the Kiwanis Park.

Mayor's Report

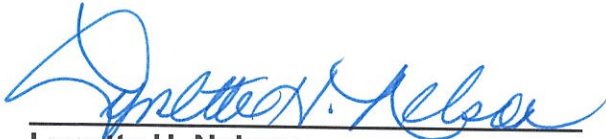
Mayor Smith reported that interviews for the Chief of Police position is ongoing.

He also announced that the citizen notification app "New Roads Connect" is operational. The application is free to the public.

With no further business to come before the council, the meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.



Theron Smith
Mayor



Lynette H. Nelson
Secretary-Treasurer